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1. Re: FRG 9600 (lungo)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alessandro Canalini <al.cana@iol.it>
Message-ID: <6dfijg$g8m@mikasa.iol.it>
Source record: 168539
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Interesserebbe anche me...se e' possibile mi prenoterei anche io per una
copia..
Alex

Jas ha scritto nel messaggio <34f59a05.11713085@193.76.127.2>...
>
>>
>>Non oserei mai chiederti che numero di CQ, pero'.... :-)
>
>Ce l'ho ben archiviato a casa dei miei ... la 1' volta che passo lo prendo
!
>>
>>Sto raccogliendo un po' di info sotto
>>http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/8516
>>
>
>Non male ... se vuoi ti posso mandare lo schemino dell'interfaccina che ho
fatto
>per trasmettere i dati dal PC->FRG ... ma e' solo 1 BC237 con 1 resistenza
ed 1
>diodo zener ... quindi non penso sia il caso ... CMQ
>
>Ci sono anche dei sorgenti in C
>
>Salut!
>
>Jas
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2. Re: NEXTEL use in law enforcement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big Daddy <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6dftei$klv@suriname.earthlink.net>
Source record: 168540
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

the digital phone algorithm was already broken...the NEXTEL system has
frequency hopping too....check here for a description:
http://www.nextel.com/information/technology/facts_digitalsecurity.shtml

karl
http://vistagroupusa.com/burbank.htm CHP memorial page

Lot 47 wrote in message ...
>"Big Daddy" <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com> wrote:
>
>>...<wee snip>
>> No worries about intercepted msgs, etc.
>>...
>
>But, for how long, d'ya figure?
>I know that there are people, as we speak, working on the
>digital/decryption problem, (the legality of the enterprise and
>proprietorship of the algorithms be damned), and my guess is that they will
>eventually succeed...

3. Re: Beta Testers Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Reed <zzzkj7js@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34F9BE4E.7A7D@usa.net>
Source record: 168639

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
>
> In article <34f92ae0.22260223@nntp.ix.netcom.com>,
> geovet@ix.netcom.com (George Vetterle) wrote:
> >
> > On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 22:47:43 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
> >
> > >In article <19980228211601.QAA11256@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
> > > malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
> > >
> > >> I'm still struggling with figuring out why it
> > >> is that you just won't learn how to use a newsreader and post responses
> to
> > >> their original threads instead of creating new ones all of the time.
> > >>
> > >>
> > >
> > > You mean ... like this?
> > >
> > The squeaky wheel gets the grease. If you persist, you're liable to
> > *really* piss Michael off. That might be unwise, particularly with me
> > on his side. We have often been at odds in the past, but I am in
> > agreement with him now regarding the status quo of this news group.
> >
> And the two of you are Cheek clones. That doesn't add up to much
> brainpower, in my estimation. Your "agreement" is to attack anyone who
> criticizes Cheek. Is that important for this news group?
>

That seems to be how Cheek likes things. He can't debate an issue,
merely insult and otherwise attempt to silence the people that don't
nuzzle his posterior. Apparently now there are two droids that don't
mind doing so.

4. Re: Bearcats or Radio Shack trunktrackers??? Advice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hazmat910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301200001.PAA00581@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168640

In article <34f98558.49648915@news.i-plus.net>, zorro@aoi.com writes:

>
don't get a base trunktracker scanner, you'll regret it. with a
handheld,
>you get the same scanner with the exception that you can
take it w/ you when
>you are out of town, vacations, etc........
I have a pro-90 and i love it..

Acually both RS TrunkTrackers and the BC235XLT are the same. But the BC895 (base) is different. The BC895 has a computer control port built in. I am told by some friends that it is possible to follow up to 4 trunked systems while the scanner is attached to a computer.

John

5. Re: handheld trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hazmat910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301200001.PAA25440@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168641

Pro 90 and BC235XLT are the only TT's around. They are both made by Uniden and are IDENTICAL on the inside. The only difference is the extras and the appearance. The BC235 comes with an extra battery and a charger for the battery. Shop around for the best price, but remember what you are or aren't getting with your scanner. I have a BC235 and am very pleased with it. I had to order a third battery because of how much I used it. I paid less than half for that third battery because I bought it from Uniden. If you want info/prices on the Uniden check out www.uniden.com If you want info on the Pro 90, go to RS their prices are the same everywhere. Last I saw RS wanted $275.

John

6. Re: kenwood tk 801 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: J-MarCom <marcinko@aa.net>
Message-ID: <34F9C063.2670@aa.net>
Source record: 168642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

Paul wrote:
>
> I have a Kenwood TK-801 UHF radio and I was wondering how to re-program
> the frequencies. Any help would be appreciated.
> Thanks in advance.
>
> Paul.
> paulgm@mailexcite.com

You need to get next to someone that has a KP-10 Kenwood programmer.
Try your local Kenwood Commercial dealer.

Jon

7. Re: Yugo, an excellent car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: derickam@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301202501.PAA04673@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168643

Not enough metal in a yugo to make a decent artillery shell.

And using a mobile scanner in one is too much of a current draw on the electrical system. Plus there is no ferrous metal to use a mag mount antenna. I supposed you could use a mounted antenna but that would either:

1. Corrupt the structural integity of the vehicle.

2. Create too much drag, although if you rigged a sail and were traveling down wind you would be okay.

3. The lack of any substance to this car has a benefit, cop radar passes right through without any returns. (no return of RF no speed indication)

To my limited knowlege I would go for a Geo Metro, at least it is American (well...thats what I heard anyhow) and parts are still in stock.

PS - ;)

I am sorry if my spelling or grammar or lack thereof, has upset those to whom I am talking(oops, I meant speaking).

derick

8. Help for the antenna ignorant, please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: derickam@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301202501.PAA29499@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168644

I am looking for a good book on antenna's. I know some RF theory, but am lacking on the types of ant that are out there. Please help me out with titles and were I might find more besides the ARRL website (been there done that). I have found plenty I just need to know where the best bang for my buck is, in your opinion is.

Thank you in advance.

derick

9. Scanner Crystals FS:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch C/O DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <34f943fb.0@news6.kcdata.com>
Source record: 168645

46.46, 39.44, 39.84, 39.72, 39.62, 39.38, 39.42 Mhz

10.7 Mhz if cut for Fannon hand held, but should work in all but BearCat xtals units.

Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY

10. Re: HF Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: JAMES BOND 007 <THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dch1u$mkc@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168646

Nomad wrote:
>
> Could ya guys recommend a good HF scanner?Here are a few examples of
> freq....
> 2808.5,10242.0,25350.0
> Post to the group please and thanx for the help.
TRY THE SONY 1CF 2010 IT IS NOT A SCANNER BUT IT DOES RECEIVE
H.F ON IT. A VERY GOOD RADIO
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http://iwin.nws.noaa.gov/iwin/graphicsvesrion/main.html
http://www.nws.noaa.gov/nwr/nwroh.htm
http://www.nws.noaa.gov/nwr/indexnw.htm
http://www.wdok.com/
http://www.wqal.com/
http://www.jamming.com/
http://www.wmji.com/
http://www.wclv.com/
http://www.audioactive.com

11. Re: FS- Unblocked Yaesu FRG-9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ep57uw.l4w@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 168647
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

That makes it *modified*, not unblocked...

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998, Gary Sanders wrote:

> Yeah, but an unblocked one will receive from 20 to 950. I
> modified mine a couple of days ago.
>
> Gary
>
>
> Richard Kendrick wrote:
> >
> >
> > The Yaesu FRG-9600 was never built with any "blocked" frequency ranges.
> > A stock unit will receive 60 MHz to 905 MHz without any gaps.
>
> --
>
> Gary Sanders
>
> Bait for spammers (With credit to E. Needham):
> root@localhost
> postmaster@localhost
> admin@localhost
> abuse@localhost
> postmaster@127.0.0.1
>
>

Opinions expressed are my own and do not necessarily
represent those of my lawyers!

12. Pro-64 to computer???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dad#1 <Deadeye@Javanet.com>
Message-ID: <34F9C48E.1823C643@Javanet.com>
Source record: 168648
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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Does the earphone jack give discriminator quality output suitable for
decoding digital transmissions with the MFJ computer interface cable?
or what
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13. Re: Beta Testers Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301204900.PAA03472@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168649

>Subject: Re: Beta Testers Needed
>From: Brian Reed <zzzkj7js@usa.net>
>Date: Sun, Mar 1, 1998 15:00 EST
>Message-id: <34F9BE4E.7A7D@usa.net>

> Apparently now there are two droids that don't
>mind doing so.

Heck, I always thought a droid was someone who went along with the status quo, basically without thinking or questioning. You know, someone who is content to parrot what other people say without using the brains he was born with. I have neveragreed much with Cheek and if you weren't a newbie, you would know that some of the battles I have had with him r.r.s. are the stuff of legends.

Of course, you seem to be aping Iwstirn's line of thinking, which makes me wonder just who is the droid.

14. Re: Diskriminatorausgang

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kamst39+@pitt.edu
Message-ID: <6dchs1$1fo@usenet.srv.cis.pitt.edu>
Source record: 168650

Oh yeah? Well qwerty wqeryri adsfhj zxvxz asfdagang to you too.

Post in english to international groups in the future.

Fuchs Stefan (sfuchs@donau.de) wrote:
: Hi,

: weiss jemand wo man am Albrecht RL-402 einen Diskriminatorausgang
: abgreifen kann??

: CU Stefan

15. Re: A really stupid problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: newbie <reddog113@goplay.com>
Message-ID: <6dci40$85t$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 168651

I took apart my scanner and found that the pad can be taken out of it. If your scanner has a rubber pad for the buttons then you could take it out and wash it. Just be careful not to rip it and dry it real good before you put it back in. You have a really clever kid if she thought the numbers would come off. That is a pretty funny story. Hope this helps
>>
>>
>>
>>
>>

16. Re: Top secret frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: blackwlf@guess.net
Message-ID: <34f9ab48.3400414@news.wic.net>
Source record: 168652

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 09:26:51 -0600, jedent@c-com.net wrote:

>n1lsw@ncia.net wrote:
>>
>> ((((((((((((((((((((TOP SECRET RADIO FREQUENCIES))))))))))))))))))) ALL
>> THE ONES YOU WANT TO KNOW. ALL THE GOOD STUFF YOU CAN'T GET!!!! WELL NOW YOU
>> CAN ON THIS 3.1/2 DISK. YOU WILL BE SHOCKED!!!!. $5.00 SHIPPED IN THE US.
>> Thanks Jack.
>>
>> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>Jack, why haven't you shipped mine yet?
Cuz he is still in shock that someone actually swallowed the hook :)

17. Re: This Poor Hobby!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: newbie <reddog113@goplay.com>
Message-ID: <6dcilf$bq0$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 168653

I was the one that posted the thing about the SC-150 mods and the guy that posted the message responded to me and asked me for them. If, however, I was wrong and the person that responded was not that person that asked the question then I helped somebody else with their radio.

18. Re: Fast food! :) best list around!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kamst39+@pitt.edu
Message-ID: <6dcins$1fo@usenet.srv.cis.pitt.edu>
Source record: 168654

Depending on the system and frequencies used, you may have to be in the
parking lot of the place. I've found this especially true when the
place is using VHF-LOW because of the long antenna needed for the low
frequency. But typically if its VHF-HI or UHF, the distance is around
a few blocks, farther if you have better line of sight by being
above(higher altitude) the restaurant.

Keith

Revster (revster@hempseed.com) wrote:
: How close to the food place do you need to be to pick it up on the
: scanner. The only problem is most of the time you can't understand what
: the they are saying anyways. :)

19. Re: YUPITERU MVT-9000 Comments?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: *John_Mackey* - KA0SSF <jmackey@NOSPAM.usa.net>
Message-ID: <34F9D048.6E56@NOSPAM.usa.net>
Source record: 168655
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WRONG!!!

They are LEGAL to bring into the USA, they simply can not be sold on
the commercial market in the USA. You would have to purchase one
overseas then bring it in yourself.

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Yupiteru scanners are not legal to sell
> or bring into the USA.

20. Re: Phenomena??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kamst39+@pitt.edu
Message-ID: <6dcjno$1fo@usenet.srv.cis.pitt.edu>
Source record: 168656

Hi TailGator,

I have seen this problem in my "shack" before, and its more related
to the preamps located in stereos and speakers. What happens is strong,
nearby signals are overloading the frontend of the preamps inside the
devices. I live on a fairly busy road, and we get occasional big rigs
with their illegal linear amps on their cbs. Both my computer preamped
speakers, and my stereo both let the signal blow through.

It's actually been quite scary at times, when the voices are in my room
and I know no scanners, rigs, etc are on.

Hope this helps.
Keith

TailGator (Tailgatr@ix.netcom.com) wrote:
: Hey folks! Somebody please answer this one for me - a strange thing
: happens in my ham shack and I would like an expert's
: explanation/opinion...here is the situation..

: I have several scanners, most of them hooked to external speakers. My
: new RS TrunkTracker base model Pro-2050 is hooked to an omnidirectional
: discone antenna on the roof, and I have it hooked to a RS amplified desk
: speaker. Sometimes I forget to turn off the speaker when I leave the
: shack and, although all of the scanners are OFF, there is output from
: the speaker...garbled transmissions that sound somewhat like digitally
: encrypted voices, etc....what is causing this??

: Thanks in advance for any replies...

: TailGator

: ~~~~~~~~~~,~~~~~~~~,~~^^-----
: KF4ANC

21. Radio-Communication et Radio-Navigations aeronautique en France

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cparizot@world-net.sct.fr
Message-ID: <cparizot-ya02408000R0103982233170001@news.worldnet.fr>
Source record: 168657

A new site about aeronautical RADIO-COMMUNICATION in France. (only in French yet)

Je viens de mettre en ligne un nouveau site concernant li¿½ai¿½ronautique en France.
Ci¿½est une pri¿½sentation des moyens de RADIO-COMMUNICATION, de RADIO-NAVIGATIONS et des terrains.

Vous pourrez y trouver toutes les frequences de controle aerien Francais en route, avec des cartes, et beaucoup plus.
Vos commentaires seraient apprecies.

http://home.worldnet.fr/cparisot/aero.html

Cordialement

Cyril Parisot
cparizot@world-net.sct.fr
http://home.worldnet.fr/cparisot/aero.html

22. Re: FS- Unblocked Yaesu FRG-9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dcjtr$9jq@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168658
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I've been told that the MOD to receive below 60 MHZ actually does not work. It will display the freq below 60MHZ but you will not pick anything up.

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 23:17:45 -0500, Gary Sanders <gsanders@gte.net> wrote:

>Yeah, but an unblocked one will receive from 20 to 950. I
>modified mine a couple of days ago.
>
>Gary
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>
>Richard Kendrick wrote:
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>>
>> The Yaesu FRG-9600 was never built with any "blocked" frequency ranges.
>> A stock unit will receive 60 MHz to 905 MHz without any gaps.
>
>--
>
>Gary Sanders
>
>Bait for spammers (With credit to E. Needham):
>root@localhost
>postmaster@localhost
>admin@localhost
>abuse@localhost
>postmaster@127.0.0.1

23. FS-Copy of Magnavox D-2999 owner + service manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dcl05$9jq@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,alt.radio.scanner

>Complete photocopy of Magnavox/Phillips D-2999 shortwave receiver
>owner and service manuals. Service manual has 11 X 17 schematics and
>circuit pictorials. Both manuals $30 + $3 shipping to lower 48
>States.

24. Re: SC-150 Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John H. Hevey" <john.h.hevey@snet.net>
Message-ID: <34F9F793.23CCE6D8@snet.net>
Source record: 168660

I've had one for a couple of years and am pleased with it. I'm a casual listner and the SC-150 is all the scanner I'll ever need. Good price too.

25. The Rest Of Scanner Crystals For Sale:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "news.toad.net" <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bd453a$7e10eca0$731e31d1@wendy-s-avon>
Source record: 168661

I was using my older, junky computer to enter this befor, and some got cut out!

If interested in any or all of the crystals posted earlier by me, contact me at:

(410) 360-2260 or
dat2comm@toad.net

Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications

26. FS - Photocopy of Sony CRF-1 Service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dckm8$9jq@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168662
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Complete photocopy of service manual with circuit board layouts and pictorials. $30 + $2 shipping to lower 48 States.

27. Re: Larry Murphy, you have 48 hours....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark G. Taylor" <N3TEL@intrepid.net>
Message-ID: <34F9DB6F.9070350B@intrepid.net>
Source record: 168663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Apparently, Mr. Murphy decided it was time to give me what he owes me. I recieved this from him via e-mail. I chose to remove 3 words, and replace them with *s... As I try not to use such language.

>>There is a check in the mail to you ! when you get it stick it ** **** *** !

Also, there is a Larry Murphy in California, who sometimes posts stuff in these groups, but he is NOT the one I had problems with.

Mark G. Taylor wrote:

> You have 48 hours to contact me, After that I will be reporting you to
> the US Postal Inspectors, for mail fraud. I Have waited long enough for
> either the radio, or a refund, or the insurance check.
> There seems to be 2 people named Larry Murphy active on this newsgroup.
> The one I am speaking to will know who he is. The one I am upset with
> has recently disconnected his phone, and e-mail service.
> I do have his Physical address, and will be sending some mail his way.
>
> If anyone else has any suggestions, I am willing to hear them.
>
> Thanks.

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Visit:
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Haven/3248/
for my PGP public key.
Or:
http://www.pgp.com/
To learn more about PGP.

28. Re: Diskriminatorausgang

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6dcol5$p7d@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168664

Is there some rule against posting in languages other than English in
newsgroups? This is the "World Wide Web" isn't it?

David M. Hitchner - dmhitchner@worldnet.att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
-
ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

Keith A Monahan wrote in message <6dchs1$1fo@usenet.srv.cis.pitt.edu>...
>Oh yeah? Well qwerty wqeryri adsfhj zxvxz asfdagang to you too.
>
>Post in english to international groups in the future.
>
>Fuchs Stefan (sfuchs@donau.de) wrote:
>: Hi,
>
>: weiss jemand wo man am Albrecht RL-402 einen Diskriminatorausgang
>: abgreifen kann??
>
>: CU Stefan
>

29. kenwood in dash scanner WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pre-installed User <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4533$077b1f40$d3c99dcc@n0mnb.ppp>
Source record: 168665

HELLO

I LOST INFO ON THE TYPE SCANNER THAT GOES IN DASH THAT KENWOOD BUILT A YEAR
AGO OR SO SOMETHING LIKE R-100 ??? ANY INFO WOULD BE
APRECATED..

THANKS

n0mnb@minn.net

30. Re: Phenomena??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6dcpd3$cn8@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168666

I have an amplified speaker in my pickup. Sometimes when I'm next to a big rig with a CB I'll here the audio even though the speaker is not connected to my scanner. When I was younger, the church I went to would sometimes pick up the CB in a house across the road on it's PA system. I've even had CB audio come through my home stereo. I guess if the signal is strong enough it will get though.

David M. Hitchner - dmhitchner@worldnet.att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
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TailGator wrote in message <34F8DE3D.4C5B@ix.netcom.com>...
>Hey folks! Somebody please answer this one for me - a strange thing
>happens in my ham shack and I would like an expert's
>explanation/opinion...here is the situation..
>
>I have several scanners, most of them hooked to external speakers. My
>new RS TrunkTracker base model Pro-2050 is hooked to an omnidirectional
>discone antenna on the roof, and I have it hooked to a RS amplified desk
>speaker. Sometimes I forget to turn off the speaker when I leave the
>shack and, although all of the scanners are OFF, there is output from
>the speaker...garbled transmissions that sound somewhat like digitally
>encrypted voices, etc....what is causing this??
>
>Thanks in advance for any replies...
>
>TailGator
>
>~~~~~~~~~~,~~~~~~~~,~~^^-----
>KF4ANC

31. Re: SC-150 Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.com
Message-ID: <34f9e42f.29890946@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 168667

On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 06:01:11 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
wrote:

>chia@news.utk.edu (John R Alley) wrote:

>You just don't get it. The SC-150 is not a great
>scanner....not by any technical standards of
>measurement. It definitely has a lot of "sizzle",
>and if you like more sizzle and less steak, then
>it is THE scanner for you. So what. Some guys
>like sizzle. I ain't judging sizzle. But I happen
>to like steak. You don't. That's cool.
>
>Telling the truth about scanners is not insulting
>to the poor sap who is about to buy one..... it's only
>telling it as I see it. You expect me to lie about it
>just to give you a warm fuzzy? What if the guy I was
>answering wanted the damn truth? HE ASKED. You didn't.
>
I have to agree with Bill I have 2 Uniden scanners and did have a
third one the first was a Pro-29 made by Uniden had cold solder joints
had to go thru it and radio worked much better had some nice features
Also have a Pro 46 needs a tune up and probably has the same cold
solder joint problem but need a service manual to tune it up.
Alos have a Pro 2036 and a friend has a 890XLT which is the same
radio and the only nice thing about these radios are the ctcss board
as for the search and auto store, it is useless just get your hands
on one a do a 200 channel search and store from 29 meg and up and
before it gets to 500 meg it will have filled the 200 channels with
birdies.
Like bill said uniden has some great sizzle but not much steak!!
Stick with GRE made scanners, unless you have the cash for the over
$1000 jobs.

>> Notice they will learn, not be harassed by some
>> rambling on of someone who I (along ith many others I am sure) have lost all
>> respect and dignity for,
>
>So go find it if you lost it. I didn't insult you. I
>didn't do anything to you. But since you felt fit to unload
>on me for telling the truth, you will surely understand
>when I invite you to eat my shorts. Do you prefer boxers
>or briefs, and BVD's or Fruit of the Looms?
>
>If you think I'm going to dance and jig for your "respect",

>you can observe the mistletoe attached to my shirttail and
>act accordingly. Pucker up, Bunky.
>
>> due to his ill, and obnoxious attitude to everyone
>> that even makes a statement/question that THEY want a REAL answer.
>
>Huh? The original poster asked: "Are these radios a good buy?"
>to which I replied: "If you like a lot of sizzle and not much
>steak....sure. Otherwise, no."
>
>So what the hell do you see so bad about that?
>The guy asked. I answered. And I didn't insult him.
>
>But then comes along an imbecilic idiot, who just HAS to say:
>
>>> Ahhh, I see Mr Cheek does not approve of the Sportcat 150, must be
>>> becouse there aren't any cellular mods for it and thus cannot profit
>>> from it in anyway by selling more books.
I don't see what the problem is about Bills books, I have the first
2 and a friend has the third so far he has installed in a 2004 and
2006 is data squelch, s-meter, x tend delay, slightly modified
Keyboard Memory controller for the 6,400 channels in both his 2004 and
2006 and my 2004, along with home brewed ce-232 computer interfaces
for all 3 scanners and is now working on interfacing the Pro-43.
Great books with allot of Good stuff in them.

I just wish all the people out there that have bought and used his
books would let this group know what a help they have been in making
an excellent scanner a GREAT scanner.
>
>So yeah, I hosed the jerk. He opened fire. He
>had no call to show his butt like that. But he did
>it anyway. So I hosed 'im. So what? He hadn't oughta
>be shooting off his mouth like that.
>
>> And before you start, no my sc-150 is not attached to me at all,
>
>Cool. I was thinking maybe it was attached, the way you hyped
>yourself up into a big ol' snit. You act like of like it is
>a part of your anatomy that you can't help bein born with.
>
>> but obviously your attitude and ideas have changed drastically
>> from the ones I read in a book so few years ago.
>
>Not at all. You must not have read the book all the
>way through.......just like you must not have read this
>thread all the way through. Or....can you not read?
>
>> It is sad that someone MIGHT have actually thought that B. Cheek
>> could give sound advice,

>
Sound advice comes from him all the time just check out his books
didn't find any bad advice in them yet!

>Okay, so I can't give YOU sound advice.....especially
>if liver-lipping the Uniden SportCat SC-150 is considered
>to be "sound". I don't mince words, wingnut. Go find
>yourself a baby-kissing, mush-mouthed politician if you
>want blubber, froth, and goosh about your SportCat......
>
>> and no I am not saying we ALL need to get one of these,
>
>Cool. It is a good thing you're not saying that.
>It was beginning to look like you had a little shrine
>set up at home with your SportCat sitting betwixt two
>candles under a picture of your preferred deity.
>
>> but damn... if we treat everyone as mentally deficiant humans
>> with no care for ANYONE then who the hell will want in the hobby PERIOD!
>
>Who the hell treated "everyone as mentally deficiant humans".
>Where do you come up with spew like that? Geezus H. Kriste,
>NumbNuts, the guy asked if the friggin SportCat was a good
>buy and I gave him a straight answer. Simple, sweet, succinct,
>and to the point. Are you an idiot or an escapee from a
>looney tunes hospital somewhere?
>
>Is English NOT your native language? If not, ask me
>to spell it out for you. If it is, then go get yourself
>some remedial reading and comprehension training.
>
>Take a hike, Spike. Tinkle up a rope and nurse the wet end.
>But whatever you do.....quit blowing snotbubbles outa
>your oversized schnoz. That's sick.

32. Tracking Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wewald@ibm.net
Message-ID: <34fcecc0.1590203@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 168668

Check out http://www.webcom.com/autownet/freetrack.html for what looks
like a very well done tracking program for the BX895.
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33. FS: Diamond Mobile Wide Band Antenna w/ Amp @eBay Auctions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadioActive <jjga52NS@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6dcpie$4ec$1@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 168669
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

7-day auction: started 03/01 - ends 03/08

http://iguana.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7274722

34. Re: Tracking Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <BA5EE8E79653F3E9.EB2B62CEBC720829.8751E9C110F92C45@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 168670

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 23:21:21 GMT, wewald@ibm.net (Bill Ewald) wrote:

>Check out http://www.webcom.com/autownet/freetrack.html for what looks
>like a very well done tracking program for the BX895.

If you guys have any feature requests, please send them to me...
homeslice@bigfoot.com

35. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4575$a41d0f60$61dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168671

Hey Iwstirn, Just where did I accuse you of sodomy? Just because you two
sleep together,don`t mean that you have to have sex. Geez man, you must
feel guilty. Get your mind out of the gutter.
Charlie

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote in article <6dbv5k$666$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> In article <34f91928.17724572@nntp.ix.netcom.com>,
> geovet@ix.netcom.com (George Vetterle) wrote:
> >
> > On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 12:53:31 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote from his
> > closet:
> >
> > >In article <01bd409e$b9ffc740$3cdd0ad0@default>,
> > > "Charlie Dwenger" <cdwenger@hsonline.net> wrote:
> > >>
> > >> Your sleepin` with Mackey ain`t ya?
<Snip>

Your sophomoric post ignores the fact that Cheek and his clones accuse
> others of sodomy at every opportunity. Why is that?

36. Re: ICOM R-7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6dd03gcra1@news2.ispnews.com>
Source record: 168672

Check out: http://www.scancat.com

Bill Crocker

Fabio wrote in message <6dcq0p$4vv@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>...
>I need a windows program for control my ICR 7000.
>THANKS!!!
>
>

37. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4577$28aea1c0$61dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168673

Hey Mackey, got news for ya, I ain`t Mr. Cheek. Now go and apologize to
Bill for insulting him like that.
By the way, how do you like your new bed?
Sleep tight and don`t let the iwstirn bite,
Charlie

John_Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@NOSPAM.usa.net> wrote in article
<34F9D42D.3B53@NOSPAM.usa.net>...

> I wonder if this is one of Bill Cheek's alter ego's? He is making
> the same type of accusations Bill likes to make

38. Re: RF Damage?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Burch <Libertybell7@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34FA032D.91AB8118@earthlink.net>
Source record: 168674

shortwave wrote:

> Will operating a 400 watt amp around 30MHz. damage my scanner or
> shortwave?I have a discone about 25 feet from the antenna with the amp
> and the shortwave antenna is about the same
> distance?

Hi, I would advise disconnecting any receiver that you are concerned about damaging.
Back in highschool 1979ish... My buddy Jack was tuning up his HT-37 into an inverted vee antenna for 80 meters and i was holding the Pl-259 from the 40 meter inverted vee in my hand and received a rather sever rf burn on the palm of my hand. So yes, the induced rf between the antennas can be quite substantial. Just my opinion as usual. Best wishes.. Mike Burch K8MB

39. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd457a$b835c460$61dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168675

Mackey, leave George out of this flame. It was your little bed-warmer iwstirn that has been trying to get me & Mr. Cheek out on a double date & a romp on your new bed. I think your both pissed because we are not gay. George was just a witness who spoke what he read.
Now go to bed,
Charlie

John_Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@NOSPAM.usa.net> wrote in article <34F9D3BC.5593@NOSPAM.usa.net>...
> Usually George uses good judgement but recently some strange responses
> have
> been received from him.
>
> how interesting that YOU notice the same thing I do that Bill (& his
> buddies too)
> often accuse others of & talk between themselves of, strange/unusual
> sexual issues as if that is all that is on their mind!
>
>
> iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
> > Your sophomoric post ignores the fact that Cheek and his clones accuse
> > others of sodomy at every opportunity. Why is that?
>

40. FS: ICOM R1 & R71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Norman H. Malmberg" <malmbergNOSPAM@home.com>
Message-ID: <34FA0AC4.4530@home.com>
Source record: 168676

I have the following items for sale. General terms of purchase are:

All items are sold "as is", with no implied warranty. Payment shall
be made prior to shipping with postal money order, cashiers check (or
personal check with appropriate clearance period). COD arrangments
will be considered but are not to be assumed. All prices include
shipping costs unless noted. Shipping from Columbia, Maryland area
to US Lower 48 by FedEx unless buyer prefers other (US Post, UPS).
Items may be withdrawn from sale at anytime without further notice.

ICOM R71A
Original owner
Purchased Dec 90
32 Ch Scanning Communications Receiver
100KHz to 30MHz
AM/SSB/FM
This unit does not have PassBand Tuning
(10Hz tuning step eliminates need)
with IC EX257 FM Demod
with IC RC11 Remote Controller
with IC UX14 CI-IV/CI-V Converter
with IC SMR71A Service Manual
(with failed(?) IC EX310 Voice Synthesizer in box)
with original box, packing materials and documentation.
Unit is in excellent condition.
Spent most of time in ventilated cabinet away from dust.
Price: $500.00

for more details see

http://members.home.com/malmberg/r71.htm

ICOM R1
Original owner
Purchased May 91
100 Ch Scanning Hand-held Communications Receiver
100KHz to 1300MHz
AM/NFM/WFM
with IC LC57 Soft Case (showing wear, but has protected unit)
with IC 150-FA430BB 430MHz Antenna
(this antenna has smaller profile than stock antenna)
with original box, packing materials and documentation.
Unit is in excellent condition.
Spent most of time running from AC
(battery discharged approx. twice per month).
Early production unit of this model. This radio does exhibit

poor selectivity, but size is astonishing (especially seven years ago).
Unit will perform well even in crowded RF environments, however,
selection of key frequencies may be necessary, especially if near
transmitter sites. Unit is continuous coverage 100KHz to 1300MHz.
Price: $275.00

for more details see

http://members.home.com/malmberg/r1.htm

<<Remove NOSPAM from reply address>>
--
Norman H. Malmberg
malmbergNOSPAM@home.com

41. Used Scanner Price Guide

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <34FA0C9B.6E0C@prodigy.net>
Source record: 168677
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

The February update has now been posted. Check it out at
http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/home.html

42. CARMA Newsletter online

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam.n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <NoSpam.n9jig-ya023080000103981936040001@news.theramp.net>
Source record: 168678

The March 1998 CARMA (Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association) Newsletter
is now available from the CARM Web Site at
http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

It may be read online or downloaded as text.

Enjoy!

--
* Rich Carlson, N9JIG (n9jig@theramp.net) *

Illinois Highway Page: http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html

43. !!!!!THE CHAT ROOM IS NOW OPEN!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jason <outrun@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6dd9oh$4kj$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 168679

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COME AND CHAT NOW! IRC.DALNET #SCANNING
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44. FS SC150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Kerlin <kerlin@ligtel.com>
Message-ID: <34fa2ea4.0@newsread.cioe.com>
Source record: 168680

Hello, and thanks for reading this. I have for sale a Uniden Sportcat SC150.
12 bands, 100 memories. Color black, with leather carry case. Like new cond.
$125.00 including shipping in cont. USA

Ron Kerlin
KB9LSH
Phone: (219) 856-2921
Email: kerlin@ligtel.com

45. Re: kenwood in dash scanner WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <34FA3CA3.3CD0@nidlink.com>
Source record: 168681

Pre-installed User wrote:
>
> HELLO
>
> I LOST INFO ON THE TYPE SCANNER THAT GOES IN DASH THAT KENWOOD BUILT A YEAR
> AGO OR SO SOMETHING LIKE R-100 ??? ANY INFO WOULD BE
> APRECATED..
>
> THANKS
>
> n0mnb@minn.net

If you are thinking of the RZ-1, they are much older than "a year or
so." I think they have been out of production for 3 or 4 years --
possibly longer.

David, WA7ZYQ

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_____
While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

46. Re: Pro-64 Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access5.digex.net
Message-ID: <6ddaru$4eg@access5.digex.net>
Source record: 168682

In article <19980301183600.NAA12350@ladder02.news.aol.com>,
CiBeRChiLD <ciberchild@aol.com> wrote:

>I recently bought a Pro-64 from Radio Shack. I was wondering if anyowe knows if
>there is any Mods such as Memory increasing, search speed, cellular, or any
>others? Where can I get them? Thanks in advance!

Check out Bill Cheek's site for a list of what is possible:

http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek/

A recent issue of Bill's "World Scanner Report" was devoted to the PRO-64.
You might want to buy a copy of that.

BTW, cell phone reception is *not* possible with the PRO-64.

Ken Plotkin

47. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toll Free <da_kang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6ddd4t$o6d$1@news1.iamerica.net>
Source record: 168683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace

Chuck, piece of advice....

Leave the N/G out of your commercial interests. people don't want to waste the bandwidth it takes to download your commercials. Most of the stuff that has to do with a commercial venture on this N/G has to do with someone asking "Have you dealt with so and so", or "How was your dealings with this person". Not "Hey I am in the CB business.... Come and see". If your prices are good, then people will flock.

Toll Free

48. Re: 10.7Mhz output mod for BC9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckm@zocalo.com
Message-ID: <chuckm-0103982202430001@157.22.200.2>
Source record: 168684

In article <6ddfhbnse1@news.monmouth.com>, "Aaron Ceraldi"
<ceraldi@albany.net> wrote:

> Is there a way to modify my BC9000XLT to add a 10.7mhz output jack for
> running aa AOR spectrum anilizer ?

First, get a schematic and service notes.
Then, find the point where the 10.7 MHz signal goes into the mixer to be converted to the second IF at 455 KHz. The 10.7 input to the mixer is where you want to tap your signal. Couple it thru a .1 or .2 Mfd cap to the center pin of an RCA jack mounted on the rear of the chassis. Be sure that the shell of the jack is grounded.
Try contacting Bill Cheek at bcheek@san.rr.com and see what he says... Regardless of all the crap in the NG's about him he seems to know his stuff about radios.
Please let us know if you get the AOR analyser working. I'm curious about the machine and whether it could be used on a PRO 2006.
Good Signals,
-- Chuck

49. Re: Frequencies for Oakland Center & Bay Approach?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Earl <ecwjrREMOVE@pacbell.com>
Message-ID: <34FA4C9B.719C@pacbell.com>
Source record: 168685
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hey Bob,
The freqs at airnav.com are the ones that are being used for the most
part. I do know that their are a couple of them that aren't included,
but they say what freqs to switch to over the air.

--
If you are ever in Las Vegas, Go and see LORETTA HOLLOWAY
She is a true DIVA!!!
http://www.lorettaholloway.com
Robert H. Eisner wrote:
>
> Hi All,
>
> Does anyone have a complete list of frequencies for Oakland
> Center and Bay Approach (in San Franscisco Bay area)?
>
> Please note that I've already obtained the frequencies for
> San Francisco (SFO), San Jose (SJC) and Oakland (OAK) from
> the AirNav site (http://www.airnav.com) and don't need those.
>
> Thanks,
> Bob

50. Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FA6153.2A32@usa.net>
Source record: 168686

Let's keep the on topic messages ON TOPIC. Let's keep the off
topic messages, OFF. Let's stay accurate to our subject
& if it is off subject then let's NOT post it!

Thus our newsgroup reading will be more enjoyable for all!

thanks

51. Re: OCD affecting Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bud.jamison@thekat.cts.com
Message-ID: <9803020600031226@thekat.cts.com>
Source record: 168687

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-> From: Jeff <jharris4@bellsouth.net>
-> Subject: OCD affecting Cheek
->
-> It has been determined that Bill Cheek suffers from OCD ( Obsessive
-> Compulsive Disorder ).
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SO, you're admitting publically that you've hacking into his Doctor's private files? Or are you just 'blowing smoke'?

52. Re: Bearcats or Radio Shack trunktrackers??? Advice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bud.jamison@thekat.cts.com
Message-ID: <9803020600031227@thekat.cts.com>
Source record: 168688

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-> From: zorro@aoi.com
-> Subject: Re: Bearcats or Radio Shack trunktrackers??? Advice?
->
-> don't get a base trunktracker scanner, you'll regret it. with a
-> handheld, you get the same scanner with the exception that you can
-> take it w/ you when you are out of town, vacations, etc........
-> I have a pro-90 and i love it..

A) With the Pro-90, you paid more, AND got only one battery. It's hard
to take YOUR views seriously just based on that.

B) The base TT has a signal strength meter, tuning dial, CTCSS
capability, and more. It's a FAR better radio overall.
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53. CHICKEN MEAT IN THE PRO-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301002800.TAA07345@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168739

I HEAR THAT IF YOU PUT COOKED CHICKEN MEAT IN SOME RADIO SHACK SCANNERS YOU COULD GET THE SPACE SHUTTLE COMMUNICATIONS.

54. Re: Radio Shack Pro-90 Trunk Tracker Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: zippy@usit.net
Message-ID: <34f8ab10.263453641@news.i-plus.net>
Source record: 168740

I could take it back, except the BC235xlt also block cellular frequencies.....If you have any INFO, let me know, I would appreciate.On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 19:35:15 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>zippy@usit.net wrote:
>
>> Does anybody know how I can modify my Pro-90 so I can pick up cell
>> phones?
>
>Trade it off or sell it and get a scanner that
>CAN pick up cellular.
>

55. Cellular Frequencies and Trunk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: zippy@usit.net
Message-ID: <34f8ab80.263565963@news.i-plus.net>
Source record: 168741

Is there any portable scanner out there that can trunk and also pick
up cell frequencies? the Pro-90 and the BC235xlt are trunk trackers
but they both block the cellular frequencies....Anybody out there?????

56. scout or cub

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Thompson <rayt@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6daa9m$k7m$2@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 168742

hi I am currently the proud owner of an aor 2700 and I was thinking about purchasing something that will pick any frequencies that are been transmitted in the local area.
But I don't know which is the best one the scout is nearly £250 more than the cub and to me it doesn't seem that much better.
I would also like to Know how effective these machines are i.e.. will it pick up aircraft that are within scanning range that are transmitting to local airports?
If you could help me please e-mail me at rayt@globalnet.co.uk
Thanks phill

57. test only

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: annonymous <ensapho@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <01bd44a9$9414e100$c0f3aecc@fred>
Source record: 168743

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sorry just a test
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no exit
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58. Re: CHICKEN MEAT IN THE PRO-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: billspang@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301014000.UAA19152@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168744

>Fishbags said:

>I HEAR THAT IF YOU PUT COOKED CHICKEN MEAT IN SOME RADIO SHACK SCANNERS YOU
>COULD GET THE SPACE SHUTTLE COMMUNICATIONS.
>
>

No! That mod never did work correctly, the key to the space shuttle mod is to use chicken BONES. More specifically; you need to replace D502 with a properly sized chicken bone.

59. Re: Larry Murphy, you have 48 hours....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: schertzer@ns.sympatico.ca
Message-ID: <6dages$5hg$1@news21.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 168745
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

In article <34F8BB00.9DBD5866@intrepid.net>
"Mark G. Taylor" <N3TEL@intrepid.net> wrote:

> You have 48 hours to contact me, After that I will be reporting you to
> the US Postal Inspectors, for mail fraud. I Have waited long enough for
> either the radio, or a refund, or the insurance check.
> There seems to be 2 people named Larry Murphy active on this newsgroup.
> The one I am speaking to will know who he is. The one I am upset with
> has recently disconnected his phone, and e-mail service.
> I do have his Physical address, and will be sending some mail his way.
>
> If anyone else has any suggestions, I am willing to hear them.
>
> Thanks.

What wuz his previous email?

D.M. Schertzer
West Pennant, Nova Scotia
B3V-1M4 CANADA
de VE1-DAV

60. AOR 3000A F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmtmn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301030200.WAA03041@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168746

AOR-3000A Scanner for sale. In excellent condition. Comes with; manual, back of set antenna, mobile mounting bracket, wall power supply. ->Dan

61. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <34f8d466.5439103@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 168747
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 21:27:16 -0500, Charles Adkins
<chuck@chucks2way.com> wrote:

>Check out these HOT SPECIALS! If you wanna order call US at 1-313-389-7189,
>Don't delay! as these prices won't last forever!
>
>Take Care,

Business so bad ya gotta start spamming now Chuckie?...geez

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

62. Re: LAPD Hollywood shootout audio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hjwilner@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301032301.WAA11893@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168748

It was somthing to hear.. I heard it real time too... Scary for the people involved..

63. NF2G Scannist Pages - Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6daljo$17vq$1@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 168749

The following geographical areas are now listed on the
NF2G Scannist Pages at www.ggw.org/nf2g -

Metro Toronto
Niagara Regional Municipality
Ottawa-Carleton Region
Peel Region
York Region

This is in addition to the Upstate NY info already in
progress. Corrections and additions are welcome, and
more pages are under construction.

73 de Dave, NF2G

64. Re: New Orleans Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsprine@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301040900.XAA14560@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168750

From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Date: Sat, Feb 28, 1998 21:10 EST
Message-id: <34F8C37E.75DE@c-com.net>

>right.
>ah, I'm just kidden N.O. is a fine town to party in.

It's a lot of fun to police in, too. You should have been here on the 24th...people seem to forget there's a New Orleans the other 50 weeks of the year.

James S. Prine
http://www.prinebooks.com

65. Re: What does KMA mean?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "michael.derryberry" <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bd44ce$2aaa5680$0b1337a6@default>
Source record: 168751

LAPD's old call letters were KMA367. I think it was short for that and has
just held on over the years.

Mike

Mark <mtaustin@onr.com> wrote in article <01bd4333$44f2d540$310cc8cf@hp>...
> If you will recall the old television series Rescue 51, each time the
squad
> was dispatched on a call the boss would say KMA on the station radio
before
> they left on the call.
> Beats me?
> mark
>
> Big Daddy <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com> wrote in article
> <6cooke$k6v@argentina.earthlink.net>...
> KISS MY ASS
>
> became really popular during Mayor McCheese's five year reign over the
> LAPD.
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>

66. Writing BC895 software - any suggestions? (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <76AAF04BE7CCC4A1.C4BC055FB85B9E77.1878B974C9904D45@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 168752
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I am writing a new program called FreeTracker - a Windows95/NT app
specifically designed for the TrunkTracker 895. And best of all, it's
free! Expect to see version 1.0 in a couple weeks.

Does anyone have feature suggestions?
Here's what is currently available:
(pics at: http://www.webcom.com/autownet/freetrack.html)

1. Supports up to 5,000 "Virtual Channels" which are like the radio's
normal channels, but add Callsign, Description, Color (for activity
log), Alarm, location, Ctcss, hit count, line, delay, and lock status.
VChannels can be scanned (20 chan per second) for activity.

Descriptions:
You can store Descriptions, Callsigns, and Locations for frequencies
or Trunk talkgroups/ID's. When that freq/talkgroup appears, a
description is shown.

Alarms:
A Wav file can be assigned (or speaker beep) to certain
freq/talkgroups, or a .RTF file that pops up while that freq/group is
active. For example, have all local police codes shown when a certain
police channel comes active.

2. PerCon database lookups from their web page (stored as html) can be
imported. (Dbase import comes later)
btw: Can someone please send a *SMALL* exported database file from
their PerCon CD? I need to see the format, so I can support it.

3. Activity log is color coded - you can assign any color to any
specific freq/talkgroup, plus bolded text.
4. Search Ranges - you can store up to 2,000 search ranges, and
double-click them to activate an immediate search of that frequency
range.
5. All BC895 keys are supported, allowing a virtual radio on your
desktop.
6. FreeTracker can be minimized as a TrayIcon, with a feature-rich
right-click menu for easy access to popular functions.
7. Database-editing in a simple grid. Click the record you want, and
change any value.
Menu allows selecting any record to zoom to that frequency.

8. Communicate with your radio interactively - type any command in,
and see the response.
9. Power users can utilize the quick-command box. Simply key in

simple words to change frequencies, channels, scan, hold, search, manual, etc.
Example Syntax:
f15189 tunes radio into frequency 151.890
c56 takes scanner to channel 56
Up arrow emulates SCAN key
Down arrow = Manual
Right arrow = Search
Left arrow = Hold
... plus about 50 more commands

10. Export all scanner channels/freqs to a text file, then import back into the scanner at a later date.
11. Complete logging to a file, or printing just about anything.
12. Export your VChannel/talkgroup database to a HTML file for posting on a web page.
13. Top 20 frequency hits organized into a right-click menu for easy access

Later Features I'm adding:

a. Scheduler - activate an event on a date/time, when a certain activity happens, or a specific freq/talkgroup. Anyone have a preference for what kinda events you want scheduled??
b. Charting of hit counts, time online, etc.

67. bc560xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stuart Watt <stuart@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <34F8F52B.3737@interlog.com>
Source record: 168753

How is it going I need to find out how to program channels and how many
Mhz this scanner is bc560xlt if anyone can help it would be appreciated.

68. Re: Phenomena??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: stmagnum@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301060400.BAA07316@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168754

>My
>new RS TrunkTracker base model Pro-2050 is hooked to an omnidirectional
>discone antenna on the roof, and I have it hooked to a RS amplified desk
>speaker. Sometimes I forget to turn off the speaker when I leave the
>shack and, although all of the scanners are OFF, there is output from
>the speaker...garbled transmissions that sound somewhat like digitally
>encrypted voices, etc....what is causing this??

Uhhh..... Haunted Scanner??!??

(Seriously, I don't know....)

69. G\Wiz Scanner Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bprivett@cybrtyme.com
Message-ID: <34f8faf6.48731724@news.cybrtyme.com>
Source record: 168755

Does anyone know where I can find a schematic or buy a G/Wiz mod to quite down an Ericsson EDACS trunck anti-scanning feature? Also, does anyone know if it will fit inside a RS PRO-60 scanner? TIA...Bill

70. Re: FS: Radio Shack 10 Channel Handheld Scanner - $5 - Auction!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: fyrman7263@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301062100.BAA04233@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168756

I will give u 5 for it

71. FS: RS PRO 2006 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: 2006_1111@ridgecrest.ca.us
Message-ID: <34f906d2.2063820@news>
Source record: 168757

I have a RS Pro 2006 scanner for sale. Cell and speed mods. Near mint condition wiht original box and manual. $350.
I can be reached at 760 375-2343.
GW

72. Re: CHICKEN MEAT IN THE PRO-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lindsay C. Blanton" <lblant1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <6db0e2$72k@sjx-ixn7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168758

Aw Man...

Its not a chicken bone....its a GIZZARD!

....a bone, what were you thinking?

The Gizzard will also allow your scanner to receive iDEN xmissions, Motorola ASTRO communications, and, of course, allow your scanner to trunktrack EDACS systems.

Also, as an added bonus, Gizzards also allow you scanner to decode DES/DVP transmissions as well.

.....so next time you see a gizzard. SAVE IT FOR YOU SCANNER>

-Lb

BillSpang wrote in message
<19980301014000.UAA19152@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
>>Fishbags said:
>
>>I HEAR THAT IF YOU PUT COOKED CHICKEN MEAT IN SOME RADIO SHACK SCANNERS
YOU
>>COULD GET THE SPACE SHUTTLE COMMUNICATIONS.
>>
>>
>
>No! That mod never did work correctly, the key to the space shuttle mod is
to
>use chicken BONES. More specifically; you need to replace D502 with a
properly
>sized chicken bone.
>
>

73. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold Lines <hlines@indirect.comxyzabc>
Message-ID: <6db0vs$c1u$1@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 168759
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

I had heard that they died, but didn't know the circumstances. I am so sorry to hear of this, but I do appreciate the post very much - thanks, Big Daddy. I hope that those who like to bash all cops will stop and think about these two brave men, responding to help someone in trouble, and losing their lives in such a tragedy. I hope there is a memorial erected at the spot where they died.

In sorrow,

- Harold

74. Grove Omni User Report

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301070900.CAA14941@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168760

Hello,
Well, I installed the Omni yesterday, and am very impressed. With a cable run of RG6 for 25 feet feeding a splitter, I am hearing weather stations in excess of 150 miles from my location outside of Pittsburgh. Advertised for 25-1000Mhz coverage, I find optimum reception on vhf aero and up into 800 to shine. Light and instant snap open assembly, the Omni is simply a dipole, cut at a high multiple for wide band reception. I'm pleased with the Omni, and can't wait to errect (love that word) my scanner beam.
Ed

75. FBI or Secret Service Freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Shapiro <matzoman@flash.net>
Message-ID: <34F92B3B.581E@flash.net>
Source record: 168761

Does anybody have the freq's for the FBI of Secret Service for the
Dallas, Texas area?????

76. FCC License Data Sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill@tiktok.cse.tek.com
Message-ID: <6db4im$jef@tiktok.cse.tek.com>
Source record: 168762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.info

[last changed 09-Oct-97]

The latest version of this file can be accessed via my web page at:
http://www.rdrop.com/users/billmc

FCC License Data Sources
Bill McFadden
billmc@agora.rdrop.com

Changes preceeded by "|". Please e-mail corrections and additions to me.

INTRODUCTION

This is a list of FCC license data sources available to scanner hobbyists. The FCC master contains a wealth of data about every non-government license in the United States (over three million records). Most of the sources listed contain a subset of this data, although a few contain all or nearly all of it. Government licenses are not administered by the FCC, and the data is not available to the public.

Also available are subscrition services from companies like ISI and CET. Since they charge by the minute, they are not really practical for the hobbyist and hence are not included in this list.

Prices are rounded to the nearest dollar and include shipping, if known.

C.E.T.

CET sells records of all stations inside a 30-mile radius for $80. (Major cities cost extra.) A 70-mile search costs $178. The data is provided on floppy disks and is available in ASCII columnar and comma-delimited formats.

CET does not provide data for licenses that do not contain specific geographic coordinates (i.e., mobile-only systems) or specific operating frequencies (e.g., amateur radio).

To do the search, CET requires the latitude and longitude of the center of the 30-mile radius. I calculated mine from a USGS topographic map I obtained at a local nautical supply store. Alternatively, you can obtain the coordinates for your town from the University of Michigan's geographic name server. Run "telnet 141.212.99.9 3000" and enter your zip code. For my area, the server returned the coordinates of the main post office.

CET can be reached at 800-445-0297.

CSP TECHNOLOGIES

CSP Technologies sells FCC data on CD-ROM. ScannerBase covers the entire US and comes with a database search program.

ScannerBase costs $34. CSP Technologies can be reached at 888-857-4240 (voice) or http://www.csp-tech.com/.

FCC

The database is also available from the FCC for free. It covers most services but not all. Sections can be downloaded, processed with a supplied Visual BASIC program, and viewed with Microsoft Access. The entire database is approximately 3 GB in size. See:

http://www.fcc.gov/oet/info/database/raeddf.html

GROVE

Grove sells FCC data on CD-ROM and floppy. The CD-ROM covers the entire US and is available with or without mapping support. The mapping version brings up a map with the requested station plotted on it. The regular version is $104, and the mapping version is $174.

Floppies are available by state for $44 per state (add $10 for CA, FL, TX). The disk comes with a database search program. Grove Enterprises can be reached at 800-438-8155 (voice) or http://www.grove.net/.

MICROFICHE

The Bearcat Radio Club sells the FCC master by state for $15. Bearcat Radio Club can be reached at P.O. Box 291918, Kettering OH, 45429.

PERCON

PerCon sells FCC data on CD-ROM. The Spectrum CD covers the entire US and comes with a simple database search program. Regional CDs cover subsets of the US but come with a more powerful database manager and provide more detail about each license. Also available is a Ham callsign and repeater database CD.

Spectrum costs $37, and the Ham and Repeater Database is $22. Regional CDs are $137 for the first CD, $102 each additional CD ($560 for the entire 6 CD set). Data is updated twice a year. PerCon can be reached at 716-386-6015 (voice), 716-386-6013 (fax), support@perconcorp.com, or http://www.perconcorp.com. The Spectrum database can be searched free of charge via Percon's WWW page.

POLICE CALL

This is probably the most cost-effective source of public service license information. The detail is limited, but the information that is there is often more useful than the FCC master. For example, an entry in Police Call that reads, "Portland Police, Net 3, North Precinct," reads, "Portland, City of" in the master. Police Call has been merged with its sister publication, Beyond Police Call, and now includes a limited

selection of business listings.

Police call is available in 9 volumes covering different regions of the US. It can be purchased at Radio Shack stores for $13 per volume.

| PRO DATA

| Pro Data is a database manager program for license data. It does not come
| with its own data but can import data from APF, Percon, ScanWare, and
| UFDBF database files.

| Pro Data costs $60. For more information, write to prodata1@gte.net, or
| visit http://home1.gte.net/prodata1/index.htm.

RADIOMAP SERVICE

Developed by long-time Usenet contributor Bob Parnass, this service provides a custom report of frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names for a specified area in any of the 50 states. Coverage areas of 4 to 256 square miles will be chosen by Bob depending on transmitter site density. Standard and deluxe reports are available. Both reports include a color plot with transmitter sites marked. The deluxe report adds a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area.

To create the report, Bob requires the latitude and longitude (or nearest street intersection) of the center location. Standard reports are $29.95, and deluxe reports are $34.95. Write to Bob Parnass at 2350 Douglas Rd, Oswego, IL, 60543, or call him at 630-554-3839 between 6-10 PM central time.

SCANWARE ASSOCIATES

ScanWare Associates has developed a PC-based database program called the FCC Frequency Retrieval System. FCC data for all states is available, covering all services and all frequencies. Current data is for first quarter, 1996.

Scanware has chosen to discontinue developing this software, but the good news is that the software and data are now FREE! It is being hosted by the West Virginia Educational Network. See:
http://www.wvsc.wvnet.edu/~fcc/index.html

APPENDIX

Here is table of data fields in the FCC master. Fields provided by various products are indicated by "#" or the field length, if known.

PERCON PERCON POLICE SCAN
DESCRIPTION SIZE CET GROVE SPECTRUM REGION CALL WARE CSP
Frequency (or Lower Limit) 16 11 12 16 16 # 11 #
Upper Frequency Limit 16 16 11
Callsign 10 8 10 10 10 # 10 #

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Service Code 2 2 2 2 2 # 2 #
Licensee DBA Name 40 32 40 30 40 # 40 #
Licensee State 2 2 2 2 #
Licensee Zip 9 5 9 9 #
Licensee Address 35 30 35
Licensee City 20 15 12 20 20 #
Licensee Name 200 100
Applicant Phone 10 10
Transmitter Latitude 6 6 6 6 6 6 #
Transmitter Longitude 7 7 7 7 7 7 #
Transmitter Elevation 5 5 5 5 #
Transmitter Height 5 5 5 5
Transmitter HAAT 5 5 5
Transmitter Effective Height 5 5 5
TX Antenna Structure Height 5 5 5
Transmitter Address 80 80
Transmitter City 20 10 20 20 # 20 #
Transmitter County 30 10 20 20 30 30 #
Transmitter State 2 2 2 2 2 # 2 #
Class of Station 4 4 4 4 # 4 #
Type of Message Service 1 1
Area of Operation 1 1
Radius of Operation 4 4 4
Antenna Type 10 10
Antenna Elevation Angle 6 6
Antenna Azimuth 6 6
Antenna Polarization 3 3 3
Antenna Gain 4 4
Antenna Path Length 6 6
Antenna Beam Width 8 8
ERP Out 8 4 8 8
ERP Units 2 1 2
ERP Indicator 1 1
Power Out 8 4 8 8
Power Out Units 2 1 2
Power Out Indicator 1 1
Emissions 15 15 15
License Issue Date 6 6
License Expiration Date 6 4 6 #
Operation Begin Time 4 4
Operation End Time 4 4
Number of Vehicle Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4 #
Number of Portable Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
Number of Aircraft Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
Number of Marine Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
Number of Pager Mobiles 5 4 5 5 5
Originating Database ID 1 1
Authorization Type 1 1
CP Authorization Number 2 2
Area of Operation Descript. 100 100
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Paint & Lighting Specs 33 33
Special Conditions 100 100
TX Latitude Direction 1 1
TX Longitude Direction 1 1
Type of Last Contact 1 1
Date of Last Contact 6 6
Number of Units 4 4
Reverse Azimuth 6
Path Connection Latitude 6
Path Connection Longitude 7

CP = Construction Permit, ERP = Effective Radiated Power,
HAAT = Height Above Average Terrain

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Bill McFadden Tektronix, Inc. P.O. Box 500 MS 50-350 Beaverton, OR 97077
bill.mcfadden@tek.com http://www.rdrop.com/users/billmc
CAUTION: Don't look into laser beam with remaining eye.
Any opinions expressed above are not necessarily those of Tektronix, Inc.

77. Re: Radio Shack Pro-90 Trunk Tracker Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: doctorsareGreedy@shaftEm.net
Message-ID: <34f9288d.110733935@news1.lig.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 168763

On 28 Feb 1998 16:20:52 GMT, jon27787@aol.com (Jon27787) wrote:

>You Can't...

FreMed stated:

Not yet anyway give it time someone will hack at least the base units
that interface with the cpu your using. Handhel may take longer but
it will happen even if it takes pirated chips! maybe evet a digital
filter of some sort. relax Bc235 and 895 plus rat shack equivalents
are the best innovation since the loss of crystals in the 1970's.
they have the cops on tatl guard as to making slurs over the radio in
our city anymore. Hope this releives y!

78. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34f91928.17724572@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168764

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 12:53:31 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote from his closet:

>In article <01bd409e$b9ffc740$3cdd0ad0@default>,
> "Charlie Dwenger" <cdwenger@hsonline.net> wrote:
>>
>> Your sleepin` with Mackey ain`t ya?
>>
>
> Can anything be more pathetic than a Cheek clone? Cheek himself has such
>a limited repertoire, like a dog licking up its own vomit.
>
> Does it take a clinical psychologist to figure out the personality of a
>man who accuses everybody else of being homosexual?
>
Methinks maybe you protesteth too much. Are you trying to tell us that you aren't? Maybe that is the reason for your hostility. It might do you good to come out of the closet. Confession is good for the soul.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

79. Re: Free diagnoses, while U wait

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34f92595.20905608@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168765

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 13:08:16 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

>In article <19980228010801.UAA10148@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
> teacher575@aol.com (Teacher575) wrote:
>>
>>
>> Who really cares why he is absent right now. Mackey is obviously ADD and
>> we do is feed his required need for attention. You people should get a
>>life.
>
> Attention Deficit Disorder has to do with paying attention, not
>seeking attention. If you're going to practice pop psychology here, at least
>know what the terms mean.
>
> "Get a life" -- say that's real snappy. Did you just think of that?
>
To be specific, ADD has to do with *not* being able to pay attention,
which I believe I accused you of. Quit using my material.

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80. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34f91f80.19348649@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168766

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 18:15:58 -0800, Dan Morisseau <dpm3@seanet.com>
wrote:
>
>MAlexder wrote:
>
>> Geez, that's too deep for me. I'm still struggling with figuring out why it is
>> that you just won't:
>> (1) stop fixating on Cheek's sexual procivilties;
>> (2) say something about scanners every now and then; and
>> (3) learn how to use a newsreader and post responses to their original threads
>> instead of creating new ones all of the time.
>
>Mike,
>
> You and I have crossed swords many a time; but you are right on target
>with this one! It is time for ALL the disruptive attitudes to disappear and let
>the newsgroup be enjoyed for what it is supposed to cover. Go get 'em, Mike!
>
>
I've had a difference of opinion or two with Mike myself but have to
concur that he is right on. I've tried to be more helpful with my
posts the last few months but it's hard to stay focused in this group.

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81. Re: CHICKEN MEAT IN THE PRO-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34f92711.21285799@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168767

On 1 Mar 1998 00:28:04 GMT, fishbags@aol.com (Fishbags) wrote:

>I HEAR THAT IF YOU PUT COOKED CHICKEN MEAT IN SOME RADIO SHACK SCANNERS YOU
>COULD GET THE SPACE SHUTTLE COMMUNICATIONS.

You've got it wrong. If you *choke* your chicken, you can get the
space shuttle communications. That is probably why you post in all
caps- you don't have a free hand to hit the caps lock key. HTH

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82. Re: Beta Testers Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34f92910.21796217@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168768
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 22:33:04 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

>In article <6cmrvu$460$1@news3.microserve.net>,
> tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
>>
>>
>> I find myself particularly partisan against Cheek because I was stupid
>> enough to sign up for one of his "Beta" tests on the PRO-43 and send him a >
>> few bucks for the plans.
>> I was full willing to do the test and report any and everything I found in
>> the test. What did I get for my money? NOTHING. He never sent me the > >
>> plans. Not even a postcard... I wonder how many other people he screwed
>> out of a few bucks.
>>
>> Tyler
>
> Let's hope people remember your experience next time Cheek puts out one
>of his advertisements. Did he respond to your post here, or did he change the
>subject with a lot of bluster?
>
I don't think that it concerns you. As I told Tyler, the matter would
best be discussed privately between him and Bill and not in this
forum. I haven't seen Tyler post recently but hopefully this has been
resolved.

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83. Re: Beta Testers Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34f92ae0.22260223@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168769

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 22:47:43 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

>In article <19980228211601.QAA11256@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
> malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
>
>> I'm still struggling with figuring out why it
>> is that you just won't learn how to use a newsreader and post responses to
>> their original threads instead of creating new ones all of the time.
>>
>>
>
> You mean ... like this?
>
The squeaky wheel gets the grease. If you persist, you're liable to
really piss Michael off. That might be unwise, particularly with me
on his side. We have often been at odds in the past, but I am in
agreement with him now regarding the status quo of this news group.

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84. Re: Another thread

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34f92eaf.23235636@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168770

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 22:56:50 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

>In article <19980228211800.QAA11697@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
> malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
>>
>>
>> >There could be a whole field of candidates, based on opinions expressed
>> >who should be here at all, and who shouldn't.
>>
>> Yeah, I guess you're right. I suppose that I should nominate someone who
>> occasionally responses about scanners. That obviously rules you out.
>>
>
> You only object to off-topic messages if they are anti-Cheek. You give a
>pass to attacks on everybody else. Am I right or wrong?
>
You are dead wrong on that one Sternum. You must be new to these
parts, tenderfoot.

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85. Re: LAPD Tactical Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: warrio9202@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301103001.FAA26946@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168771

Hello there just to let u know there is a book with freq's in it and its alot eaiseir to read then the one radio shack sell so far all i know there is one store that sells it and its called SuperSound in San Fernando it covers only :
Los Angeles county
Imperial County
Orange County
Riverside county
San Bernardina County
San Diego county
Ventura County
and Baja California

86. Re: Pro-51 or Pro-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: warrio9202@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301103501.FAA22005@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168772

hello just saw that u bought a pro-64, well u will like it cuz i have one and i have had it for a month or two and i like it alot and i have like half of the channels filled already, well have fun with it like i have

87. LOOKING FOR HAWTHORNE, CA. POLICE FREQUENCY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ak47@brionne.cyberverse.com
Message-ID: <888748821.537611@rodelo.cyberverse.com>
Source record: 168773
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If there is anyone who has the newest police frequencies for Hawthorne, and Inglewood California, please e-mail them to me.

88. Re: WinRadio or Icom PCR-1000 ? by G Hansen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wizzy <Wizzy@nospam.so.sodoff>
Message-ID: <6dbeo3kmf1@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 168774
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner

Ok Glenn, you win...

G Hansen wrote in message <34F859FF.46963570@usa.net>...
>Wizzy wrote:
>>
>> Go to Icom's web page, I have a PCR-1000, to many goodies to list, check
out
>> the real Icom stuff. FANTASTIC receiver,
>
>Which scanner(s) and or HF receiver(s) or transceiver(s) do you own now
>or have you owned in the past?

Currently still have an Icom R71E with G5RV and Diamond wideband vertical
antenna. Have owned Heathkit rx, some crappy VHF/UHF Tandy jobs...also
FT767, Kenwood TM-732E (still in use) which is modded for increased rx.

>
>> with the right antenna...picks up from 0.05Mhz through
>> to 1300MHz and is not deaf anywhere within those limits.
>
>So which antennas are the right ones? What are you using with your
>PCR-1000?
>

See above...the Diamond wideband vertical (model number slips mind!) has
built in masthead amp, and covers roughly 1Mhz to 2GHz.
The supplied Icom antenna with the PCR-1000 is totally crap, and is better
suited to be installed on a nice medium wave tranny radio!

>Details man, details!! :-)
>
>I'm sure there are others that would like to hear a bit more from you
>about this mystery box.

It's one fantastic mystery box I promise you, well worth having a look at if
you're in a suitable shop or rally...

>
>Thanks
>
>Glenn

You're welcome!

Wizzy - The Unknown Amateur from West Lancashire!

89. Is bander.com worth my attention ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephane.Schmitz@ping.be
Message-ID: <6dbffq$8ml$2@news3.Belgium.EU.net>
Source record: 168775

Hi,

I would like to hear from european peoples (preferably belgian peoples)
who have ordered scanners from bander.com. Mainly because I would like to
know if they had problem to get them. I mean shipping delays, scanner "lost"
(never shipped), because I don't want to be cheated, you understand me !

Thanks for your help,

Stephane Schmitz

90. Re: Audio Logger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jhgl_1@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6dbho1$go8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168776
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

> The ReCall audio logging program works really well as a standalone
> program and can be tried out for free. It is avaulable on the net as
> shareware and seemed to work quite well when I tested it.
>
> Steve

Do have a url for ReCall?

Thanks.

John

91. Radio Manager, ar8k, and ussn8000.aor???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Kellison <kellison@pldi.net>
Message-ID: <888752265.697651@nntpcache1.nortel.net>
Source record: 168777
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Will uploading the sys-data from ussn8000.aor to the ar8k change the search band entries in my scanner from the UK version to the US version? If not, do I just define new US search bands to replace the UK bands?

92. Re: What does KMA mean?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <34f956f8.5399531@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 168778

Silly me....I thought it meant Kick Mackey's Arse...

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 04:53:50 GMT, "michael.derryberry"
<michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com> wrote:

>LAPD's old call letters were KMA367. I think it was short for that and has
>just held on over the years.
>
>Mike
>
>Mark <mtaustin@onr.com> wrote in article <01bd4333$44f2d540$310cc8cf@hp>...
>> If you will recall the old television series Rescue 51, each time the
>squad
>> was dispatched on a call the boss would say KMA on the station radio
>before
>> they left on the call.
>> Beats me?
>> mark
>>
>> Big Daddy <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com> wrote in article
>> <6cooke$k6v@argentina.earthlink.net>...
>> KISS MY ASS
>>
>> became really popular during Mayor McCheese's five year reign over the
>> LAPD.
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>>

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

93. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: noone@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <34f95c94.143215826@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 168779
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace

I wouldn't do a 2 way with ya anyway Chuck, Sorry.
NOT even if you had nice tits. :0)

94. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dbp20$b8i$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168780
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6daodf$2kl$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, iwstirn@bigfoot.com says...
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>In article <6cmrvu$460$1@news3.microserve.net>,
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>> the test. What did I get for my money? NOTHING. He never sent me the >
>
>> plans. Not even a postcard... I wonder how many other people he screwed
>> out of a few bucks.
>>
>> Tyler
>
> Let's hope people remember your experience next time Cheek puts out one
>of his advertisements. Did he respond to your post here, or did he change the
>subject with a lot of bluster?
>
>

He said a lot of 7th grade words like poop and butthole that he is famous
for and never did say why he didn't send me the plans for his BETA TEST.

DANGER: NEVER SEND BILL CHEEK ANY MONEY FOR HIS "BETA TEST PLANS"!!!!
YOU'LL NEVER SEE THE MONEY AGAIN!!!!!!

BILL CHEEK = FRAUD;

Tyler

95. Re: Beta Testers Needed!-- BILL CHEEK>> FRAUD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dbpa9$b8i$2@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <34f92910.21796217@nntp.ix.netcom.com>, geovet@ix.netcom.com
says...
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>>subject with a lot of bluster?
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>I don't think that it concerns you. As I told Tyler, the matter would
>best be discussed privately between him and Bill and not in this
>forum. I haven't seen Tyler post recently but hopefully this has been
>resolved.
>
>
>George L. Vetterle
>geovet@ix.netcom.com
>geovet@worldnet.att.net

Sorry George, If you've ever tried to send him any email, you'd know that all
you get back are more 7th grade words. (with his strange attraction to potty
training and poop?... I'm not sure why...)

I DON'T think this kind of thing is best done over email because I'd like to
let other people know about his scams so they don't get screwed too!

Tyler

96. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <34f96bd1.10737520@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 168782
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 1 Mar 1998 13:49:52 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>In article <6daodf$2kl$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, iwstirn@bigfoot.com says...
>>
>>In article <6cmrvu$460$1@news3.microserve.net>,
>> tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
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>>>
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>>subject with a lot of bluster?
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>>
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>for and never did say why he didn't send me the plans for his BETA TEST.
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>DANGER: NEVER SEND BILL CHEEK ANY MONEY FOR HIS "BETA TEST PLANS"!!!!
> YOU'LL NEVER SEE THE MONEY AGAIN!!!!!!
>
>BILL CHEEK = FRAUD;
>
>Tyler

Hmmm....Maybe his Beta Test was to find out how many buffoons would
send him money in hopes of getting something for next to nothing?

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

97. Re: YUPITERU MVT-9000 Comments?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: shepgsd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301142001.JAA10144@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168783

The Yupi 9000 is a good radio but is very very picky about what antenna is used for the freqs you are scanning. Watch for serious intermod problems on 43-49 Mhz.

It is extremely sensative and comes with an attenuator built in... I also bought a radio shack tv-type attenuator with adjustable att. know for 6.99 and it REALLY helps alot.

98. Re: Need Freq. Info - (Name, Address)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <34F9772B.6C50@c-com.net>
Source record: 168784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Kleptein wrote:
>
> I am trying to identify the following frequencies in the Chester
> County, PA area for name and address. Could someone please tell me
> how I could find that info, or could anyone provide it? Thanks!
>
> 853.1875 BROWNING FERRIS INDUSTRIES
> 853.4875 HARRON CABLE
> 856.8125 MICHAEL KELLER
One more time.... The best freq. data base around is at
http://www.wvsc.wvnet.edu/~fcc/

You have to download the database engine and instructions and the
frequency files for the area you are interested in. It takes a little
work and a little intellegence but is well worth it.

99. BC3000 for sale $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ANDREWJ <andrewj@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4520$f31d5de0$0d91d9cf@andy>
Source record: 168785

Uniden BC3000 in good condition; 500 channels, no tone board installed but can accept one. works great.

$200 plus shipping.

email back to this message.

andy

100. Re: Union County NJ Haz-Mat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ScannerDude <rpribush@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F97DDE.6ABADA68@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168786

OK, but what about the Haz-Mat team? do they have their own channels or do
they use the PD frequencies??
Drew

Jim wrote:

> ScannerDude <rpribush@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
> <34F5D6C2.87D58F0A@ix.netcom.com>...
> > Anyone what frequencies the Union County NJ Haz Mat works off of?
> > Any help is apprciated, and im also looking for the Union County Police.
> >
> > Drew
> >
> >
> 460.4500 - F1- MDT System
> 460.1000 - F4 - County Police/Sheriff's/Prosecutor/County Crime Alerts
> 453.5000 - F5 - Police/Public works/Roads/Bridges
> 471.2625 - F6 - Police/Security
> 851.3875 - County Police
> 465.4250 - County Courthouse
> 155.8800 - County Operations
> 460.4250 - County Corrections
> 471.3625 - Essex-Union Auto Theft Task Force
>
> Enjoy,
>
> P.S. Get the NY/NJ ScannerMaster Guide
> Union County Section is 12 Pages long
> and includes 10 codes.
>
> --
> Cya (wwtbya),
>
> No spam address listed in header
> E-Mail: Turnkey@prodigy.net
> P* Classic ZCCN48A
> http://pages.prodigy.net/turnkey/index.htm

101. Re: Is John Mackey worth listening to???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan <bryan@bc.cybernex.net>
Message-ID: <6dd82mlq1@news.cybernex.net>
Source record: 168787

My rule has always been:
If you have nothing to say, then better off you don't say anything....

tdickson@seidata.com wrote in message <6d79kg$c0j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I am new to this newsgroup, So I was wondering If John Mackey is an
individual
>that a guy would want to take advice from. From what I have seen He doesnt
>know much, But then agian I could be wrong. It does appear to me though
that
>he likes to talk about anything but usefull information.
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

102. Re: CHICKEN MEAT IN THE PRO-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan <bryan@bc.cybernex.net>
Message-ID: <6dd8hc$o1$1@news.cybernex.net>
Source record: 168788

No, No, No,
Your all wrong!

You must replace the refrobrunobulax with one of Frank Zappa's Uncle Meat's
CD discs...
This will enable the centerterestool quadraphonic eliminator experience
higher fluid drops....

That's what ya need to do....

Amen?
Amen!

Lindsay C. Blanton wrote in message <6db0e2$72k@sjx-ixn7.ix.netcom.com>...
>Aw Man...
>
>Its not a chicken bone....its a GIZZARD!
>
>....a bone, what were you thinking?
>
>The Gizzard will also allow your scanner to receive iDEN xmissions,
Motorola
>ASTRO communications, and, of course, allow your scanner to trunktrack
EDACS
>systems.
>
>Also, as an added bonus, Gizzards also allow you scanner to decode DES/DVP
>transmissions as well.
>
>.....so next time you see a gizzard. SAVE IT FOR YOU SCANNER>
>
>-Lb
>
>
>BillSpang wrote in message
><19980301014000.UAA19152@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
>>>Fishbags said:
>>
>>>I HEAR THAT IF YOU PUT COOKED CHICKEN MEAT IN SOME RADIO SHACK SCANNERS
>YOU
>>>COULD GET THE SPACE SHUTTLE COMMUNICATIONS.
>>>
>>>
>>
>>No! That mod never did work correctly, the key to the space shuttle mod is

>to
>>use chicken BONES. More specifically; you need to replace D502 with a
>properly
>>sized chicken bone.
>>
>>
>
>

103. Re: kenwood tk 801 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: interc@globalnet.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f98089.133972455@read.news.global.net.uk>
Source record: 168789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

On Mon, 02 Mar 1998 00:28:15 +1100, Paul <paulgm@mailexcite.com>
wrote:

>I have a Kenwood TK-801 UHF radio and I was wondering how to re-program
>the frequencies. Any help would be appreciated.
>Thanks in advance.
>
>Paul.
>paulgm@mailexcite.com
>

Is it a 2 channel (no display) or 16 channel LCD? Conventional PMR or
Trunked?

Duncan
E17

104. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <34F9827F.782B@c-com.net>
Source record: 168790
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Mr. Fun wrote:
>
> I in no way wish to minimize their deaths, but I fail to see any
> reason why it would warrant a memorial. All sorts of people get
> killed trying to help others. While it's certainly a tragedy it's no
> more tragic then 100s of other deaths that go pretty much un-noticed
> beyond their immediate area. If it had been Joe Blow who had been
> driving down that road to get back to his grandmothers farm to make
> sure she and the neighbors were alright would you be calling for a
> memorial to Joe Blow, responding to help his grandmother and friend in
> trouble and losing his life in such a tragedy?
>
> On Sun, 1 Mar 1998 00:02:29 -0700, "Harold Lines"
> <hlines@indirect.comxyzabc> wrote:
>
> >I had heard that they died, but didn't know the circumstances. I am so
> >sorry to hear of this, but I do appreciate the post very much - thanks, Big
> >Daddy. I hope that those who like to bash all cops will stop and think
> >about these two brave men, responding to help someone in trouble, and losing
> >their lives in such a tragedy. I hope there is a memorial erected at the
> >spot where they died.
> >
> >In sorrow,
> >
> > - Harold
It'll just get paved over when they rebuild th road.
Now speaking of memorials what happened to the Lee Harvey Oswald
memorial? Don't hear too much about it any more. Guess the nation
lost interest.

105. Minneapolis/St. Paul Monitoring Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <nospam@spam.not>
Message-ID: <6dc0cg$s3a@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168791
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

For those of you who have an interest in public safety information for The Twin Cities, or if you will be visiting Minnesota anytime soon, please feel free to stop by The Minnesota Radio Monitoring Page. It details input, output, PL tone info and much more. Trunking information for The Mall of America, Northwest Airlines and Northern States Power has been added as well.

Please feel free to drop by!

Minnesota Radio Monitoring Page: http://home.att.net/~emw-1/mmp.html

106. Minneapolis/St. Paul Monitoring Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <emw28@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6dc0ho$t00@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168792
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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Minnesota Radio Monitoring Page: http://home.att.net/~emw-1/mmp.html

107. ONTSCAN - RADIO FREQUENCY DIRECTORY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronkatz2@home.com
Message-ID: <34f939a7.1214506@news.rdc1.on.wave.home.com>
Source record: 168793

http://www.interlog.com/~ronkatz URL change

You can now find the new home for Emergency Services Frequencies etc.
at

http://www.members.home.com/ontscan

ontscan@home.com
ontscan@home.net

108. handheld trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: zorro@aoi.com
Message-ID: <34f981e1.48761268@news.i-plus.net>
Source record: 168794

What's the BEST handheld trunktracker around? anybody know? any help would be appreciated!!!!!!!

109. OCD affecting Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <jharris4@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34F98302.15FB@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 168795

It has been determined that Bill Cheek suffers from OCD (Obsessive Compulsive Disorder). Some medical experts also feel that Cheek is suffering from schizophrenia. Sometimes delusions in schizophrenia are quite bizarre- for instance, believing that someone is controlling the schizophrenic individual's behavior with e-mail, or that people in newsgroups are directing special messages specifically at him, or they are posting his thoughts to other people.

It is important that we understand this debilitating illness and how it affects Bill Cheek. Please donate funds to your local charity which treats mental illness, in hopes that the general public can understand , deal with and treat Bill Cheek's problems and how they affect the newsgroup abroad.

110. Re: CHICKEN MEAT IN THE PRO-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <34F98129.1D02@c-com.net>
Source record: 168796

BillSpang wrote:
>
> >Fishbags said:
>
> >I HEAR THAT IF YOU PUT COOKED CHICKEN MEAT IN SOME RADIO SHACK SCANNERS YOU
> >COULD GET THE SPACE SHUTTLE COMMUNICATIONS.
> >
> >
>
> No! That mod never did work correctly, the key to the space shuttle mod is to
> use chicken BONES. More specifically; you need to replace D502 with a properly
> sized chicken bone.
I agree hole heartedly, think wish bone. I have two whole chickens in
the freezer. These will do two conversions. Anyone wish(bone)ing (pun
intended)to get one or both of these please send mashed potatoes and
gravy via e-mail to. Cluck-Cluck@gadthatoilisold.egg

111. Re: handheld trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: pntx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301155600.KAA17187@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168797

The only handheld TT is the Uniden BC235 which is also sold as the Radio Shack PRO90. They will only track Motorola Trunked Systems. The Uniden seems to be the better value as the price includes an extra battery and charging cradle.

112. Re: CHICKEN MEAT IN THE PRO-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: SirValence <fox@hen.house>
Message-ID: <34F98504.1897@hen.house>
Source record: 168798

Announcing new MDT1234 with Gizzard mod.

No need to feel cooped up! As Lindsay mentioned, the new software will decode MDC-4800, POCSAG, FLEX, iDEN, EDACS, CDMA, TDMA, SMR, DES, DVP, TEMPEST, and the rest of the alphabet, and will convert it to ASCII and display it all in Windows, all in the comfort of your own roost. And that just scratches the surface.

Is your soldering profiency for the birds? A new interface is available for a buck, buck, buck, so don't get your feathers ruffled.

Local police agencies are crying fowl, but they only have egg on their faces as the project has already taken flight. Hard-boiled investigators are reportedly scrambling to put a lid on it.

Don't be a chicken; download it today. Dozens of users have already flocked to the web site, and have been crowing about it ever since.

113. Re: Bearcats or Radio Shack trunktrackers??? Advice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: zorro@aoi.com
Message-ID: <34f98558.49648915@news.i-plus.net>
Source record: 168799
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

don't get a base trunktracker scanner, you'll regret it. with a
handheld, you get the same scanner with the exception that you can
take it w/ you when you are out of town, vacations, etc........
I have a pro-90 and i love it..
On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 00:23:39 -0500, JC <j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>Hi,
>
>First - thank you to all who sent me info on trunktracker options, it
>has been very helpful, I've looked at both the BCs and the Radio Shack
>models, which appear to be Uniden (?), price seems to be close on both
>hand-helds and base units.
>
>So, what is the general opinion on which to purchase, and pros or cons I
>don't yet know about? I think I will go with a base unit first, but I'm
>not totally sure on that yet either. Are there any PC interfaces or
>other goodies that would 'tip the scales' in one direction or the
>other? How about if the backlight will light when squelch is broken
>(this is a major frustration with the older BC200XLT
>I am still using for mobile).
>
>Again, any and all information would be very welcomed!! Since this
>trunking is new to me, I'm trying to make an informed purchase.
>
>Much thanks,
>
>JC Woodard
>
>again - if you wish, email me privately at j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com
>
>
>

114. Re: comparison of most trunked radio systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <spike@ripco.com>
Message-ID: <34F98CFF.C5C433C5@ripco.com>
Source record: 168800
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

BUT he states that he is a ham

hinkeydo@ballistic.com wrote:

> Mike <spike@ripco.com> wrote:
>
> >OH BOY another Fireman who thinks he is a radio tech.
>
> >John Frye wrote:
>
> >> In article <6claqh$9b4$1@news.iquest.net>, mtanner@cinergy.com says...
> >> > The Motorola Smartnet system I take care of has been up and running for 10
> >> > years and I can count on one hand how many times it has gone into failsoft.
> >> > Say what you want about Motorola, overpriced, too proud of their software,
> >> > etc., but when it comes to being dependable, I wouldn't trade it for
> >> > nothing. This includes my RD-Lap mobile data system. 73 KC4COV
> >> >
> >> > mtanner@cinergy.com
> >> >
> >> >
> >> >
> >> Good for you and your Motorola system. My opinion is exactly
> >> opposite. We have had complete communication system failures at our last
> >> three structure fires and our Motorola system is only five years old.
> >> --
> >> John Frye
> >> FF/EMT-I
> >> Canton, MA FD
>
> Unless I don't understand English, he was just telling his dealings
> with Motorola, not being a technician.

115. Re: This Poor Hobby!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <jharris4@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34F98BE6.47FC@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 168801

Bob Schwerdtman wrote:
>
> I feel sorry for the future of this hobby. A fellow comes onto the
> newsgroup and asks a simple question about a Sportcat 150.
>
> > > Are these radios a good buy?
>
> He gets a response of.
>
> > If you like a lot of sizzle and not much steak....sure.
> > Otherwise, no.
>
> What a magnificent statement! I am sure that answered all of his
> questions. If I was new to the hobby, what would that tell me?
> If you were new to scanning, (I have no idea if the person who asked the
> question is a "newbie" but lets just say he is) could you make a good
> decision based on that? How about "It is a good starter radio if you can
> get one cheap but here are some other alternatives." Doesn't that seem a
> bit more productive and constructive? Then a response about mods and it
> is off to the races. Flame after flame after flame. What good does that
> do? All this mess because some poor fellow made the mistake of asking a
> simple question and received a simple answer. If this person is a
> newbie, he would do better in another hobby then to get involved with
> the likes of us. With all of the talented people that are connected to
> this newsgroup, this could be the greatest place for info. All it
> resembles these days is a grade school playground.

You also get flamed by the same individual for giving any advice or
feedback.

116. Re: BC3000 for sale $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Varine <Witch*Dr@usa.nospam.net>
Message-ID: <34F98AFD.3CF9@usa.nospam.net>
Source record: 168802

ANDREWJ wrote:
>
> Uniden BC3000 in good condition; 500 channels, no tone board installed but
> can accept one. works great.

Wow, a 3000 that has 500 channels and accepts a board! Gee, my 3000XLT
only has 400 channels and won't accept a board!

S C A M

> $200 plus shipping.
>
> email back to this message.
>
> andy

117. Re: SC-150 Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34f98947.138267995@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168803

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Charles Simmont <simmont@extremezone.com> wrote:

> Well Mr. Cheek the only thing that appers to have a lot of sizzle and
> not much steak is you and your postings.

I see. Well, I am happy that you have at least
formed a personal opinion. I wouldn't attempt to
deprive you of it.

> At one point in time I felt
> that you were an icon of the scanning hobby and had made much progress
> in making the hobby in what it is today. Now I feel you are nothing more
> than an old sour man who has found nothing better in life than hate and
> discouragement.

May I invite you to RE-READ *your* first post to this
thread....and then you tell me what in it I was
supposed to find so lovable and joyous? Once again,
Simmont, I never did anything to you and never said
anything about you......until you opened fire.

Keep that in mind. Don't lose sight of it as you
nail your fine opinions to the bedrock.

> To continue in this newsgroup war would be as productive
> as spitting in the wind.

Spitting? I can think of worse things to do into the wind.

> My orriginal attempt to draw some common sense to the disagreemnet
> was not successful and seems to only have wasted my time.

"Common sense"? You have got to be kidding? So once AGAIN,
let's take a look at your "original attempt at common sense":

>-> Ahhh, I see Mr Cheek does not approve of the Sportcat 150, must be
>-> becouse there aren't any cellular mods for it and thus cannot profit
>-> from it in anyway by selling more books.

You call THAT common sense? Geezus H. Kriste, man, what
tribe do you come from where that kind of spew is common
sense? PLEASE address this question. You waltzed right

out into a hobby forum and took a potshot at my livelihood.

What if I did that to you? What if I did a little
research tomorrow and got on the hook to your employer
and besmirched a few little sweet nothings to the Head
Cheese? It wouldn't be difficult, pal. But you would
think that to be wrong of me, wouldn't you?

You don't play fair, Simmont. You think you can sachet
out here and take a swipe at me and that it's wrong of
me to take exception to it?

ALL I WANT YOU TO DO IS EXPLAIN YOUR BASIS AND FOUNDATIONS
FOR THIS VERY PECULIAR SENSE OF 'FAIRNESS' YOU HAVE.

> So insted of wasting anymore time in a battle of wits with someone
> who is only half qualified, I will choose to ignore your postings and
> continue on to something worth reading.

That sounds like another strictly personal choice. Why
task the newsgroup with it?

> If you choose to continue to bash me as you seem to
> like to do with everyone else, go right ahead,

How the hell have I bashed you? I'm still in the
QUESTION-ASKING stage, trying to find out where the
hell you came from; what high horse you rode in on;
and where the hell you got off.

And besides all that....YOU took a bash at me, Jerkov,
so why the hell don't you think you got one coming back?

> I just won't give you the honor of an arguement any longer.

Well, then, you are a yellow coward. There is no argument.
Not yet. I just want you to explain the fairness and
equality of your first post to this thread. Tell me why
I shouldn't take offense at it.

And then consider all the other points I made.....such as
how IN FACT I *did* publish material about the SportKitty.
You seem to refuse any and all points of logic that I
have introduced....and I have introduced quite a few.

You won't address a one of them. There was your chance
to get into a straight, sane, sensible discussion, but
OH HELL NO.....you had yourself an axe to grind from the
very gitgo when I made an unfavorable, but straight comment
about a Uniden scanner....apparently one that is a part
of your anatomy somewhere..... Geezus, man, I wasn't
talking to you and I didn't know you used the SportCat as
a prosthetic attachment. How could I have known?

> Hopefully when
> someone is seeking scanner advice, and you give it to them (God help
> them) they will seek more than just your advice.

I hope they do, too. I always recommend second opinions.
It's no skin off my nose, Simmont. I tell it like it is,
in most cases, and like I see it in the rest. There are
never any strings attached.

Now come down off your high-horse and pompous, sanctimonious
throne and explain yourself.....and address the factual,
logical points I put to you in ALL of my posts to you thus far.

So long as YOU stop the bashing that you STARTED, I won't
feel any need to continue it. But I do feel the need to
get to the bottom of this shit that you injected, and I
am NOT afraid to deal with it and ANY other relevant issue
RIGHT HERE IN PUBLIC. Why are you afraid?

YOU started it here in public. So let's finish it here.

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| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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118. F.S. BC 9000 xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dverg14@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301170101.MAA02433@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168804

bc 9000 xlt excellent condition. with cellphone enhancement mod.
all papers and box. $280.00 you pay shipping. (firm).
thanx, tony up state ny

119. Re: Beta Testers Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301170100.MAA02489@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168805

>Subject: Re: Beta Testers Needed
>From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
>Date: Sun, Mar 1, 1998 10:41 EST
>Message-id: <6dbvir$6ij$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>

> And the two of you are Cheek clones. That doesn't add up to much
>brainpower, in my estimation. Your "agreement" is to attack anyone who
>criticizes Cheek. Is that important for this news group?

I doubt that there is anyone in r.r.s. that would consider me a Cheek clone. And I don't think that it is my responsibility to attack anyone who criticizes him.

I certainly haven't spent as much time attacking the "anti-Cheek" factions as you have been attacking "pro-Cheek" factions, in any case. I'll conclude from that that you are much more intent on telling everyone else what they ought to do and reserve some special circumstance for yourself. It's ironic that you are engaging in the same sort of antics that you condemn in others. The hypocrisy is startling to say the least.

Since you seem to know what is important for the newsgroup, tell us how things ought to be around here. For me, I would say that posting a few messages about scanning and a few messages bitching about one thing or another wouldn't be so terrible. How about you, do you have anything to say about scanning or are you just here to bitch and cause trouble, because that is all you have done so far.

120. Re: SC-150 Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fa9057.140076704@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168806

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

wiggie@midusa.net (Wiggie) wrote:

> Well, you are both wrong. The Sportcat 150 IS mentioned in
> Bill Cheek's Book "THE ULTIMATE SCANNER". Look on page 36 under the
> topic "Ultimate Handheld Scanners - Runner-Ups". I see mention of the
> SC-150B. It doesn't go into details....but it is mentioned.

Damn! I plumb forgot all about that. But, yeah,
there are no details..... just a listing. I
would concede it as an argumentive point, though.
I really didn't write anything about the SportCat
in the ULTIMATE SCANNER book.

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| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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121. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fb929e.140659716@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168807

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

> > Methinks maybe you protesteth too much. Are you trying to tell us
> > that you aren't? Maybe that is the reason for your hostility. It
> > might do you good to come out of the closet. Confession is good
> > for the soul.

> Your sophomoric post ignores the fact that Cheek and his clones accuse
> others of sodomy at every opportunity. Why is that?

A search of that term suggests you are the FIRST and ONLY
one to use it and to introduce the concept. So one wonders
if you somehow have the stirrings of a guilty conscience.

Like George said, you should just confess.

122. Re: Another thread

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301170500.MAA03075@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168808

>Subject: Re: Another thread
>From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
>Date: Sun, Mar 1, 1998 10:44 EST
>Message-id: <6dbvov$6iq$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
>
>I know one thing for sure,
>you are among those afraid to speak against Cheek when he goes off-topic.
>
Believe it or not, I am just as sick of the Cheek v. Mackey thing as everyone else. However, if you responded to every single one of the off-topic posts by those two, that's all you would be doing around here. Oh wait a minute, that is all that you ever do. Never mind.

123. Icom PCR-1000 Alive without Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Jesson <jjesson@ais.net>
Message-ID: <34F9AC2C.2238@ais.net>
Source record: 168809
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Noticed the PC serial port has to be connected to the ICOM PCR-1000 or the radio shuts down. For just listening, I would like to stop the radio task and simply listen.

Maybe a simple RTS pin held high?

Thanks, Joe

124. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Magoo <nomejoda@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4537$06bb54e0$25ecaccf@default>
Source record: 168810
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace

I'd spend more money to keep the hair on my ass, then to buy any of those items!!

125. F.S. AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnsw@mhv.net
Message-ID: <34fa988d.1405384@news.direcpc.com>
Source record: 168811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a AOR 8000 Wide Band Hand-Held Receiver that I would like to sell. The unit is in very good condition and comes with it's
box, instructions, and all original accessories as well as NiMh batteries. The unit is also "unblocked" Price - $500 plus C.O.D.
Bill Johnson
johnsw@mhv.net

126. F.S. AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnsw@mhv.net
Message-ID: <34fb99fd.1773248@news.direcpc.com>
Source record: 168812
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a AOR 8000 Wide Band Hand-Held Receiver that I would like to sell. The unit is in very good condition and comes with it's
box, instructions, and all original accessories as well as NiMh batteries. The unit is also "unblocked" Price - $500 plus C.O.D.
Bill Johnson
johnsw@mhv.net

127. F.S. RS Pro-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnsw@mhv.net
Message-ID: <34fc9a37.1831204@news.direcpc.com>
Source record: 168813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a Radio Shack Pro-43 hand-held Scanner which I would like to sell. The unit has complete coverage and is in good condition.
Comes complete with radio, antenna, box, and instructions. Price - $200 plus C.O.D.
Bill Johnson
johnsw@mhv.net

128. Re: This Poor Hobby!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fc947c.141137641@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168814

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Bob Schwerdtman <Bob9000@concentric.net> wrote:

> I feel sorry for the future of this hobby. A fellow comes onto the
> newsgroup and asks a simple question about a Sportcat 150.
>
> > > Are these radios a good buy?
>
> He gets a response of.
>
> > If you like a lot of sizzle and not much steak....sure.
> > Otherwise, no.
>
> What a magnificent statement!

I thought so, too. Thank you. Short. Sweet.
To the point. A little humor added. Straight.
Yeah, it was kind of magnificent, now that you
mention it.

> I am sure that answered all of his questions.

Well, it was succinct and to the point. He seemed
to have appreciated it. You and a few others to
whom the reply was not directed appear to not have
liked it.....but then I didn't tailor it for you.
I tailored it for HIM. Everything I write in these
newsgroups is tailored and constructed especially
for someone. I don't know how to address and reach
everyone. I am not a good preacher. But when someone
asks a question, I tailor my reply to THAT person.

Not you. Not unless I'm addressing something you
asked or stated. Like now. :-)

The quality and quantity of my replies are more or
less geared to the Q & Q of the question. Some
people don't want a lengthy dissertation....just a
word or two. The questioner appeared to be one such.

> If I was new to the hobby, what would that tell me?

If you were new to the hobby, then you would or should
state it, right? He didn't. So how do you conclude
that he was a newbie? I can't. And I've been in this
hobby for over 30 years....going on 40. But teach me
how to make conclusions like that. I'm all ears.

> If you were new to scanning, (I have no idea if the person who asked the
> question is a "newbie" but lets just say he is) could you make a good
> decision based on that?

Huh? I don't know about you, but I don't have time
to formulate needless verbosity based on "if".

Communications are a 50-50 sort of deal. The questioner
is responsible for including as much info as will support
the reply. I addressed the man's question. You didn't
like it, perhaps, but just remember that I didn't address
it to you.

> How about "It is a good starter radio if you can
> get one cheap but here are some other alternatives." Doesn't that seem a
> bit more productive and constructive?

THEN why didn't you answer him in that fashion? Why
was I supposed to think and act like you? You and me
are headed for the races if you think I'm going to
sit round here looking to meet YOUR expectations.

> Then a response about mods and it is off to the races.

Well.......??? Whaddya expect?

> Flame after flame after flame.

Where? I'm still trying to get Simmont to explain
himself. The flames can come later. Right now, he's
running like a scared rabbit......so flames won't do
much good at this point.

> What good does that do?

What, flames? Don't be so shortsighted. They can do
a lot of good. But there haven't been any yet to
speak of. Not in that thread anyway.

> All this mess because some poor fellow made the mistake of asking a
> simple question and received a simple answer.

No, that is not the cause. Reread the thread.
I answered the fellow's question. Simmont jumped
in and attacked my livelihood. He was totally out
of order. No merit whatsoever.

But anyway, don't simple questions merit simple answers?

> If this person is a newbie,

If the dog hadn't stopped to take a poop, he'd have
caught the rabbit. How do you know that dude was
a newbie? If he was, he shoulda said so. He didn't.
So he probably wasn't a newbie.

> he would do better in another hobby then to get involved with
> the likes of us.

Maybe. Maybe not. How can you pretend to judge that
for HIM? Are you inferring that he is an imbecile
and needs a snot rag and a feedbag?

> With all of the talented people that are connected to
> this newsgroup, this could be the greatest place for info. All it
> resembles these days is a grade school playground.

Well.....that's your opinion. But one thing that goes
far above and beyond "opinion" is that YOU failed to
address the fellow's question about SportCat scanners
being a good buy. You didn't say anything at all.

Why not? You seem to have all the answers. Instead
of lecturing, how's about teaching by EXAMPLE ?

Why don't YOU waltz your heels out there into the arena
and show me how it's done?

I'll watch. And take notes. And be ready for a test.

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| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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129. Re: Beta Testers Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fd9a8f.142692980@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168815

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

> Cheek routinely posts his advertisements for "Beta testers" here in this
> forum, Tyler posted his experience here in this forum very recently. Why does
> it not concern me, and why should it be discussed "privately"?

I don't mind anything within reason discussed here.

The fact is we have no record of Tyler's claim
that he sent us a "few bucks". He's lying or
stretching the truth or is thinking of someone else.

For one thing, we don't charge money for beta test
participation. Typically, we ask for a SASE and
an extra stamp, maybe. Not money.

In any case, there is no record of Tyler ever
having contacted us, much less sent any money,
stamps, SASEs or anything else.

Tyler is a lot like you, though - horney for me
and wants some of me real bad.....and gets pissed
when told I'm not that way.

<shrug>

130. Pro-64 Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ciberchild@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301183600.NAA12350@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168816

I recently bought a Pro-64 from Radio Shack. I was wondering if anyowe knows if there is any Mods such as Memory increasing, search speed, cellular, or any others? Where can I get them? Thanks in advance!

131. Re: New to scanning - Help w/ scanners & interfaces

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <34f996c7.540897@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168817
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 1 Mar 1998 00:35:17 -0600, "B. Howe" <Claw_Master@hotmail.com>
wrote:

>I am just getting interested in scanning and was wondering what would be a
>good first scanner to purchase. I would like to get one for around $400,
>triple conversion, desk top model but is able to be run off of 12VDC
>supply, and with as few freq blocks as possible and easy mods to remove
>factory installed blocks. I live in Minnesota if that has any influence on
>the model of scanner.
>
>Don't have much time for looking though news group so could the responses be
>mailed to me. Thanks to those who respond.
>
>Brett

There are several possibilities that could fit into the
requirements that you have conveyed. Unfortunately to get something
new and be able to unrestrict the FCC imposed frequency blocks is
impossible (well next to, but out of the realm of this discussion)
unless you happen to be FCC certified or approved.

(1) If you don't need to have the full coverage (cellular) then I
would suggest getting the BC895xlt. It is a TrunkTracking scanner that
is made by Uniden. It can be had for around $300. It has good coverage
range (including milcom) and is readily able to be interfaced by your
computer. I just got through reading a post on the newsgroups where
someone plans to have a very nice freeware program available to run
this scanner. Right now there are several freeware, shareware and
commercial programs out there that are nice products also. I would
take the time to look at Rich Well's webpages. Rich has put up tons of
information on scanner's that he has bought himself or evaluated
friends scanners. There is no commercial backing...just plain
honest-to-goodness info. Look at Rich's pages at
http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/RADIO.HTM. If you just have to have the
extended frequency ranges with this...then you could add on a
frequency downconverter externally. When you upgrade down the
road...you won't be stuck with blocked frequencies again.

(2) I have a Pro-2035/OS535 and a Pro-2042/OS535 setup which I really
like. I run them under Probe and some other programs that were either
written by me or some friends. I have the unblocked OS535 boards in
these scanners since Im FCC certified and use them in cellular
communication configuration and repair. These scanners are quite nice
even without the interfaces. If you didn't have a OS535 interface

installed, I would suggests installing a relatively inexpensive interface called the PROgramit. The PROgramit allows downloading of the channels/frequencies from computer databases to your scanner. Another nice application is the IR Remote Control module that you can have hooked up to the PROgramit interface. It allows you to use your various remote controls to operate your scanner across the room and even control the volume, etc. I have seen the Pro-2042 marked down a few times and has also been recently on sale. I suspect that the scanner will be on closeout before too much longer. The scanner doesn't have trunktracking capabilities but there are some freeware, shareware and commercial applications that allows this if you have the OS535 boards installed.
OS535: http://www.optoelectronics.com/optoscanzone.htm
PROgramit: http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/
Probe Software: http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006/probe.html

(3) Another possibility would be getting a older model Pro-2004, Pro-2005 and Pro-2006. The latter two are capable of having a OS456 interface board installed in them and operated throught the computer. All three can have the CE-232 and PROgramit interfaces installed. The CE-232 interface allows complete control of the scanner through the computer. The building of the CE-232 interface and installation is a bit more than what the novice probably should take on though. It is unfortunate that some of the replacement parts for these scanners are not as readily available as they once were. That is one of the drawbacks along with once you buy a used Pro-2005/6 you have tied up the same amount of money that you would have in a BC895xlt and you haven't even started getting into the computer interface whereas the BC895xlt already has a full featured one installed and the scanner has trunktracking capabilities.
OS456: http://www.optoelectronics.com/optoscanzone.htm
CE-232: http://204.210.9.135/

Another thing that might be an interest to ppl that are using "mobile" units is the RF-Link module that is going to be possible for the PROgramit interface. You will be able to download frequency databases from your computer to your scanner while it is still mounted in your vehicle from a couple of hundred yards away....sounds pretty cool!!!

I think that you would be really interested in option #1. You can be up and running with a brand new scanner complete with quite a few nice features for around $300. Computer interfacing is only a cable that can be made/bought for a few bucks. All of the scanners that I spoke of are triple conversion and have the power requirements that you considered. All are nice units and can all be expanded/interfaced. Good luck with the decision making! Report back to which way that you sway.

Wiggie

132. Re: I would like a Scanner recorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <34faa34d.3747678@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168818
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 1 Mar 1998 11:52:46 -0000, "Kids in the Park"
<baldoggy@email.msn.com> wrote:

>I need a recorder for aviation learning purposes, one that uses squelch as
>its record button.
>
>Please help me find one, Spencer Holtaway
>
>

There are a few options about getting a Voice-Activated recorder. I
have been happy with a few shareware programs that allow you to use
your soundcard to record to a time-stamped .wav file. I would suggest
looking into that first to see if it works for you before I shell out
the bigger bucks for an actual tape recorder. I know there are other
vox software recorders, but I will mention RecAll and WinTone.
Registration of these programs will run you about $15.
RecAll: http://www.sagebrush.com/~sells/
WinTone: http://www.steaksandwich.com/

133. Re: Icom PCR-1000 Alive without Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6dca2tlil1@news2.ispnews.com>
Source record: 168819
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Joe:

The ScanCat beta allows you to tune the radio, close the software, and keep
on listening! I don't know if you can disconnect the serial cable however.
My friend has it, I'll check.

Bill Crocker

Joe Jesson wrote in message <34F9AC2C.2238@ais.net>...
>Noticed the PC serial port has to be connected to the ICOM PCR-1000 or
>the radio shuts down. For just listening, I would like to stop the
>radio task and simply listen.
>
>Maybe a simple RTS pin held high?
>
> Thanks, Joe

134. Re: WinRadio or Icom PCR-1000 ? by G Hansen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34F9AC2B.37649CB2@usa.net>
Source record: 168820
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner

Wizzy wrote:
>
> Ok Glenn, you win...

Win? what? A PCR-1000? Cool. When you going to ship it out?

> G Hansen wrote in message <34F859FF.46963570@usa.net>...

> >Which scanner(s) and or HF receiver(s) or transceiver(s) do you own now
> >or have you owned in the past?
>
> Currently still have an Icom R71E with G5RV and Diamond wideband vertical
> antenna. Have owned Heathkit rx, some crappy VHF/UHF Tandy jobs...also
> FT767, Kenwood TM-732E (still in use) which is modded for increased rx.

So the 1000's HF performance is as good as a R71E? Used to have one of
those so it is a good point of reference.

> >So which antennas are the right ones? What are you using with your
> >PCR-1000?
> >
>
> See above...the Diamond wideband vertical (model number slips mind!) has
> built in masthead amp, and covers roughly 1Mhz to 2GHz.
> The supplied Icom antenna with the PCR-1000 is totally crap, and is better
> suited to be installed on a nice medium wave tranny radio!

I always wonder why the mfgs put so little effort in the antennas they
ship with their radios. I have a never bought a radio that had a decent
antenna that came with it. Go figure. Guess they feel you already bought
the radio so they don't need to impress you any longer.

> >Details man, details!! :-)
> >
> >I'm sure there are others that would like to hear a bit more from you
> >about this mystery box.
>
> It's one fantastic mystery box I promise you, well worth having a look at if
> you're in a suitable shop or rally...

Promises are cool but....well you know. Thanks for the input.

135. Re: SC-150 Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6dcajglau1@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 168821

Oh but the Sportcat IS mentioned in The Ultimate Scanner book, but
it was mentioned that there were nothing avail. for it as of yet, and that
as it looked there would be nothing. But what I find AMAZING is that
Popular Electronics did a column on taping into the SC-150 for un filtered
audio, and a few other tricks that are VERY nice after done correctly to
the radio.

So, yes Bill "I show my true self as a child" Cheek you DID "mention"
it in your book, at least the copy *I* have. And see, you took care of what
I was trying to prove in the first place, any decent human could have gave
an answer (just as the other users said) that was professional and on topic
WITHOUT throwing down on me, see I DIDN'T insult you AT ALL I mearly said
that I "thought" Bill Cheek to be a different person until I came here and
now, I would rather use the book, and any reference to Bill Cheek as a note
to remind me of this arrogant, obnoxious, rude ass that he really is.

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73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

136. WANTED PRO-34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Legion <legion@oaktree.net>
Message-ID: <34F9ADBB.6B5C20F3@oaktree.net>
Source record: 168822

I am looking to buy a pro-34 if you have one for sale please email me.

POTI

137. Re: SC-150 Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6dcaptlau2@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 168823

Oh BTW: being is spelled like that not bein, and awwww, who cares
we all know you now for what you truely are and have made yourself. Thanks
Bill for helping me out and letting me know ahead of time, before I told
anyone else that you were knowledgable and had excellent dealing with
scanners. But, now that I think about it the ONLY scanners YOU have ever
uplifted is Rat Shack! So, hey, maybe you do know yor stuff.

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====----****----====
73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

138. Diskriminatorausgang

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fuchs Stefan <sfuchs@donau.de>
Message-ID: <34F9B2B0.3C7F3F4A@donau.de>
Source record: 168824

Hi,

weiss jemand wo man am Albrecht RL-402 einen Diskriminatorausgang
abgreifen kann??

CU Stefan

139. Re: SC-150 Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6dcbb3lau3@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 168825

Quote begins here----------------

Exactly the Sportcat 150 is NOT mentioned in any of your books and you
seem to have a certain dislike for the scanner. I think I might be on to
something here but no modifications for the scanner so you discourage
anyone from purchasing it...

Well Sir I don't think we need to get into a name calling game here or
any other childish games, but I do believe you were more involved in
this circus long before I entered my two cents worth.

Well where do I get off spouting my "brand of bullshit" basicly just
denouncing your own brand of bullshit which is nothing more than than
that. Seems that the problem is you just cant take a critic. Somebody
disagrees with you and its an all out war. Personally I know I have seen
plenty of the BS postings here and think its time that we all realized
what we are subscribed to this newsgroup for.

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CHARLES SIMMONT ICP509/DISPATCHER
INCIDENT COMMAND PAGE OF ARIZONA
ARIZONA'S PUBLIC SAFETY INCIDENT NOTIFICATION SYSTEM
http://www.axtek/~n7qyk/icp.html
--------------------quote Ends here........

Yes, exactly, I can say that I aggree with you and that it is a shame
I thought Cheek was actually an adult who could carry himself as such, but
he has prooven that to be a lie also. Anyway, to those other reading here,
I will stop posting RE to Cheek, and continue to read posts by those Scanner
hobbyists/enthusiasts who wish to get some "opinions" and ideas on diff.
models etc... and maybe we can have freqs. exchanges etc... and use this NG
for something worthwhile until Cheek dies off and we can get on with our
wonderful hobby.

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=====----****----====
73 de KF4UAE
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John R. Alley

140. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Shoe <nospam@honest.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4548$c7a3bb00$59a445cf@default>
Source record: 168826
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

This is a military police newsgroup. Two brothers, albeit civilians, gave their lives during the course of their duties. It does not diminish the heroics of non-Policemen to focus on these brave policemen. But on this news group the focus is on law enforcement personnel.

The Joe Blow you mentioned would have not been out the night these two policemen were. He would have been home watching TV "until the weather lets up". These men did not have the option of waiting for the weather to clear up. They had a duty to perform.

>I in no way wish to minimize their deaths, but I fail to see any
> reason why it would warrant a memorial. All sorts of people get
> killed trying to help others. While it's certainly a tragedy it's no
> more tragic then 100s of other deaths that go pretty much un-noticed
> beyond their immediate area. If it had been Joe Blow who had been
> driving down that road to get back to his grandmothers farm to make
> sure she and the neighbors were alright would you be calling for a
> memorial to Joe Blow, responding to help his grandmother and friend in
> trouble and losing his life in such a tragedy?
>

141. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Shoe <nospam@honest.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4549$00cce8c0$59a445cf@default>
Source record: 168827
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

With some of the recent revelations about JFK, they might revive the idea.

> Now speaking of memorials what happened to the Lee Harvey Oswald
> memorial? Don't hear too much about it any more. Guess the nation
> lost interest.
>

142. Re: Audio Logger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <34fba6ac.4610579@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168828
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 05:46:26 -0600, John <jhgl_1@hotmail.com> wrote:

>> The ReCall audio logging program works really well as a standalone
>> program and can be tried out for free. It is avaulable on the net as
>> shareware and seemed to work quite well when I tested it.
>>
>> Steve
>
>Do have a url for ReCall?
>

The URL is http://www.sagebrush.com/~sells/

143. Re: Fast food! :) best list around!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbrutis1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301192501.OAA20036@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168829

In article <34F4FE9C.2224@hempseed.com>, Revster <revster@hempseed.com> writes:

>How close to the food place do you need to be to pick it up on the
>scanner.

Usually just between a couple blocks or so. Their transmitting power is not
that good.

tbrutis1@aol.com
That's because the #1 Fan of the AA Eastern League Binghamton Mets said so

144. How to Find Scanner Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6dcd1a$5bk@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 168830
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HOW DO YOU FIND THESE SCANNER FREQUENCIES?

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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article are his own.]

I am often asked, "How do you find these frequencies?"
This article answers the question in various sections:

Books
Magazines
Government Records
Web Sites
Federal Radio Stations
Radio Clubs
Do Your Own Sleuthing
What Makes Station Identification Difficult?
Examine the FCC License on Premise
Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment
Examine the Antenna to Determine Frequency Band
Equipment to Determine Frequency Usage
How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example
Summary
Addresses

Books

The most convenient source of fire and police frequencies
is the Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional
volumes by Hollins Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and

larger book stores for under $13. Police Call Plus is basically a computer printout of FCC license information in the fire, police, local government, and conservation services in two lists: by licensee name within state, and by frequency. A few pages of local airport and nonsensitive federal government frequencies are included. Selected business frequencies are listed, too, but without callsigns and other details.

I highly recommend Richard Barnett's 1992 book, Monitor America, published by Scanner Master Corp. A 3rd edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. It is crammed full of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, national park, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. The information was compiled mainly from members of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now defunt. Monitor America contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call Plus, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Scanner Master also publishes regional frequency guides for Illinois, Florida, Virginia, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and other states.

Aeronautical frequencies are covered in the Aeronautical Frequency Directory, written by Bob Coburn, W1JJO. Although most of the information is about civilian aviation, Bob included sections on military mid-air refueling and CAP. The 401 page third edition is available from Official Scanner Guides (P.O. Box 525-NS, Londonderry, NH 03053). The same publisher sells the Maritime Frequency Directory and frequency guides for several New England states. Some of these books are available through Radio Shack, too.

The longstanding source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range. Since the US government no longer offers frequency information for its own stations, and has never published sensitive frequencies, most of the information in Kneitel's book has been collected from listeners over the years. It

is certainly not complete, nor 100% accurate, but is a good book for this difficult to obtain information.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Magazines

Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times and the sensationalistic Popular Communications magazines.

Government Records

Every year, the US Government sells FCC license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS).

These lists contain license information for the industrial (e.g. Illinois Armored Car, Pinkerton's Security, Joe's Towing, etc.), highway maintenance, commercial broadcast, aviation, common carrier, and maritime services, as well as for police and fire. For more info call NTIS at 703-487-4630.

Back in "the good old days," Grove Enterprises sold copies of some FCC microfiche files, and this was much cheaper than buying directly from NTIS. Grove no longer sells microfiche, but sells information on CDROM for $49 instead.

The FCC has an agreement with PerCon (tel. 716-386-6015), a private company, to sell FCC license information to the public on both floppy disks and CDROMs. You can buy the full license information for a multi state region or a less detailed license database covering the the entire USA on CDROM for about $100.

The PerCon Spectrum CDROM sells for under $30 and contains a handful of fields for every FCC license in the US. However, Public Safety license information contained in the Winter 1996 Spectrum doesn't appear as up to date as in the 1997 Police Call Plus.

Spectrum works in DOS, Windows, and Mac environments. One can try restricted sample searches of the Spectrum CD for free via PerCon's web page at

http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm .

Companies have appeared which are "plugged into" the FCC licensing system and they sell computer time allowing on-line file access. They also sell paper copies of FCC information. Washington Radio Reports is one example. A monthly publication, it lists license applications made to the FCC. A few members of my scanner club subscribe and share the information with me.

As I have already done for hundreds of radio enthusiasts, companies, government agencies, and organizations across the country, I will locate FCC licensed and selected FAA and CAP transmitter sites in an area of your choice, in any state, and produce a custom RadioMap(TM) report, including a beautiful 8-1/2" by 11" scaled color map, protected by plastic. The map is marked with transmitter sites, cities, highways, airports, military installations, national parks, etc.

RadioMap has been advertised monthly in Monitoring Times magazine since 1995. The graphical nature of RadioMap allows you to identify antenna sites and visualize the transmitter locations in your neighborhood, near your office, and other places of interest -- from VLF through microwave. The report lists frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names. RadioMap covers police, fire, local government, TV, business, industry, common carrier, railroad, trucking, and many more types of transmitter sites, excluding ham radio stations. Wireline and nonwireline cellular phone and AM/FM broadcast transmitter sites are clearly marked using unique color icons.

Industrial customers use RadioMap reports to survey the "radio environment" prior to installation of radios and wireless microphones at customer sites. RadioMap is used by the maritime and broadcast industries, as well as ham radio operators to solve intermod interference problems, and has been very favorably reviewed in RCMA Scanner Journal, American Scannergram, and USSN.

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Longer ranges for additional charge - call for pricing.

A custom RadioMap report costs $24.95 plus $5.00 shipping and handling. For an additional $5.00, I will include a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area. Send check or money order payable to Bob Parnass for $29.95 for standard or $34.95 for deluxe RadioMap report with histogram. Include your name, address, and telephone number, along with center location (nearest intersection of 2 streets, or latitude & longitude) and mail to: Bob Parnass, 2350 Douglas Road, Oswego, IL 60543. tel. (630)554-3839 6-10 PM central time. For a brochure, send SASE.

Web Sites

If you have access to the World Wide Web, you can visit dozens of sites with local frequency lists. You can look up civilian aero frequencies for specific airports at: http://www.airnav.com/airports/.

Federal Radio Stations - Not Licensed by FCC

Since federal government radio stations are not licensed by the FCC, they are not listed in FCC microfiche. In 1981, a group of 60 radio hobbyists split a $1300 fee, and obtained 80 microfiche cards of 'sanitized' information about federal government radio stations under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). (See "The Government Giveth, the Government Taketh Away", by Richard Prelinger, in Monitoring Times, July 1982.)

Only 12 of the 21 information fields for each station were furnished. Fields like "Remarks", which indicate the exact usage of a channel (e.g. "Sky Marshall's Net"), and "Bureau", indicating agency subdivision (e.g. TAC within the USAF), were withheld. These 80 pages of microfiche were sold by Grove Enterprises for $25, but are no longer available from that source. Private entrepreneurs have been known to ask $125 or more for a set! In a step backward, the US Government insists it will no longer release this type of information - it is now 'classified'. (See "AFIO and the FOIA", by Bob Grove, in Monitoring Times, September 1982.)

For a reason unknown to this author, the government released a 1984 vintage set of frequencies allocated to the FAA. Perhaps this was a mistake, because the information is marked 'unclassified', but all fields are furnished, including some which indicate security related usage. Grove sold this set of 33 microfiche cards for about $13.

Two way radio equipment formerly used by the armed forces often appears for sale at hamfests. Less often, Secret Service and FBI radios appear there from time to time, too. When you see such equipment, look over the radio for a frequency label and write down the frequencies stamped on the crystals or channel elements. Make note of any service or property tags which specify the agency or military base which used the equipment.

Radio Clubs

One of the best parts of the hobby is sharing it with other radio buffs. Trading information with other hobbyists about frequencies, communication systems, and receiving equipment is more valuable than a pile of magazines.

Since the early 1960s, I had been an amateur radio operator, and belonged to amateur radio clubs, but I never realized there were any scanner clubs! In 1983, I joined the world's largest scanner club, the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now out of business. There are several regional scanner clubs, spun off from the former RCMA, which hold regular meetings.

Another club which prints sensitive federal frequencies is the All Ohio Scanner Club. I enjoy its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, which is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of product reviews and scanning tips.

More information is available on the WWW page http://aosc.rpmdp.com and from:

All Ohio Scanner Club
50 Villa Road
Springfield, OH 45503

Do Your Own Sleuthing

There is a challenge in deriving new spectrum usage information on your own. Sometimes it requires several days of listening, taping, and compiling fragments of information. Other times, the frequency information is there for the taking - without hassle.

You can approach from two directions:

1. Listen first: Monitor a frequency or frequencies, and determine who's transmitting and what purpose the channel serves. Once you identify the user, log the information.

2. Compile first: Take advantage of opportunities, such as examining the frequency label on a guard's radio,

or reading the FCC license hanging on the "radio room" wall, to compile frequency lists, then monitor the listed frequencies to confirm that they are really in use. Readers are urged to abide by the rules of good taste and local laws in the quest for frequency information. Don't trespass, wait for an invitation.

Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

What Makes Station Identification Difficult?

In most instances, FCC rules require radio users to identify their operations with FCC assigned call letters. Police and fire departments, especially those with trained radio dispatchers, seem particularly conscientious about station identification. Like commercial broadcasters, many of these stations identify on the hour and the half hour.

Some repeater stations have Morse code identification circuits which transmit call letters on a periodic basis, insuring compliance with FCC rules.

On the other hand, over 75% the industrial radio stations monitored within the last year ignore the FCC regulation, making it difficult for a listener to identify a station. Some stations may operate for years using the nondescriptive "base to mobile 2" or "Joe to base" protocol. One rung up the hierarchy are stations that identify using something like "Acme base to 107", giving the listener a clue for his log. If call letters are given, they are often rendered unintelligible by operators who fail to enunciate. The failure to identify is more likely due to sloppiness, rather than any attempt to hide station identity.

While not regulated by the FCC, federal government radio stations vary in the extent to which they identify their transmissions. Some federal stations do not have call letters. A nearby paging transmitter periodically transmits a voice recording announcing, "This is the Army Joliet Ammunition Plant." What more could a listener ask for?

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy. I use two modified Radio Shack CTR-75 recorders, a discontinued model.

VOX recorders allow one to compress a whole day's worth of monitoring onto a single tape. I often leave a recorder "armed" and connected to a scanner at home while I am at

the office or doing something else. When call letters are mumbled, I can play and replay the tape until I hear and understand them.

If you don't have a VOX recorder, consider a device like the NiteLogger II tape recorder controller, made by Benjamin Michael Industries. It connects simply between scanner and recorder and contains sound activation circuitry to trigger the recorder.

The following examples illustrate techniques I've used to derive new frequency information.

Examine the FCC License on Premise

I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the Bell Labs security office and the guard shack at Waste Management's Greene Valley Landfill in Naperville.

Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment

Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find Dymo or P-Touch tape labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret.

- At the annual Glenview Naval Air Station open house, I examined a military manpack radio being used by dispensary paramedics. The radio's tuning dial was set at 34.15 MHz.

- The Illinois Army National Guard displayed two armored personnel carriers at the local county fair, each equipped with VHF-FM and HF-SSB transceivers.

In addition to a tuning control (VFO), the VHF-FM radio had a set of channel select pushbuttons, much like those in a car radio. I asked a guardsman a few questions about the radio, and he demonstrated the channel preset feature. A panel above the channel pushbuttons was labeled with the frequencies: 32.055, 34.45, 35.35, 40.55, and 40.60 MHz.

- An Army National Guard UH1 helicopter was displayed at the Marseilles armory "open house". The public was

permitted to climb aboard, and observe the instrumentation and radio gear. A channel plate on the instrument cluster listed over a dozen frequencies.

Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement. In New Jersey, a radio technician/hobbyist called to service a transmitter in a county building, noticed a new unattended repeater installation in the same room. Being curious about what frequency this repeater was on, he opened the access door to copy the frequencies from the radio's crystals. It turns out that this radio belonged to the US Secret Service, and opening the access door could have activated a "tamper alarm"!

The tech was skating on thin ice. He had nobody's permission to tamper with that equipment.

Another source of frequency information is as close as your nearest Radio Shack store. Some Radio Shack stores make a local frequency list available to assist their scanner customers. Be sure to ask. Stores located in shopping malls almost always know the mall security frequencies. I often check the frequencies programmed into the floor model scanners, too.

Examine the Antenna to Determine Frequency Band

You can often determine a transmitter's frequency band by the size and type of antenna used.

The Police Call Plus book contains sketches of antennas. Antenna catalogs are crammed full with antenna pictures and specifications and they are usually free. Contact Antenna Specialists (216-349-8400), Cushcraft (603-627-7877), Tessco (800-472-7373), Maxrad, Larsen Electronics (800-426-1656), and other companies in the land mobile equipment business.

Equipment to Determine Frequency Usage

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. Some models, including the Radio Shack PRO-2035, ICOM R7000/R7100, Bearcat 2500XLT, and Bearcat 250, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

To find the frequency of a hotel communications system, one fellow installed his Bearcat 250 in his car and parked in the hotel lot, leaving the scanner in the "search and

store" mode. He left the antenna disconnected so the scanner would only respond to a transmitter in the immediate vicinity.

Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, another spectrum analyzer connected to a receiver IF stage, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example

While scanning the industrial frequencies in the 150 MHz range, a van driver was overheard communicating with "base" while driving around my town. The stations involved never used FCC call signs -- this would have made life a lot easier for me, and legal for them! (one may use FCC license microfiche, described earlier, to identify stations using call letters.) Transmissions were short and infrequent, so it was decided to tape record all transmissions on this frequency for several days to determine the station's identity.

During daylight hours, a modified Regency K500 scanner was left tuned to the target frequency, connected to a cheap tape recorder through a home built interface. Using a carrier operated relay, the tape interface supplied power to the recorder only during radio transmissions, so a day's worth of traffic could be compressed into a 45 minute tape.

Each day, the tape was played back and notes on names, locations, and activities mentioned during the day's transmissions were taken. The van driver appeared to be making daily stops at a local bank and two shopping malls. A Walgreen's store seemed to be the only stop at one mall. A few times, "base" ordered the van "back to the Training Center." There were frequent references to "guests checking out", "dropping a guest off", and "instructor[s] missing a class". At times, "base" spoke with "security", who must have been using a walkie-talkie as his signals weren't strong enough to hear.

Was this a hotel? Calls to the three local hotels revealed that none provides shuttle bus service to the shopping malls. A call to the Walgreen's, inquiring about bus service to the store, drew another blank. During my shopping trips, I began to pay closer attention to vans with antennas driving through the parking lots.

I was leaving the mall one day, when a week's effort paid off. A maroon and white van, equipped with a VHF-Hi

antenna, was dropping shoppers off at Walgreen's. A sign on the van's door read:

XYZ Central Training Center (XYZ is a pseudonym for the actual licensee name.)
Lisle, Illinois

I watched the driver pick up a microphone, and listened to him on my portable scanner checking back with his "base".

All the pieces fit: the "guests", the "classes", the "instructors". Mystery solved; I had been monitoring the customer training center for a large computer manufacturer. The training center has hotel rooms and dining facilities to accommodate students from out of state. As a convenience, shuttle van service is provided to local shopping malls.

Summary

Through books, government records, and radio clubs, scanner listeners can make use of frequency information compiled by others. Two-way radio users often fail to identify their transmissions properly, making it more difficult for listeners to know who they are monitoring. By examining radio equipment labeling, and monitoring and taping transmissions, scanner enthusiasts can unearth new information.

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7540 Highway 64 West
Brasstown, NC 28902.
tel (704)837-9200
order line (800)438-8155

Official Scanner Guides
P.O. Box 525-NS
Londonderry, NH 03053.
tel (603)432-2615
order line (800)351-7226

Scan America
430 Garner Drive,
Suffield, OH 44260-1557

Scanner Master,
PO Box 428
Newton Highlands, MA 02161.
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BUYING A USED SCANNER RADIO

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Abstract

This article discusses the purchase of used scanner radios
and includes these topics:

1. Motivation for buying a used scanner
2. A used scanner may be a broken scanner - where to get
it fixed
3. Evolution of the scanner
4. Obtaining crystals
5. Keyboard programmable scanners

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for
Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

Anybody with enough money can buy a brand new scanner, but
you can save lots of money if you get a good deal on a used
scanner. Hamfests are probably the best place to find used
radios, but you must be familiar with the equipment.
Hamfests are repleat with older radios you won't see in
today's catalogs.

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor
receivers of various brands in my collection. I purchase
most of my receivers at hamfests or horsetrade with other

radio hobbyists.

A Used Scanner May be a Broken Scanner

Getting a bargain is not without some risk. I have had sellers look me square in the eye and tell me their radio worked fine -- when it really didn't.

Buying a used portable scanner is riskier than buying a mobile or base model. Portable scanners are subject to more physical abuse and many have been dropped. If a radio has been dropped, the laws of probability dictate that the first point of impact was probably a corner, so be sure to examine each corner for evidence of trauma.

Scanners used in mobile service are subject to vibration, dust, and temperature extremes. This shouldn't dissuade you from buying a used mobile scanner, but be aware of possible complications.

You should have some recourse if the radio you buy turns out to be defective. For hints on fixing older Bearcat base scanners, see "Tips for Fixing Bearcat Scanners," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in March 1996 Monitoring Times magazine.

If you can't fix the radio yourself, you can pay to have the manufacturer or a service clinic repair it for you. Radio Shack repairs scanners, and Uniden can repair newer Bearcat models but often refuses to service older models, claiming they are "unrepairable" and carving the letter "U" on the cabinet.

G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts and crystals for several older models. They usually don't repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation, (317)326-4419, is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 251 N. 300 W. Greenfield, IN 46140-8496.

Evolution of the Scanner

It helps to understand some scanner history before shopping for a used scanner. You will likely see radios from many vintages at a hamfest, and should avoid buying early units unless you are a scanner collector.

One of the earliest ancestors to the scanner was the converter. Manufactured by Tompkins (Tuneaverter), Petersen, Bearcat (Lil Tiger), Midland, and others, converters were made to operate in conjunction with AM radios. Then came wide band monitor receivers, in both tunable and crystal control models, like the Radio Shack PRO-2B. Truthfully, converters and tuneable FM receivers are interesting but don't work well by today's standards.

While tuneable receivers were in vogue, solid state technologies supplanted tubes. Better performing, narrow band crystal controlled units, like the Sonar FR-105, followed. These units did not scan, rather channel selection was accomplished using a simple rotary switch. Sonar even made a 24 channel unit, model FR-2513, in which crystals were held in a rotary "turret."

The earliest scanners, like the 1968 vintage Bearcat BCH, BCL, and BCU models, did not provide individual channel lockout capability. Electra didn't use the term "scanner" and instead called these innovative radios "business receivers." Other models, like the SBE Sentinel, employed a "Channel 1 Bypass" switch so a user could lockout channel 1.

The first scanners came in single band models, followed by multiband models. As two-way radio users started to populate the 450 - 470 MHz band, consumers were forced to pay a premium for UHF scanner coverage. Some multiband scanners, like the Electra's Bearcat III, required an optional circuit board for each band.

There were scanner mutations, designs which never evolved -- odd combinations of AM broadcast receivers with VHF-FM receive capability, like the flamboyant turquoise Sonar Sentry FR-103 portables, Electra's Jolly Roger, and GE's Surveyor series (see US patent 4,011,515, granted 3/8/77). Lafayette Radio Electronics offered a few CB transceivers with VHF receiver capability. These poor performers didn't interest consumers of that era and you should avoid these models unless you are a scanner collector.

The first programmable (crystal-less) scanners were difficult to program. Users had to look up frequencies in a code book and tediously program the information into the scanner in binary form. Some models, like the Tennelec MCP-1 (see US patent 3,961,261, granted 6/1/76), Bearcat BC-101 (see US patent 4,179,662, granted 8/4/78), and Radio Shack COMP 100, resembled Altair or PDP-8 computers, with a row of 16 or so toggle switches. Instead of toggle switches, the Regency WHAMO-10 was programmed by breaking teeth from metal combs. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. The GRE-manufactured SBE Optiscan (and its Sears clone) required poking or covering a series of holes in

plastic cards which were then inserted into a slot on the front panel.

Keyboard Programmable Scanners

Both Bearcat and Regency, as well as Radio Shack offer some good models. I would avoid the Bearcat 100, and older scanners made by AOR, JIL, Fox, Tennelec, and Robyn.

Scanner features often differ not only by model but by manufacturer. For instance, most Radio Shack and Bearcat programmables allow enable/disable of the delay function on a per-channel basis. Older Regency units permit the delay to be enabled/disabled only globally, that is, for all the channels at one time.

All the older Radio Shack scanners were made by General Research Electronics (GRE). Uniden began making scanner models for Radio Shack in the late 1980s, and now supplies about half the Radio Shack scanners. The older GRE-made models scan a bit slowly and have a higher level of synthesizer noise. Most have too much hysteresis in the operation of the squelch control, but this can be fixed completely by replacing one resistor. Good, detailed shop manuals are available for Radio Shack units for $5 - $12.

In the name of cost cutting, some models have done away with the concept of a "channel bank", i.e. the ability to select/deselect a group of channels at a time. The bank concept was a good one. It may be inconvenient to operate a 30 channel scanner without banks (e.g. Regency MX3000, HX1000) if you operate the way many scanner hobbyists do.

If you want to buy an American-made scanner, you will have to buy an old model. Until the mid 1980s, rivals Regency and Electra (Bearcat) built most of the scanners in their Indiana and Puerto Rican factories. Uniden, a large Japanese electronics company, purchased the scanner product lines of both competitors and moved production to Asia.

My favorite VHF/UHF receivers are the the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2005 and PRO-2006, and the ICOM R7000, R7100, and R8500. The ICOM models are more "communications receiver" than a conventional scanner.

For portable use, I prefer Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT and older Radio Shack PRO-43.

Obtaining Crystals

If you do purchase a crystal controlled scanner or monitor receiver, you will probably want to buy more crystals to

cover local frequencies.

Scanner crystals may be ordered from your local Radio Shack store or from one of the companies below. Be sure to specify the operating frequency you want and the brand and model of scanner.

Some companies may ask you to send a schematic of the scanner or require more detailed information, like series or parallel resonance, load capacitance, etc.

Electra Corporation stocks crystals for the Bearcat scanners:

Electra Corporation
11915 E. Washington St.
Cumberland, IN 46229
Phone 317-894-3229

Crystals for Bearcat and other models are available from:

American Crystal Co.
1623 Central Ave.
Kansas City, KS 66102
tel. 913-342-5493

Bomar Crystal Company
201 Blackford Ave.
Middlesex, NJ 08846
tel. 908-356-7787

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Anaheim, CA 92801
tel. 714-991-1580

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Short product summaries for over 70 scanner models appear in
a separate article, entitled "Scanner Radio Review Briefs."
For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass,
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Mar 8 (Sun) - Waukesha, WI. SEWFARS Swapfest. Info: Mary J. Adams, KB9IFF, tel. 414-358-1003. E-mail: mjadams@execpc.com.

March 15 (Sun): Sterling-Rock Falls ARS, Sterling, IL info: Lloyd Sherman, KB9APW, PO Box 521, Sterling, IL 61081-0521. tel. 815-336-2434, E-mail: lsherman@essexl.com

March 22 (Sun): Grayslake, IL - LAMARS hamfest, Lake County fairgrounds. All indoors. Admission $5 at gate, free parking. Setup at 6 AM, doors open at 8 AM. Info: Dave Gudewicz, KB9KDA, 5 Brigantine Lane, Grayslake, IL 60030. tel. 847-223-1088. (Small fest, but usually interesting - AJ9S.)

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April 5 (Sun): Madison, WI. Madison Area Repeater Association. Info: Jeremy Charles, N9VHT, PO Box 8890, Madison, WI 53708-8890. tel. 608-245-8890. http://www.cs.wisc.edu/~jeremyc/mara/swapfest/

April 19 (Sun) : Stickney, IL. Dupage Amateur Radio Club, Hawthone Race Course. Hours 8 AM - 2 PM. Setup 6 AM. Info Ed Weinstein, WD9AYR. 7511 Walnut Ave, Woodridge Ill 60517 (630) 985-9256 or check the DARC homepage at: http://homepage.interaccess.com/~geirh/ Talk in 145.250. VE testing at 9 AM. Hourly door prizes. All indoor space reserved with a special table pricing offer that ends March 1st. Tickets: $4 in advance, $5 at the gate. Tailgating, weather permitting. Outdoor flea market spaces free.

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May 2 (Sat), Cedarburg, WI - Ozaukee Radio Club Swapfest, For Information Contact O.R.C. Swapfest Committee, W58 N985 Essex Dr, Cedarburg, WI 53012-1439 or call Gabe at 414-377-2784 between 6:00 and 8:00 PM.

May 3 (Sun), Sandwich, IL - Kishwaukee Amateur Radio Club Hamfest, Sandwich Fairgrounds. Admission $6. Ends at 2 PM. Talk-in 146.73 MHz. Info: Bob Yurs W9ICU, phone 815-895-3219, email: N9ZNA@AOL.COM. see http://tbcnet.com/~jleonard/hamfest.htm (Nice mid-sized ham-fest out in country. Lots of tailgating. Few commercial exhibitors. Always a good time. Fairly good restroom facil-ities - AJ9S).

May 15 - 17 (Fri - Sun), Dayton, OH - Dayton HamVention

JUNE 1998

Jun 7 (Sun), Princeton, IL - Starved Rock RC. info: Debbie Burton, N9DRU, 1153 Union St., Marseilles, IL 61341. tel. 815-795-2201 (Usually an excellent hamfest. Unlimited space outdoor flea market, some indoor space, though few big name commercial vendors. Crude restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

Jun 14 (Sun), Wheaton, IL - Six Meter Club of Chicago. info: Joseph Gutwein, WA9RIJ, 7109 Blackburn Ave., Downers Grove, IL 60516-3925. tel. 630-963-4922

JULY 1998

Jul 12 (Sun), Peotone, IL. Kankakee Area Radio Society. Will County fairgrounds. info: Don Kerouac, K9NR, 6311 East Flora St., Kankakee, IL 60901. tel. 815-939-7548, E-mail: k9nr@juno.com.

Jul 19 (Sun), Sugar Grove, IL. Fox River Radio League. Waubonsee Community College. For tables, tickets, and information: contact N9UZC James E. Von Olnhausen, n9uzc@amsat.org, (630)-879-3042, FRRL, Box 673, Batavia, IL 60510-0673. (good, small to midsized hamfest. Modern rest-room facilities. - AJ9S)

AUGUST 1998

Aug 2 (Sun), Peotone, IL. Hamfesters Radio Club. Will County fairgrounds. info: Dave Brasel, NF9N, 6933 West 110th St., Worth, IL 60482. tel. 708-448-0580 (Usually an excellent hamfest - AJ9S).

Aug 23 (Sun), Woodstock, IL. Tri-County Radio Group. McHenry County fairgrounds. info: Bob Grosse, N9KXG, PO Box 3107, Skokie, IL 60077-6107 tel. 708-944-0500. E-mail: tcrg@hotmail.com, http://quality-enterprises.com/tcrg/ (fairly good, small to mid sized hamfest - AJ9S).

SEPTEMBER 1998

Sep 19, 20 (Sat & Sun), Peoria, IL. Peoria Area ARC. info: Jim Williams, N9HHU, Box 3508, Peoria, IL 61612-3508. tel. 309-692-3378. Fax: 309-698-8643. E-mail: jimeoc@worldnet.att.net, http://www.w9uvi.org

Sept 26, 27 (Sat & Sun), Grayslake, IL Chicago FM Club. Lake County fairgrounds. info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Ave., Norridge, IL 60656-3245. tel. 708-457-0966 (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

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NOTES - Computer Central and Giant Computer shows

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5 admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am - 3:00 pm.

Giant Computer shows are usually held at the Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or at the DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester Rds., Wheaton, IL. Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM - 3 PM. To get on the mailing list or get more information, call (847)974-3123. See http://www.gicancomputershow.com

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The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for
Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
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This introduction is intended for people new to the
scanning hobby and is oriented to scanning in the USA.
High level overviews of the following topics are presented:

Why Scanning?
Is Scanning Legal?
What Scanner Should I Buy?
What is a CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature?
How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?
Scanner Antennas
Coaxial Cable Feedlines
Where Can I Buy A Scanner?
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Where Can I Obtain Frequency Information?
Do Your Own Frequency Detective Work
How Can I Use Equipment to Uncover New Frequencies?
Scanner Clubs and Mailing Lists

Why Scanning?

Every day and night, scanner hobbyists are entertained by
what they overhear on their radios. Police cars, fire
engines, ambulances, airplanes, armored cars, trains,

taxis, and buses are all equipped with radios and you can listen to them. You can monitor the local sheriff and fire departments to hear about events "as they happen," before the news reporters hear about them. Hostage dramas, bank robberies, car crashes, chemical spills, neighbor and domestic disputes, tornado sightings are all fair game. In a single afternoon, you can hear a high speed police chase, Drug Enforcement agents on a sting operation, and undercover FBI agents as they stakeout a suspect.

How about listening to a presidential candidate discuss strategy with his advisor from a 415 MHz radiophone in Air Force 1, or a team of G-men protect him while transmitting in the 167 MHz range?

Baby monitor intercoms are actually transmitters and you can hear them between 49.67 and 49.99 MHz.

Stay ahead of road conditions by listening to highway road crews, snow plows, and traffic helicopter pilots. Many midwesterners monitor the state police and and county sheriff to learn of approaching tornados long before warnings are broadcast on TV and commercial radio. Take your scanner to sporting events and listen to race car drivers, football coaches, etc., in the 151, 154, and 468 MHz ranges.

Monitor the everyday hustle and bustle of businesses, from cable TV repair crews tracking down pirate descrambler boxes, to security guards at your nuclear power plant or mall security guards chasing a shoplifter.

Is Scanning Legal?

In the United States, scanning from your home or at work is perfectly legal in most situations. The Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986 made it illegal to listen to mobile phones, common carrier paging, and a few other types of communication. Public law 103-414, signed Oct. 25, 1994, amended the law (Title 18 USC, Part I, chapter 119, sections 25110 and 2511) and outlaws listening to cordless phones, too, but many scanners cover these frequencies.

It is illegal for companies to sell or import into the USA recently manufactured scanners which cover or can be easily modified to cover the cellular phone frequencies, but sales by private individuals will still be allowed.

The rules define "readily altered by the user" as "clipping the leads of, or installing, a simple component such as a diode, resistor and/or jumper wire; replacing a plug-in semiconductor chip; or programming a semiconductor chip

using special access codes or an external device, such as a personal computer."

Speaking of privacy, federal law also requires you to keep what you hear to yourself and not use the information you hear on your scanner for personal gain.

Be aware that several states have laws pertaining to scanning while in your car. Indiana restricts some portable scanners. A few states have enacted their own laws against listening to cordless phones. You can find out about these restrictions in a paperback book, Listeners Lawbook, compiled by Frank Terranella, Esq. available for $9.95 + shipping from Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902.

What Scanner Should I Buy?

Radio Shack and Uniden (maker of Bearcat, Regency, and Cobra brands) offer a wide choice of scanners. Radio Shack scanners are actually manufactured by both GRE (General Research Electronics) and by Uniden. Personally, I don't recommend Trident nor many of the AOR brand scanners, although the AR8000 and AR3000 have good reputations and the AR5000 works well.

Programmable (synthesized) units have replaced crystal controlled models as they don't require crystals and usually have a keypad that permits you to store frequencies into channels. Programmables are now so cheap it doesn't make sense to buy a crystal unit as your main scanner unless you get it for under $45 or so.

You can get a battery operated hand held scanner, a bigger "base" scanner which is powered from an AC outlet, or a mobile scanner which connects to your auto's electrical system. There are tradeoffs -- base and mobile scanners have larger displays and almost always provide more audio than portables, and some portables are more prone to interference when connected to outdoor antennas than base models. But when severe weather knocks out the power in your home, there's nothing like having a battery operated scanner to monitor the power utility and police frequencies!

Make sure your first scanner has a "search" feature, which allows it to search all the frequencies between two frequency limits of your choosing. Beware of low cost programmables which can't search. Some of the newer models, like the Uniden SportCat and Radio Shack PRO-2046, allow searching between limits, but the limits are factory programmed and cannot be altered.

Get a model which covers the 800 MHz band. Usage of the 800 - 950 MHz band is growing fast and you will miss out on the action unless your scanner covers this band.

If you're not sure whether you'll like scanning, don't want to spend much money, a 50 channel scanner will do. In general, the more channels and banks, the better.

Most of the action takes place on frequencies between 30 and 1000 MHz, so don't be misled by scanner models boasting coverage from 3 to 2000 MHz. There's currently not much to monitor in the 1000 - 2000 MHz range.

If you are interested in receiving short wave, that is, signals in the 3 - 30 MHz range, it's best to get a short wave radio specifically designed for that purpose. Although some scanners receive the short wave band, their performance in that range is often second rate. The $2000 Icom R8500 and AOR AR5000 models are exceptions.

Deluxe scanners can be controlled and/or downloaded by a personal computer, a feature which appeals to a small but growing number of scanner owners.

Almost all low and mid-priced scanners are prone to receiving images -- receiving the same signal erroneously on two or more frequencies. With a few exceptions, images are unwelcome due to the interference they cause, e.g., hearing aircraft transmissions while the scanner is tuned to the local police frequency. Premium quality scanners use "up conversion" circuitry, a scheme which greatly reduces, but does not eliminate, image reception.

Currently, the more popular scanners include the discontinued Radio Shack PRO-2006 base/mobiles, the Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT (a/k/a BC205XLT), BC220XLT, BC230XLT, and Radio Shack PRO-43 and PRO-60 portables. A number of owners report problems with the Icom R1 portable and the older Uniden/Bearcat 8500XLT base and 2500XLT portable. The Uniden BC9000XLT base and BC3000XLT portable work very well and are my current favorites.

Looking for value? At $180 discount price, the 100 channel Uniden/Bearcat BC860XLT base is a good value and available at most Wal-Mart stores. The RELM HS200 portable performs very well is an excellent value at its $250 street price.

Considered by many as the best scanner ever made, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2006 was replaced by the 1000 channel PRO-2035, which was replaced by the PRO-2042. The portable Radio Shack PRO-64 and PRO-60 are good performers. All five models employ up conversion and are made for Radio Shack by GRE (General Research Electronics).

CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature

Upscale scanners can be optioned with a subaudible tone decoding squelch circuit. There are two types: CTCSS (Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System) and DCS (Digital Coded Squelch). In simple terms, this feature lets your scanner ignore signals you don't want to hear.

Most land mobile two way radios, except trunked systems, transmit either CTCSS or DCS signals subaudibly along with the voice information. U.S. military field radios employ wider deviation and a 150 Hz CTCSS tone, not supported by most scanners or CTCSS decoders.

There are over 40 different CTCSS codes and you can program a specific CTCSS or DCS code into each memory channel. Using a CTCSS or DCS decoder permits your scanner to open the squelch only if the transmission has a code which matches the code you program.

CTCSS and DCS decoding offers several advantages:

1. Ignore unwanted signals on shared frequencies: It is common for several users to share the same frequency, e.g., my county sheriff uses the same frequency as Chicago Police, located about 60 miles away. I want to hear my sheriff's transmissions but don't want the scanner to stop on or listen to Chicago Police transmissions. This is especially a problem when radio propagation is good, e.g., during a "band opening," when reception range is temporarily increased.

2. Combat intermodulation interference: Helps keep out intermod and image interference from strong pagers and other signals which are not transmitted with a matching code.

3. Ignore scrambled transmissions: Many federal law enforcement agencies (FBI, Secret Service, etc) and some local police agencies employ digital voice scrambling, which sounds like white noise and is annoying to hear. The CTCSS or DCS code is sent only when the station is transmitting unscrambled, or "in the clear." You can program federal frequencies along with the proper code into your decoder-equipped scanner so you won't have to listen to the scrambled mess and only hear their transmissions when they are unscrambled.

CTCSS also goes by various tradenames: Motorola's PL (Private Line), GE's Channel Guard, and RCA's Quiet Channel. Motorola uses the tradename DPL (Digital Private Line) for its digital coded squelch.

How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?

There are a few ways to determine the CTCSS or DCS code transmitted by a station:

1. Use an outboard CTCSS/DCS reader which must be attached to the discriminator output circuitry inside the scanner. The reader has an LCD or LED display which indicates the code when a station transmits. I use a CSI model CD-1 Communications Decoder Unit, an an excellent reader which sells new for about $200. (Connect Systems Inc., Ventura, CA, 800-545-1349, www.connectsystems.com).
2. Many of the ScannerMaster guides, as well as scanner club newsletters, print the CTCSS codes used by transmitting stations.
3. On some scanners equipped with the CTCSS squelch, you can program into memory the frequency of interest. Then you "tune" slowly through all the different CTCSS and/or DCS codes until the squelch opens and you hear the dispatcher talking. This is a slow process and the station has to keep transmitting during it.
4. A slow, brute force method is to program the same frequency but a different CTCSS code into several channels and see where your scanner stops.
5. In some cases, I've actually examined the walkie-talkies I want to monitor and found the CTCSS code printed on a label on or inside the radio.

Scanner Antennas

All scanners come with a built in antenna, permitting reception up to about 20 miles or so.

Portable scanners are supplied with a helical (spring shaped) antenna, covered by rubber. The rubberized antennas furnished with current models are too stiff and place stress on the antenna jack. Older scanners to be supplied with more flexible antennas. I prefer these alternative antennas for use with portable scanners:

1. The Icom FA-1433B dual band flex antenna, a thin and very flexible rubber antenna, is slightly longer than a stock heliflex but provides better performance.
2. The Austin Condor is a 12" long rubberized antenna available for about $30. While considerably longer than the stock antenna and the FA-1443B, the Condor is very flexible and provides VHF-high band reception superior to both. It is not designed to cover the VHF-low band, but will allow reception there at least as good as shorter antennas.
3. The "Thin-Stick" is an 18 inch telescoping antenna for extended range. It is made in USA by Smiley Antenna

Co., Inc. and is designed to cover both the 2 meter and 220 MHz bands, but its variable length means it can be adjusted for optimum performance on other bands. What makes the Thin-Stick different from an ordinary telescoping antenna is the spring between the antenna and the connector portions. The spring absorbs most of the impact if the antenna collides with an object. The street price is about $17 and it is available from Amateur Electronic Supply, Milwaukee and other retailers.

Outdoor antennas, like the Channel Master 5094A or Antenna Specialists AV-801 (recently discontinued), can extend reliable reception to 50 miles or more, depending on terrain. If you do use an outdoor antenna, be sure to disconnect and ground it during storms and when not in use to avoid a lightning hazard. Discone and ground plane type antennas can be more prone to cause scanner damage due to static charge buildup because they are not at "DC ground."

Coaxial Cable Feedlines

If your antenna installation requires more than 50 feet of feedline, use RG213/U or high quality RG8/U coaxial cable. RG213/U, e.g., Belden type 8267, has a non-contaminating jacket and will last longer. Each has an outer diameter of about 13/32". Similarly sized Belden 9913 cable and clones have lower attenuation but are difficult to bend, require special connectors, and can accumulate moisture inside because they are hollow.

If you must use a small diameter cable for long runs, use RG6/U. Avoid RG58/U (7/32" OD) due to its losses at high frequencies. RG8/X (1/4" OD) is suitable for short patch cords.

Where Can I Buy A Scanner?

Almost every community has at least one Radio Shack store, and you can find scanners there. Be sure it is on sale, as Radio Shack list prices are high and their scanners are offered at reduced prices by mail order discounters.

Discount chain stores like Wal-Mart, Best Buy, K-Mart, Service Merchandise, and Circuit City sell scanners, but carry just a few models. Department stores, like Sears Roebuck and Montgomery Wards, sometimes offer low end scanners, although at high prices.

The best buys on new scanners are from reputable mail order radio dealers, for example:

- Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (704)837-9200. Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155. Web page is http://www.grove.net

- National Electronics (formerly National Tower Company), PO Box 15417, Shawnee Mission, KS 66215. Telephone (800)762-5049, (913)888-8864. Web page is www.sound.net/~ne/

- The Ham Station, 220 N. Fulton Ave., Evansville, IN 47719-0522. Telephone (800)729-4373, (812)422-0231.

- Scanner World (Albany, NY). Telephone (518)436-9606.

- Amateur Electronics Supply (Milwaukee, WI). Telephone (800)558-0411. Web page is www.aesham.com

Beware of inflated "shipping and handling" charges and be sure to include these when comparison shopping.

Used scanners may be found at hamfests, flea markets, garage sales, or listed in the classified advertisement section of your newspaper.

Modifying Your Scanner

The term "mod" is often used as shorthand for "modification." If you are handy with a soldering iron, you may be interested in modifying ("modding") your scanner to add features or enhance its performance. Be warned this usually voids your warranty and current models are difficult to service due to the small, delicate surface mount components. By federal regulation, new scanner models cannot be easily modified to tune the cellular phone bands.

The term "mod" has been narrowly used by some people to mean a change which permits a scanner to receive cellular phone frequencies. This definition is far too restrictive as there are several ways one could modify a scanner, e.g., changes to improve audio quality, adding an S-meter, expanding the number of channels, changing the earphone jack to accept stereo headphones, etc.

Modification article files can be copied from several ftp sites including the /pub/ham-radio/mods directory at:

garfield.catt.ncsu.edu
oak.oakland.edu (IP address 141.210.10.117)

Modification articles posted on Usenet seem to have a life of their own. Frequently, they are plagiarized from the Internet and compiled by book, CDROM, and magazine publishers, sometimes reworded, then sold. Hobbyists then

copy the modifications from the books, CDROMs, and magazines back onto the Internet or BBSs (bulletin board systems)!

Grove Enterprises and other companies advertise a warranted, modification for fee service.

For information on "virtual downconverter" modifications, see Steve Donnell's article in January 1995 RCMA Scanner Journal or February 1996 Monitoring Times. Reprints of articles from Monitoring Times are available for $3.00 each plus a self-addressed stamped envelope from:

Grove Enterprises,
7540 Highway 64 West,
Brasstown,
NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (704)837-9200.
Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155.

I don't get any part of this reprint fee.

Scanner Repair Shops

Is your scanner broken? Aside from sending the scanner back to the manufacturer for repair, here is one company which repairs scanners:

- G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) - (www.iinc.com/ggcomm or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com) This family owned company repairs scanners and pagers and stocks parts for several older models. G & G cannot usually repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. G & G sells and sometimes buys old scanners and parts, too. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482.

Repair tips for Bearcat and Radio Shack scanners are discussed in two other FAQ articles.

Where Can I Obtain Frequency Information?

To avoid chaos, the FCC licenses two-way radio users and assigns them specific frequencies. Groups of frequencies are allocated to specific types of users, so you won't usually find fire departments using the same frequencies as taxi drivers, for example.

Scanner enthusiasts can obtain frequency information from several sources, including books, government microfiche records, or other listeners.

Books: The most convenient source of fire, police, and local government frequencies is Gene Hughes' Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional volumes by Hollins

Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and larger book stores. The newest editions contain abbreviated business listings, too, although callsigns and other details are listed only for local government and public safety licensees.

I also recommend the book, Monitor America, published by SMB Publishing (now known as Scanner Master Publishing), and available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. A 1100 page 3rd edition is now available. Monitor America contains several pages of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, federal government, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. It contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Uniden has published several regional directories using the "Betty Bearcat" name, although there are much better directories available from Scanner Master (Newton Highlands, MA, tel. (508)655-6300) for some regions.

The most readily available source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Commercial Magazines: Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times (tel. 704-837-9200, www.grove.net) and the sensationalistic Popular Communications, (tel. 516-681-2922). National Scanning (NatScan) is a national scanner magazine published bimonthly and is affiliated with Uniden's Bearcat Radio Club. Early issues disappointed experienced scanner hobbyists, but it now has a good column on scanner modifications and has greatly improved its coverage of east coast frequencies since merging with NESN (North East Scanner News). The best scanner frequency

lists are often found in club publications, not commercial magazines, and are discussed later.

The Scanner Club is the name of a bimonthly magazine published by Les Mattson. It is a successor to the Northeast Scanning News and is the official publication of The Scanner Club, a not-for-profit club organization. TSC's main strength is local frequency information, including CTCSS codes. Sample issues are $4 each. A yearly membership costs $24.95 and includes 6 issues. Write to The Scanner Club, PO Box 62, Gibbstown, NJ 08027 for more information.

Government Records: Every year, the US Government sells FCC license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS). The high cost of buying government records limits their appeal to hardcore enthusiasts. You can write for a catalog of FCC Master Frequency Database items to the NTIS, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161.

The FCC has an agreement with PerCon (tel. 716-386-6015), a private company, to sell FCC license information to the public on CDROMs. You can buy the full license information for a multi state region or a less detailed license database covering the the entire USA on CDROM for about $100. The PerCon Spectrum CDROM sells for $29 and contains a handful of fields for every FCC license in the US. The Spring 1995 edition works in DOS, Windows, and Mac environments.

Grove enterprises sells FCC license information on CDROM for $100. In the 1995 edition, fields are different than PerCon's Spectrum CDROM but the data appears to be of the same vintage. The licensee name and licensee city are used instead of the DBA (doing business as) name and transmitter city which makes query results confusing.

As I have already done for hundreds of radio enthusiasts, companies, government agencies, and organizations across the country, I will locate FCC licensed and selected FAA and CAP transmitter sites in an area of your choice, in any state, and produce a custom RadioMap(TM) report, including a beautiful 8-1/2" by 11" scaled color map, protected by plastic. The map is marked with transmitter sites, cities, highways, airports, military installations, national parks, etc.

RadioMap has been advertised monthly in Monitoring Times magazine since 1995. The graphical nature of RadioMap allows you to identify antenna sites and visualize the

transmitter locations in your neighborhood, near your office, and other places of interest -- from VLF through microwave. The report lists frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names. RadioMap covers police, fire, local government, TV, business, industry, common carrier, railroad, trucking, and many more types of transmitter sites, excluding ham radio stations. Wireline and nonwireline cellular phone and AM/FM broadcast transmitter sites are clearly marked using unique color icons.

Industrial customers use RadioMap reports to survey the "radio environment" prior to installation of radios and wireless microphones at customer sites. RadioMap is used by the maritime and broadcast industries, as well as ham radio operators to solve intermod interference problems, and has been very favorably reviewed in RCMA Scanner Journal, American Scannergram, and USSN.

The RadioMap processes and software are unique and proprietary. Unlike "more tame" maps, RadioMap shows the locations of military bases, ammunition plants, arsenals, weapons factories, and other military installations.

For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

suburbs: 5 mile range (100 sq. mi. area)
rural areas: 10 or more miles (400 sq. mi. area)
dense urban area: 1 - 2 mile range

Longer ranges for additional charge - call for pricing.

A custom RadioMap report costs $24.95 plus $5.00 shipping and handling. For an additional $5.00, I will include a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area. Send check or money order payable to Bob Parnass for $29.95 for standard or $34.95 for deluxe RadioMap report with histogram. Include your name, address, and telephone number, along with center location (nearest intersection of 2 streets, or latitude & longitude) and mail to: Bob Parnass, 2350 Douglas Road, Oswego, IL 60543. tel. (630)554-3839 6-10 PM central time. For a brochure, send SASE.

Do Your Own Frequency Detective Work

When you try listening to a frequency for the first time, you'll want to know who you're hearing.

Although FCC rules require radio systems to identify their operations with their assigned call letters either automatically or verbally, most ignore the regulation.

This often makes it difficult to know who is transmitting. Moreover, many radios are now being placed in service illegally, without first obtaining the required FCC license.

There is a challenge in deriving new spectrum usage information on your own. Sometimes it requires several days of listening, taping, and compiling fragments of information. Other times, the frequency information is there for the taking - without hassle.

You can approach from two directions:

1. Listen first: Monitor a frequency or frequencies, and try to determine who's transmitting and what purpose the channel serves. Once you identify the user, log the information.

2. Compile first: Take advantage of opportunities, such as examining the frequency label on a guard's radio, or reading the FCC license hanging on the "radio room" wall, to compile frequency lists, then monitor the listed frequencies to confirm that they are really in use. Readers are urged to abide by the rules of good taste and local laws in the quest for frequency information. Don't trespass, wait for an invitation.

Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

You can examine the FCC license on premise. I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the mall security office or company guard shack. You can examine the labels on radio equipment. Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret. Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement, however.

How Can I Use Equipment
to Uncover New Frequencies?

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. A few models, like the ICOM R7000/R7100, and R1, and older Bearcat 250 and Regency K500, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

To find the frequency of a hotel communications system, one fellow installed his Bearcat 250 in his car and parked in the hotel lot, leaving the scanner in the "search and store" mode. He left the antenna disconnected so the scanner would only respond to a transmitter in the immediate vicinity.

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy, a Radio Shack CTR-82 will do. It's best to use a shielded, attenuating cable to feed the scanner audio into the recorder rather than relying on the recorder's internal microphone.

VOX recorders allow one to compress a whole day's worth of monitoring onto a single tape. I often leave a recorder "armed" and connected to a scanner at home while I am at the office or doing something else. When call letters are mumbled, I can play and replay the tape until I hear and understand them.

Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

Are There Any Scanner Clubs or Mailing List?

One of the best parts of the hobby is sharing it with other radio buffs. Trading information with other hobbyists about frequencies, communication systems, and receiving equipment is more valuable than any pile of magazines.

Peter Laws administers an electronic mail list read by over 700 hobbyists devoted to scanners and scanning. It's called "scan-l" and for more information, read:

http://www.wildstar.net/~plaws/scan/scan-l.txt

Clay Irving <clay@panix.com> administers a scanner electronic mailing list, called "scanning." To subscribe, send an Email message to: majordomo@lists.panix.com

In the body of the Email message, put: subscribe scanning

All Ohio Scanner Club

A smaller club is the All Ohio Scanner Club. Its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, is about 60 pages

long. Although concentrating on Ohio and the Northeastern states, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of good product reviews and scanning tips.

Annual dues are $18.50 and more information is available from:

Dave Marshall, Managing Editor
All Ohio Scanner Club,
50 Villa Road,
Springfield, OH 45503.

Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association

The Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA) is the foremost club for scanner radio hobbyists in the northern Illinois area. CARMA was formed from the Chicago chapter of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), and we have been meeting since the early 1980s.

Many CARMA members are active in ham radio and GMRS, but the club is devoted to scanning and scanners.

Meetings are held on Saturdays, many at area restaurants, about 6 times a year. Although lunch starts at noon, the meetings begin officially at 1 PM and often run until about 4 PM. You must purchase a lunch since we get the room for free. Meetings consist of a quick review of club business, sometimes a special presentation, and a "round table" discussion/question & answer session. Large quantities of information and frequency lists are often distributed in the form of free handouts. Members often sell radio equipment at the meetings, too.

In addition to regular meetings, there are two CARMA picnic/field days during which members meet at a park, erect antennas, eat, and operate scanners from battery power. CARMA members take organized tours of various communications facilities in the area.

Club meeting dates and times are published in the CARMA newsletter, published 6 times a year. You can obtain an electronic subscription to the CARMA Newsletter. For more info, see:

http://www.TheRamp.net/shabec/carma.htm

The club's mailing address is:

CARMA
P.O. Box 2681
Glenview, IL 60025

Some CARMA members participate on the CARMA computer bulletin board, run by Will Sperling. There is a $15 annual fee for the BBS. If you have a modem and terminal or computer, you can reach the CARMA BBS by calling (630)852-1292.

All meetings are held on Saturdays at locations announced in advance. Meetings are usually held at:

- the Destiny Restaurant, on Rand Road, in Des Plaines,

- Philly's in the shopping center at the corner Rt. 83 and 53rd St. in Willowbrook,

- The Great Escape, on Irving Park Road, Schiller Park

and at other restaurants.

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760
email: weber@citizen.infi.net |

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of

completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and
feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for
each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model UHF VHF-high VHF-low

SM-301 X X X
SM-302 X X
SM-303 X X
SM-304 X X

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from
the crystals used in the conventional single channel
Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) /
10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant
max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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Introduction

The original Bearcat scanner line was manufactured by
Electra Company, a division of Masco Corp of Indiana. In
the mid 1980s, Uniden, a Japanese company, bought out the
Bearcat scanner line and Uniden's first Bearcat scanner was
the BC800XLT model.

Most of the models discussed in this article are
base/mobile units made by Electra during the 1970s and
1980s although some of the capacitor failures occur in the
Uniden BC800XLT, too.

Electra stamped all of its scanners with a manufacturing
date code on the rear of the cabinet. The code is comprised
of a single character (C = Cumberland, Indiana, P = Puerto
Rico), followed by four digits denoting year and week the
radio was built. For example, "P8422" denotes the radio was
made in the Puerto Rico factory during the 22nd week of
1984.

One way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine the
4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most

recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 11915 E. Washington St., Cumberland, IN 46229. Phone 317-894-3229.

To order a user manual for an Electra/Bearcat scanner from Uniden, call (800)235-3874 extension 2553.

Some schematic diagrams may be obtained from Uniden/Bearcat's parts department, (800)297-1023. Uniden currently charges a flat rate of $54 for scanner repairs. They will repair and return "out of warranty" items without an estimate unless the repair charges exceed the flat rate charges.

The phone number for repair is (800)297-1023, too. I recommend you call repair before sending the broken scanner. Items for repair via UPS (include receipt if still under warranty) are usually sent to:

Uniden America Corp.
4700 Amon Carter Blvd.
P.O. Box 95002
Fort Worth, TX 76155

If Uniden doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

G & G Communications (telephone (716)768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts for several older models, especially Electra/Bearcat and Regency brands, but they don't sell manuals or schematics. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

Common Construction

Most of the classic, metal-cased Bearcat base/mobile models were built using two printed circuit boards:

1. a "radio board" containing the synthesizer, RF, IF, and audio stages, and
2. a "feature board" containing the microprocessor controller and memory circuitry which gave each model its own personality.

Although there are various vintage radios boards, they all have similar circuitry.

Bad Solder Joints Common

Before addressing specific symptoms, circuit boards in the malfunctioning scanner should be inspected for poor solder joints.

The Electra/Bearcat BC350, BC300, BC250, BC220, BC20/20, BC211, BC210, and BC210XL models were hand assembled, and every one I've serviced had several connections that were either soldered poorly, or not soldered at all.

Resoldering joints on the ribbon cable connecting the RF and keyboard logic circuit boards in a BC250 attenuated the microprocessor/synthesizer hash noise noticeably.

A Bearcat 20/20 was experiencing periodic loss of memory on some, but not all channels. When the problem occurred, the frequencies on some channels would be completely changed. On other channels, the frequency would still be intact, but the channel would be locked out, and the delay toggled from "on" to "off". Some channels were not affected.

The 2 "AA" memory backup batteries, and their holder, tested good. Much time was spent tracing logic, heating and cooling components, and making voltage measurements.

One of the secondary leads from the power transformer was connected to the main circuit board through a hole drilled through foil traces on both the top and bottom sides of the board. A close examination revealed that this lead had been soldered only on the top of the board - the bottom side had never been soldered.

Soldering the lead on both sides of the board solved the memory loss problem.

Symptom: Blank Display

The BC300 scanner, and several other Bearcat models, employ a switching type power supply stage to generate plus and minus voltages in excess of 20 volts DC. When this switcher fails to function, the display goes blank, but the squelch control appears to work, and white noise can be heard in the speaker.

In almost a dozen of the BC300 and BC800XLT scanners I've fixed, C98, a capacitor in series with the primary of the switching transformer failed, causing the output of the supply to drop below the level needed to power the display. The switching transformer is mounted on the RF circuit board, and is much, much smaller than the main power transformer, which is usually fastened to the metal

chassis. The 22uF/16V capacitor used for C98 in early BC300s was marginal, and was replaced with a 47uF/25V capacitor in later units.

Jim Craig replaced a 22uF/35V C98 capacitor to repair his BC210XW.

Paul Grohe replaced a failed C98 with a low ESR (equivalent series resistance), high frequency, switching regulator grade capacitor, e.g. a Panasonic HF series capacitor. He also recommends adding a 0.1 ceramic capacitor in parallel with C98.

I replaced the 22 uF capacitor in the switching power supply stage of a BC210XL which caused the same symptom. Other capacitors in the switcher stage have failed. C114, a 4.7 uF/35V tantalum capacitor failed in at least one BC250, causing the display to blank.

A more sinister problem affects the switcher in earlier models. The switching supply stage in the BC250 and original BC210 is driven by a clock signal derived from a custom Exar NC57902 divider integrated circuit (designated IC6 in the BC250 scanner). I've seen this divider IC fail in several BC250s, causing a blank display (except for a decimal point in the BC250's rightmost digit). This custom IC is no longer available from Uniden.

Failure of IC9, the 9 volt NJM78M09A regulator in a BC800XLT is another cause of a blank display.

Symptom: Invalid Frequency Displayed

A common Bearcat 250 malady is manifested by an invalid frequency displayed on the readout. This condition is temporarily "cured" by unplugging the AC line cord from the wall, then replugging it. This condition is symptomatic of a power supply problem in which Q204, a Texas Instruments TIP-29 located on the feature circuit board, fails.

A Philips ECG291 will work as a substitute for the TIP-29. Don't try a Radio Shack substitute, it hasn't worked. See Martin Toomajian's article, "Bearcat 250 Erratic Display Cure", in January 1987 Monitoring Times.

A similar problem in the Bearcat 20/20 was discussed previously in the section on bad solder joints.

Symptom: Squelch Won't Eliminate White Noise

Most Uniden/Bearcat base/mobile scanners feature an AUTO squelch position, actuated by rotating the squelch knob fully counter clockwise. The BC350 used a separate pushbutton switch for this purpose. These scanners use a

flimsy potentiometer (designated R81 in BC300s) internally mounted on the RF circuit board, to set the level of signal required to open the squelch when in the AUTO position. This pot also has an effect on the squelch action in the non-AUTO mode, and determines at which point the squelch knob must be positioned in order to silence the radio.

Although the potentiometer is adjusted at the factory, changes in component values due to aging often necessitate readjustment of this internal pot. Misadjustment of this pot has been the cause of "no squelch" complaints in two BC300s and a BC250 I fixed.

Another squelch failure is due to a blown transistor that acts as the electronic switch in the squelch circuit. I replaced this transistor in only one BC300, so I don't know if this is a common problem.

Symptom: Scanner Completely Dead

In Bearcat scanners using an internal power supply (e.g., BC350, BC250, etc.), the main power transformer is connected directly to the AC line. Since the on/off switch is on the secondary side of the transformer, current flows in the primary as long as the AC line cord is plugged into an active AC outlet. These transformers contain an internal circuit breaker, not visible without unwinding (destroying) the transformer. The internal breaker is known to fail prematurely in a batch of Bearcat power transformers.

If your scanner is completely dead, check the primary of this transformer for an open circuit condition.

Symptom: Keyboard Bounce

After much use, the Chromerics keyboards in Bearcat scanners start to wear out. The first sign of trouble is usually keyboard bounce on the most frequently used key, e.g., the MANUAL key. Replacement keyboards are usually available from UNIDEN, but replacement requires dexterity, as one must take care not to tear the flat, flexible strip connecting the keyboard to the logic board.

Symptom: Keyboard Completely Unresponsive

The keyboard matrix is "scanned" by the microprocessor. Another problem is when none of the keys seems to function; the receiver just keeps scanning in spite of key depressions. I found this condition in a BC210XL scanner owned by a heavy smoker. Perhaps nicotine smoke was to blame, as the resistance between two input port pins on the microprocessor was down to about 1000 ohms, fooling the

microprocessor into believing that a key was stuck in the "down" position. Scraping the circuit board between the two pins with an X-Acto knife fixed the problem.

Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT Portable
Loss of Audio and Dial Lamp

If you can program frequencies into your BC200XLT but there is no audio and the green backlight no longer functions, a tiny transistor may have failed.

Check for a defective PNP surface mount transistor, Q201 (2SB815B6-YDY). Q201 is used as a switch to furnish 8 VDC to several stages of the BC200XLT. Its main purpose is to switch off power hungry stages of the BC200XLT when the CPU thinks the NiCd voltage has fallen below a threshhold. That's an attempt to limit the current drain on weak NiCds to avoid permanent damage.

Q201 is located on the foil side of the "Micom" board, adjacent to the black multi-pin connector which mates the Micom and main boards together.

Q201 can be destroyed by a few different causes, primarily, by something in the scanner drawing too much current through it. In one case, capacitor C36 shorted. It's a 220 uF 10v electrolytic, located on the component side of the main board, connected from pin 8 of the audio IC (IC2 NJM386SL) to ground. Capacitor C55 shorted in another BC200XLT. In a pinch you bypass Q201 by soldering a short piece of bare wire between the collector and emitter, but you must first fix the component which caused Q201 to fail.

BC9000XLT: Loss of Sensitivity

John Ward has fixed two BC9000XLTs which suffered from "low sensitivity." He fixed the solder joint where the antenna jack connects to the circuit board. In both cases the tab from the board was on the opposite side of the jack from where the little blob of solder applied at the factory was located.

It was an intermittent problem that depended upon the position of the antenna cable - if the weight of the cable placed tension on the jack in one direction contact was made and the radio worked fine. If the cable placed tension on the jack in the opposite direction contact was lost and so was reception. The gap was barely noticeable.

Other Problems

Complaints of low audio output and occasional microphonics in three Uniden/Bearcat 800XLTs were caused by a bad 47 ufd

electrolytic capacitor in series between the external speaker jack and audio amplifier.

Andy Domonkos reports he often uses a tape recorder connected to a Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. RL-1, the carrier activated relay inside the BC890XLT wore out. Andy found the identical relay sold at Radio Shack (part #275-232) and says the BC9000XLT uses the same relay, too.

Replacement Bulbs for BC760XLT

The Uniden BC760XLT's SCAN, MAN, PRI, and HOLD buttons are illuminated by "grain of wheat" type incandescent bulbs. Gary Saffer reports that the bulbs and buttons are located on a small printed circuit board which sits behind the radio's face plate. Gary unsoldered the burned out bulbs in his radio and replaced them with 12 volt Radio Shack bulbs (#272-1092c). They should last a long time when powered by the 8 VDC supplied by the BC760XLT.

Open Resistor in BC140

Robert Casey fixed his deaf, 16 channel Bearcat BC140 scanner. A 10 ohm resistor had opened that fed a circuit that generates 22V for the varactor diode tuner circuits. Without the 22V, there was no tuning of the local oscillator and front end, and no reception. What he did was compare voltages to a second working BC140.

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Introduction

Radio Shack has been selling scanners and monitor receivers
under the Realistic and Radio Shack labels for over 30
years. Most of them were manufactured by General Research
Electronics of Tokyo, though many newer models are
manufactured by Uniden.

The date of manufacture is usually printed on a gummed
label on the scanner as well as the cardboard box. A code
of 12A5, means the scanner was made in the 12th month of
1975, 1985, or 1995, for example.

There's another way to date Radio Shack scanners
manufactured by Uniden. The first digit of the long serial
number is usually the last digit of the year of
manufacture.

Another way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine
the 4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most
recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

Service manuals for most Radio Shack scanners sold through mid-1997 may be ordered through your local Radio Shack store.

If Radio Shack doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

Parts lists for recent and many older models are available on line at: http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/2849.html. Parts may be ordered through Tandy National Parts, telephone (800)442-2425 or (817)870-5600, or through your local Radio Shack store

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GRE-Built Base Models: Dim Backlight

The backlight in many base models, including the PRO-2022, PRO-2004, and PRO-2005/6 is implemented by an electroluminescent panel, which grows dim with use.

The EL panel used in the PRO-2005 and PRO-2006 is designated EL-501, and is identified by Radio Shack part #10800050. A new EL panel can be ordered through your Tandy National parts (see above) or local Radio Shack store and sent to your home. Radio Shack no longer sells replacement EL panels for the PRO-2004.

Replacing the backlight is an operation which requires care and patience. Purchase a service manual, and study the exploded parts diagrams as you read the following steps.

Top and bottom cabinet pieces must be removed, then the speaker unplugged from the main board. The front panel assembly must be removed from the chassis by removing 4 flat head screws, 2 on each side. You need not disconnect all the wiring harnesses, though you might have to unplug one so it won't get in the way of a hot soldering iron.

Unsolder the bare ground wire soldered to a large shield on the back of the front panel, located near the back of the squelch control. Two ground braids must be temporarily disconnected by removing the screws which fasten them to the chassis. After removing the volume and squelch knobs, you must remove 8 small screws which fasten the plastic

front panel to the diplay board.

The old EL panel is fastened by a bead of glue and two foil type leads soldered to the display board. It's easier to cut the two leads from the old EL panel before unsoldering. A sharp knife should be used cut away the glue. The old EL panel can then be slid gently out from behind the LCD display.

The new EL panel can be installed by reversing the process, though I found that it is not necessary to glue the new panel. The two foil leads must be soldered using a minimum of heat. Reassemble the pieces in reverse order of disassembly.

GRE-Built Portables: Worn Out Keypads

The keypad on late model GRE-made Radio Shack portables, e.g., PRO-39 and PRO-43, can become unreliable after prolonged use. The best repair is to replace the rubber keypad instead of trying to restore contacts using chemicals. A replacement rubber keypad may be ordered inexpensively through Tandy National Parts or your local Radio Shack Store.

PRO-43: Loss of Audio

Early PRO-43s were built with a 200 mW speaker (mfr's part #EAS-3P123A). The voice coils in some of these speakers have opened, resulting in lack of audio output, though audio is still available from the earphone jack. A more capable 500 mW speaker is available through Tandy as replacement (EAS-3P127).

PRO-43: Freezup

If you attempt to lock out all 20 channels in a memory bank, then scan only that bank, your PRO-43 will freeze up and be placed into a catatonic state. Use the procedure documented in the PRO-43 user manual to fully reset the scanner. This will "break the trance," but all the memory channels will be cleared.

PRO-2004: Dead

If your PRO-2004 is completely dead, check R235, a 1 ohm, 1 watt resistor mounted vertically on the main board.

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Abstract

This article contains product review summaries for more than 70 old and new scanner radios and monitor receivers.

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises, but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor receivers of various brands in my collection. This article describes a few of the FM receivers in my collection, and other models I've tested. It is not meant to be complete.

For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass, Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass, Monitoring Times, May 1995.

I have published full length reviews and modifications of these scanner models in Monitoring Times magazine:

Mar 1986 - Uniden/Bearcat BC800XLT
Mar 1987 - Radio Shack PRO-2004

Oct 1990 - Radio Shack PRO-2006
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Jun 1996 - modifications & tips for the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT
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Dec 1996 - AOR AR5000
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Apr 1997 - RELM HS-200 portable
May 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BCT7 virtual downconversion mod.
Jul 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BC235XLT portable Trunktracker
Aug 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-64 portable
Sep 1997 - Stridsberg Engineering receiver multicoupler,
G/Wiz board for EDACS trunked scanning
Oct 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-67
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Mar 1997 - RELM MS-200 mobile

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AOR

AR2700: 1995 vintage. 500 channel portable covering 500 kHz to 1300 MHz. Lots of good features, e.g., 10 linkable search banks, lighted keypad, per-channel attenuator, S-meter, battery meter, optional voice recorder and speech inversion descrambler. Global rescan and pause delays, but no auto store, data skip, nor battery saver. Internally generated noise results in broad birdies on AR2700 tested. Insensitive carrier operated (vs. noise operated) squelch stays closed on signals unless they are moderately strong, causing scanner to skip transmissions of interest. IFs are

287.55/749.25, 58.05, 10.7/0.455 MHz. See "The AOR AR-2700 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October and November 1995.

AR5000: 1996 vintage. approx. 30 kHz - 2600 MHz coverage super receiver. Good sensitivity throughout. AM, SSB, CW, FM detectors. Frequency readout to 1 Hz. More features than any other radio. DTMF reader and RS-232 interface included. Multiple settings for IF and AF selectivity, attenuator, AGC, deemphasis, etc. DB9 RS232C connector. Negatives include low contrast LCD display and difficult user interface. NFM squelch closes slowly, causing noise burst at end of each NFM transmission. Electromechanical relays click at various frequency boundaries, including 400 MHz, producing a clickety-clack noise -- annoying while scanning banks of mixed band frequencies. Great radio, otherwise. See "AOR's AR5000 All-in-One Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, December 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

ICOM

R-10: late 1996 vintage (serial number 01048 tested). Shirt pocket size multimode is powered by 4 AA penlight cells. Covers 0.5 to 1300 MHz (minus cellular). NFM, WFM, USB, LSB, AM, and CW detectors included. IF bandwidths are fixed. No 30 kHz bandwidth for satellite or FM military monitoring. Battery saver circuit, with selectable duty cycle. Single VFO and 1000 memory channels. There are 900 memory channels divided into 18 banks of 50 channels each. Another bank of 100 channels used to hold unique frequencies found during an auto store operation. 20 pairs of search limits. Up to 100 frequencies may be locked out during a search and stored in a final bank of 100 channels which is cleared before subsequent auto store searches. Each channel can be programmed with the detector mode (e.g., AM, USB), a tuning step size, an attenuator enable flag, and an 8 character label. CI-V computer interface requires extra cost hardware. 7 segment S-meter. Noise blanker. Good sensitivity. Lighted keypad and display, but keystroke sequences are cumbersome.

Good radio hardware in a handy sized package, but scanning performance unimpressive. Very slow memory scanning at only 6 channels/second. Searches at about 16 steps/second, with little or no worthwhile improvement using the "Signal Navigator" feature in the R10 I tested. Rescan delay cannot be disabled. Can only scan one memory bank or all banks, not a combination of banks. No squelch for SSB or CW modes. See "ICOM IC-R10 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1997, for review which includes quantitative

test results.

R-7000: 1986 vintage. At about $1000, this was once the top VHF/UHF receiver. 99 channel, multi mode coverage from 25-2000 MHz with a small gap at 1000-1025 MHz. Memory can be expanded to 198 channels by adding simple switch to pin 19 of memory IC8. Tuning knob lets you tune through parts of the spectrum much easier than using the SEARCH mode on conventional scanners. Selectable USB/LSB allows reception of new amplitude compandored sideband (ACSB) stations. S-meter doubles as discriminator meter to aid tuning. Useful search and store feature, reminiscent of the the Bearcat 250, searches between 2 limits and automatically stores new frequencies into channels 80-99. Audio and control interface for tape recorder. Noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Searches and scans slowly but can be sped up to about 12 cps by adding a resistor. Too big for permanent mobile use, but too nice to leave alone in the car. If you don't want to spend $1000, get a Radio Shack PRO-2004/5/6 instead.

R-7100: 1992 vintage. At about $1300, this is the Cadillac of VHF/UHF receivers. 900 channel, multi mode continuous coverage from 25-2000 MHz. The radio RF/IF/AF portions of the R7100 are similar to the older R7000, but the R7100 is constructed using surface mount parts. Both the R7000 and R7100 are much more immune to intermod than the Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT and the portable PRO-43. The firmware in the R7100 is much more sophisticated. 9 banks of 100 channels. Further, you can associate each channel with 1 of 10 groups. Many possible ways to scan. 10 pairs of search limits. Search and store ("memory write") scan mode lets you store 100 frequencies instead of the 20 in R7000. Another R7100 improvement is that you can program up to 100 channels for the R7100 to skip while searching. R7100 has 2 VFOs ("windows"). Both the R7000 and R7100 scan slowly compared with PRO-2004 and PRO-2006, and that's a drawback. Both the R7100 and R7000 employ a noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Scanning a mixture of VHF and UHF frequencies serenades the ICOM user with a very annoying clickety-clack, clickety-clack! For Baseband Audio out, I mounted an RCA jack on the back of the R7100A and connected it via shielded cable to the junction of resistors R228 and R230 on the Main Unit. This point is located in the vicinity of IC15 and X3 on the schematic.

R8500: 1996 vintage. 100 kHz - 2000 MHz coverage. 20 banks of 40 channels although bank sizes can be changed. 100 Auto store and 100 Skip memories but that can be increased by reallocating channels from the conventional scan banks.

Fixed and programmable step sizes. Relays clickey-clack while scanning across band boundaries. Triple conversion, First IF is 48.8, 778.7, or 266.7 MHz, depending on band. Second and third IFs are 10.7 and 0.455 MHz. Weak to moderate cellular images starting near 1106 MHz. Rugged construction. External power supply. DB25 RS232C connector. Audio peak filter. Ok scanning and great searching performance. See "ICOM R8500 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, January 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

UNIDEN/Bearcat and Electra/Bearcat

Bearcat III (Electra): 1976 vintage. 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Requires optional front-end circuit board for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands, but only 2 boards can be installed within the radio at the same time. Two crystal filters. No aircraft band coverage nor rescan delay. Front mount speaker sounds good. Strong local oscillator radiation often causes interference with other scanners in the same house.

Bearcat IV (Electra): 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Newer version of Bearcat III but contains front-end circuitry for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. Better selectivity than Bearcat III or 12 due to having three instead of two 10.8 MHz IF filters. No aircraft band coverage. Front mount speaker sounds good. No rescan delay.

Bearcat 5 (Electra): 1979 vintage. Eight channel economy base model covering VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. No track tuning. Black plastic cabinet.

Bearcat 6 (Electra): Six channel VHF-low and VHF-high bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 8 (Electra): Eight channel VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 12 (Electra): 1979 vintage. One of the last decent crystal controlled scanners. 10 channels. Variable scan speed up to 20 ch/sec. Single delay on/off switch. Front mount speaker sounds good. Manual contains schematic. Single conversion, 10.8 MHz IF. Selectivity is poorer than programmable models, like the 300, allowing adjacent channel interference. Covers VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands but no aircraft band coverage. Crystal positions must be arranged by band.

Bearcat 15 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Actually made for Electra by competitor GRE (General Research Electronics).

The only Bearcat crystal controlled base/mobile scanner offering 118 - 136 MHz AM aircraft band. 10 channels.

BC101 (Electra): 1975 vintage. First Bearcat synthesized unit. 16 channels, no priority. Frequency programmed in binary by setting toggle switches on front panel after looking up code in code book. No frequency readout. Uses custom IC for CPU, now discontinued, so factory authorized service is no longer available. I have four of these units. DC operation requires optional mobile power supply.

BC100 (Electra): First programmable portable scanner. Be prepared for at least one repair in the first year. Early units, with threaded antenna connector, have high frequency of repair, particularly LCD readout, keyboard, and battery holder. No battery backup. Poor case design in early units caused battery to disconnect from radio, resetting microprocessor and clearing memories. No priority channel or aircraft band. Some people swear by the BC100, others swear at them.

BC210 (Electra): 1979 vintage. First Bearcat scanner with a keyboard and numeric display. LED readout. See US patents 4,092,594, granted 5/30/78 and 4,114,103, granted 9/12/78 for further insight.

BC220 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 20 channels. Reasonable number of features but 20 channels doesn't seem enough. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC20/20 (Electra): 1981 vintage. Similar to BC220 but with 40 channels and different CPU circuitry. A maximum of 20 channels can be scanned at one time. Reasonable number of features. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC250 (Electra): 1976 vintage. 50 channel model, rich in features, but lacks aircraft band and 144-146 MHz. Search and Store feature extremely useful for finding federal frequencies. Clock. High frequency of repair. Power transistors not heat sinked adequately, causing heat damage to surrounding components and circuit board. Failure of Q204 on the feature board known to cause odd display readings. Digital circuitry very sensitive to glitches caused by static and AC line spikes. Avoid 1978 or earlier vintage units. All BC250s use custom ICs (e.g., IC6, a divider chip, mfd. by Exar), which are now discontinued, so factory service is no longer available from Uniden.

BC260 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Super heavy duty metal cabinetry and lit controls, aimed at mobile use for firemen, police, etc. Few frills, only 16 channels, no aircraft, but generous coverage of federal bands omitted in the older Bearcat scanners. Good sensitivity. Lots of audio. Good internal construction. Backlit keyboard allows operation in the dark, but the keyboards on some units require high pressure to operate. Brightness control for display and keyboard, but multiplexor circuitry for vacuum fluorescent display produces audible whine which may be annoying in a quiet room. Backlighting may fail in some units due to poor contact on connector used to fasten light panel to front circuit board. 9 volt regulator transistor Q28 (TIP29) may fail, causing blank display while leaving audio intact. Method of connecting an external speaker is awkward.

BC300 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 50 channel top of the line scanner. Service Search feature contains 11 ROM banks of preprogrammed channels See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. Switching power supply failure noted in early units due to insufficient capacitance - component value was changed in newer units. Schematics show at least 100 components changed between earliest and later units. Preset squelch pot, mounted internally on circuit board, misadjusted in new units - adjustment usually required after burn-in period. Good sensitivity. Built in clock. I leave it on 24 hours a day. This is a favorite. See US patent 4,409,688, granted 11/11/83 for further insight.

BC350 (Electra): 1981 vintage. 50 channels in 5 banks. Includes aircraft. Used to be Bearcat's top of the line, overpriced scanner but never very popular. Dual use keyboard and display allowed 8 text characters to be associated with each channel, a feature clumsily implemented, and awkward to use. Units plagued with various hardware problems including bad memory ICs and short life power transformers. Firmware bugs without cures. The BC300 is a much better scanner than the BC350, and at a lower price.

BC760XLT (Uniden): Also sold as BC950XLT through Scanner World. Small, mobile scanner supplied with mounting bracket and wall wart AC power supply. Some of the keys are backlit. 100 channels in 5 banks. Service search. Earlier version has Motorola type antenna jack and AA battery backup. Later version has BNC antenna jack and internal lithium battery. Can be fitted with optional CTCSS decoder. Hyper sensitive and easily overloaded by strong signals, especially when used with outdoor antenna in base applications. Conventional 10.8 MHz IF prone to images. Television audio heard in some places.

BC800XLT (Uniden): 1985 vintage. 40 channels in two banks. Covers 806-912 MHz, as well as of vhf, uhf, and aircraft bands. Receives 10 meter fm and all of 6 meters, as well as federal portions of vhf and uhf bands. Fewer birdies on vhf-lo band than other scanners. Scans and searches very fast. Clean, robust audio output. Extremely sensitive, but very prone to overload by strong signals when connected to outdoor antenna. Too much play (hysteresis) in squelch adjustment - can be improved by changing one resistor. Positive terminal in memory backup battery holder installed backwards in early units, allowing memory loss when scanner unplugged from AC outlet. Tunes in increments of 12.5 KHz on 800 MHz band, whereas cellular telephones are on 30 KHz channels. See "The Bearcat 800XLT ... an Owner's Report," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1986.

BC860XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. 100 channel table top unit. Can lock out 10 channels during search. Good performer except for images. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC860XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, May 1995.

BC890XLT (Uniden): Same as Radio Shack PRO-2036. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Scans and searches fast. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IF -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod, especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

BC895XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Base with 300 channels in 10 banks. Covers military air band, but other frequency coverage is limited compared with the BC9000XLT. Predetermined AM and NFM modes not selectable. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. Weather alert siren. Built-in CTCSS decoder and tone finder. A query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Test unit scans 85 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Triple conversion, 380.8 or 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz IFs. 800 MHz images in commercial and military air bands attenuated over 35 dB. For technical test results and a review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC895XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1997.

BC9000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. High quality base using up-conversion. 500 channels in twenty banks. Up to 250 channels can be programmed with alpha labels. Tuning knob.

Selectable AM, NFM, WFM modes. Optional CTCSS decoder. Very fast scan and search. Can lock out 50 channels during search. Delay and attenuator independently programmable for each channel. Effective Auto Store feature stores unique frequencies. Good RF section, but not as robust as PRO-2004/5/6. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, 0.455 MHz. One urban user, located within a couple of blocks of several high power transmitters, reports severe desense problems. For a full review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC9000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1995. For tips and modification information, see my column in June 1996 Monitoring Times. See US patents 4,947,456, granted 8/7/90, 5,163,161, granted 11/10/92 and 5,212,817, granted 5/18/93 for further insights into fast scanning and searching implementation.

BC100XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Very good 100 channel portable with 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Generous coverage of conventional bands, including commercial aircraft, but no 800 MHz. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on 550 mAH NiCd battery pack.

BC200XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Also sold as BC205XLT through Scanner World. Very good 200 channel version of BC100XLT portable scanner but includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on NiCd battery pack.

BC220XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Very good 200 portable scanner which is a smaller successor to the BC200XLT. Includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Service Search, including WX. Up to 10 frequencies can be locked out during conventional search, 20 frequencies from Service Search. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs, with images 21.6 MHz away. 4 cell BP-120 internal NiCd battery pack. Marketed as BC230XLT with two BP-120 battery packs and CRX-120 dual charger. See "The BC220XLT/BC230XLT Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1996.

BC230XLT (Uniden): See BC220XLT.

BC235XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Portable with 300 channels in 10 banks. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. A query feature

identifies duplicate memory channels. Very fast scan and search rates. Scans 64 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Service search. Data skip. Triple conversion, 254.4, 10.85, 0.45 MHz IFs. Excellent image rejection and intermod immunity. Fairly good audio. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC235XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, July 1997 or an on-line version at www.grove.net for a review which includes quantitative test results.

BC2500XLT (Uniden): 400 channel portable with tuning knob. Plagued by intermod and images. Early units drained batteries quickly even while turned off.

BC3000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Excellent 400 channel portable with 20 banks. Up conversion. Very fast scan, search, and intelligent Auto Store. Mode, attenuator, and delay settings programmable for each channel. 50 frequencies can be locked out during search. Larger speaker than PRO-26 produces better, crisper audio. NiCd pack provides about 5 hours between charges. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1995 and "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

Regency

TMR series: First generation crystal scanners. Come in all varieties of band coverage. Models with both UHF and VHF bands must use separate antennas for each band (disadvantage in mobile installations, but can be overcome by connecting two front ends via a capacitor). Not sensitive enough to cover the entire 30 - 50 MHz range in a single model. There three versions of VHF-low band coverage depending on the part of the 30 - 50 MHz band covered (LL, LM. and LH). TMR scanners use unsocketed incandescent bulbs for channel indicators which require periodic replacement. Easy to crystal: Radio Shack crystals work well. TMRs usually $2 and up at hamfests, often in poor condition. Don't pay more than $50, even if mint. Front ends must be tuned for selected portions within the bands for best sensitivity. Wide IF selectivity troublesome in urban/suburban areas. Primitive digital scanning circuitry may become confused at times. but power off/on restores sanity. Replace aging capacitors in the scanning circuits. You can find a TMR8H eight channel high band unit most often.

TME series: The base versions of the TMR models. Both the TME and TMR models share many common circuits but the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common TME model is the TME8 H/LM eight channel dual band scanner in a metal cabinet with wood coloring.

ACTR series: Replaced the Regency TMR units. By the time Regency made the ACTR units, they no longer offered different models for different parts of the 30 - 50 MHz band. Look for the later ACT series, e.g., ACTR-106 (10 channel tri band) or ACTR20/6 (20 channel tri band), used light emitting diodes for channel indicators instead of incandescent bulbs. Available in 1 to 20 channel models - most are multi band receivers. Somewhat wide selectivity. Not all that bad a deal if cheap.

ACTE series: The base versions of the ACTR series. The ACTE and ACTR circuitry is similar, although the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common ACTE model is the ACTE8 H/L eight channel dual band scanner in a black metal cabinet.

WHAMO-10: Regency's first synthesized scanner. Appearance more like a crystal scanner, with a single LED per channel. User has to break off teeth on a metal 'comb' for each channel according to a code book. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. External frequency control unit DFS-5K optional. UHF VCO reference oscillator drifts on some units. Soldered sheet metal shields around some circuitry make access to some components difficult for servicing. Comb sockets prone to bad connections after moderate use. Not recommended due to maintenance difficulties.

K500: Nice wood-like cabinet. 40 channel model with every feature Regency could dream of in one scanner, except aircraft band. Idle tone bypass feature for mobile phone stations works about 50% of the time. Weather alert feature. Service Search in several banks. Search and Store facility not implemented as well as BC250, but better than none. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Can be programmed out of band. Reasonable performance, but sensitivity could be better. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

K100: Bare bones version of the K500. 10 channels, no priority feature. Same wood-like cabinet and reasonable performance as K500. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

M400: 30 channel replacement for K500. Service Search, but no aircraft. Easily programmable out of band. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Backlit keyboard good for night viewing and mobile use but generates RFI into nearby SW receivers. A favorite.

MX3000: 30 channel replacement for M400, but basic features only. Nice lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers. Easily programmable out of band, but no aircraft. All 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct

channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Good first scanner.

M100: 10 channel unit. Same as MX3000 except different color and fewer channels. Nicely lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers.

HX1000: Good, fairly rugged, 30 channel handheld synthesized unit. Generous out of band coverage but no AM aircraft coverage. Built by Azden. Very sensitive on UHF, but annoying audio hiss leaks through speaker when squelched. Belt clip chintzy, but can be directly replaced with better clip from Kenwood TR2600A. Like the MX3000, all 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Low discount price makes this best choice for programmable portable.

HX650/H604: 6 channel crystal portable. Likely made by Sanyo. Same as Fannon and Bearcat Thin Scan units, (except that Bearcat has 10.8 MHz IF frequency, and is harder to get crystals for), but scans faster. Small size and common crystals (available at Radio Shack), make this 1st choice for bare bones portable scanner.

Z60: base/mobile sporting 60 channels, but 10 of them are for FM broadcast only. Built in alarm clock, priority, and memory which requires no battery backup. Covers 30 - 50, 88 -108, 118-136, 144-174, 440-512 MHz. Notice that it's not spec'd to cover some important federal bands: 136 - 144 and 406 - 440.

RELM

HS200: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel portable. 10 banks. Built-in CTCSS and DCS decoder. Lighted keypad. Duplicate channel detection. 100 frequencies can be locked out from search. Very good audio and strong front end. Excellent internal shielding. Global rescan delay. Covers CB. Fixed modes and step sizes. IFs are 280.2 and 0.45 MHz, and perhaps one in between. For a quantitative test report, see "The RELM HS-200 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

Radio Shack

PRO-2004: 1986 vintage. Top of the line, wide band scanner for 1987. After a diode is cut, enjoy continuous coverage from 25-520 and 760-1300 MHz, AM, NBFM, and WBFM. Has 300 channels in 10 banks of 30, backed up by conventional 9 volt alkaline battery. Any channel can be designated the priority channel. Scans and searches fast. Lots of well designed features, like 10 pairs of search limits, Lockout

Review, default search increment and emission mode. Sound Squelch allows skipping dead carriers during search or scan. Metal cabinet, good internal construction and shielding, but no mobile mounting bracket or DC power cord. Soft touch membrane keyboard. Good sensitivity and selectivity. Very good radio. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2004 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, February 1987, and Monitoring Times, March 1987.

PRO-2005: 1989 vintage. Essentially a size reduced PRO-2004 with surface mount components and 400 channels. Some people think the small knobs, smaller display, and plastic cabinet are a setback from the 2004. The smaller size, real rubber keyboard, and vertical front panel make it easer to use mobile, although the keyboard is not backlit. More sensitive than the PRO-2004 but 800 MHz signals leak through into the commercial aero band. Highly recommended. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2005 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, June 1989, and RCMA Journal, August 1989.

PRO-2006: 1990 vintage. Essentially the same as PRO-2005 but scans faster. Probably the best scanner made to date. Highly recommended. See "The Realistic PRO-2006," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1990.

PRO-2035: 1995 vintage wide coverage base made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Poor dynamic range. 10 linkable search banks. Dumb Auto Store feature stores the same frequencies over and over. Wastes time scanning empty channels. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2035 - How Does It Compare With the PRO-2006?," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, January 1995.

PRO-2040: late 1995 vintage 100 channel base made by Uniden. Fair performance, but minimal image rejection. Local oscillator harmonics account for spurious responses, e.g., reception of cellular telephone calls in the 460 MHz UHF-high band. Scans over 40 channels/sec. Can lock out up to 50 channels from search. "Soft" on/off power switching via keypad. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2040," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1995.

PRO-2042: 1996 version of the wide coverage PRO-2035 base with improved firmware and amber display. Made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. NFM selectivity is still a problem but improved over PRO-2035. 10 linkable search banks. Smart Auto Store feature stores the unique frequencies. Can lock out up to 200 frequencies from search. Query facility indicates if and in what channel a frequency is programmed.

Scan skips over empty channels automatically. Can sort memories by frequency within a given bank. IFs are 609 - 612, 58.05, and 10.7/0.455 MHz. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Overall, a top grade scanner and second only to Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2042," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1996.

PRO-2045: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel base/mobile made for Radio Shack by Uniden. Tuning/channel selector knob. 10 banks, selectable attenuator, and rescan delay. CTCSS-capable with optional board. Great Auto Store. Weather alert. Scans and searches fast. Can lock out 50 frequencies during search. Step sizes fixed but AM and NFM modes are selectable. IFs are 380.7, 10.7, and 0.455 MHz. Images on VHF-high band despite high 1st IF. Some intermod on review unit. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2045," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2046: 1996 vintage 100 channel mobile made by Uniden with fairly good performance. Descendent of the BC760XLT but no CTCSS option available. Ten banks of ten channels. Scans memory at about 34 channels/sec. Service search, direct search, and band search. Preset search limits by band and user cannot program the search limits. Image rejection is minimal, as one would expect from a scanner with IFs of 10.85 and 0.450 MHz. 10 Monitor memory channels. Can lock out up to 20 channels from a search. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2046," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-34: Portable scanner with 200 channels and 800 MHz coverage. Ten "monitor" channels. Operates from AA cells. Slow scanning, low audio output, and chintzy plastic case detract from an otherwise good performance. No decent leather case available from Radio Shack. If you need a portable with 800 MHz, get a Bearcat 200XLT. If you can't get a 200XLT, get a PRO-34.

PRO-2021: Base/mobile scanner. 200 channels in 10 banks, LCD display and raised rubber keys. Lots of memory but scans too slowly and lacks 800 MHz. Ten "monitor" channels. Radio Shack seemed to have an overstock of 2021s as they were on sale for such a long time. Close out price dipped to about $200, which made it a nice scanner for beginners.

PRO-2022: Base/mobile scanner. Like the PRO-2021 but includes the 800 MHz band. Somewhat prone to intermod in the 460 MHz range. Cellular images throughout the 847.6 - 869 MHz range. See September 1996 Monitoring Times for modifications.

PRO-2036: Same as Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Scans and searches fast. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod, especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2037: 1994 vintage. Triple conversion all plastic base scanner made by GRE. Home version of the PRO-62 portable but with more intermod. 200 channels in 10 banks, one search bank, selectable AM and FM. Uses up conversion circuitry but inadequate front end filtering still allows images, though not as bad as in 10.7 or 10.8 MHz IF circuits. Crisp, respectable audio given the top mounted speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2037," by Bob Parnass, in July 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2001: Early, single bank 16 channel programmable. Reasonable coverage of the 3 traditional bands, minus aircraft band. LED digital display as well as an LED per channel. Mechanical lockout switch for each channel. Delay is either on or off for all channels at a time. High synthesizer noise level. Troublesome plated through holes on digital board in some units renders radio virtually unfixable. Could never get mine to work more than a few days in a row; always another bad connection. Some owners have no trouble.

PRO-52: 8 channel VHF-Lo/Hi base unit. No UHF band or provision for mobile operation. Good little scanner despite limited frequency coverage and Spartan lack of frills. Crisp squelch action and good audio, helped by a front mounted, vertical speaker.

PRO-2003: Radio Shack's 1986 top of line. 50 channels + 10 FM commercial broadcast band channels. Includes aircraft. Good frequency coverage and functionality, but at a high price. Poor human engineering: difficult to read keyboard makes the PRO-2003 hard to operate unless in a well lit room. Keyboard label coloring improved on newer units. Rather slow scan rate and high price. Although there are provisions for 12VDC operation, the cabinet shape and lack of mounting bracket makes mobile operation impractical. Scan rate only 8 channels/sec vs. 15/sec in Regency and Bearcat. Causes RFI: Plastic case permits scanner to radiate signals into nearby receivers.

PRO-43: Very good portable made by GRE. First Radio Shack portable with up conversion, and 222 MHz ham and 225 - 400 MHz military air band coverage. 200 channels, single search range. Small, convenient size. Muffled audio. Speakers in

early units known to fail and more powerful speakers were used in later units. 800 MHz band coverage fully restorable in early units by removing diode. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range.

PRO-60: 1995 vintage. Very good portable made by GRE. 200 channels, single search range. Similar features and same IFs as the PRO-43 it replaced but the PRO-60 has wider frequency coverage and crisper audio. Covers 75 MHz and commercial FM broadcast bands. Improved Direct search can be stepped manually in single steps. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Railfans take note -- the PRO-60 and PRO-43 are subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range. Draws 100 mA while scanning. See "The Radio Shack PRO-60 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, September 1995.

PRO-26: 1995 vintage. (Not to be confused with a simple 1985 crystal controlled portable bearing the same model number.) Very good portable made by for Radio Shack by Uniden. 200 channels, very fast scan/search. Good display. Covers all TV channels, but spectrum adjacent to cellular phone band is censored which prevents monitoring parts of some trunked systems (e.g., IL State Police district 4). Up to 50 frequencies can be skipped during search. Limited image rejection causes 929 MHz paging interference in 170 MHz range. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, and 5.5/0.455 MHz. Audio suffers from small speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

PRO-62: 1994 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Similar to PRO-43 but no military air band, different upper frequency limit, and slightly different IFs. Selectable AM/NFM modes. Better intermod immunity than PRO-43. See "The Radio Shack PRO-62," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1995.

PRO-64: 1997 vintage. Good portable 400 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-62 and has many more features. Selectable AM/NFM modes but fixed step sizes. 10 search banks which can be cascaded. Auto store saves unique frequencies found during a search. Frequencies can be loaded using a computer but optional interface kit not yet available. Can recharge Radio Shack's optional, monolithic NiCd pack, but not AA cells within the scanner. IFs are 257.5, 21.4, and 0.455 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-64," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-67: 1997 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-51 and has better image rejection and super fast scanning. Service Search lacks police frequencies. Fixed AM/NFM modes and step sizes. Can lock out up to 20 frequencies during a search. Can recharge | AA cells within the scanner. Frequencies adjacent to the cellular phone bands censored so our PRO-67 will not receive 868.9625 or 823.9625 MHz. Intermediate Frequencies are 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-67," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-30: 16 channel programmable portable with aircraft band. Good frequency coverage. Extra controls on top allow control of SCAN, MANUAL, and PRIORITY functions while worn on belt. Good belt clip. Low audio output. Plastic case prone to break at BNC antenna connector under severe use, vs. metal frame in Regency HX1000. High price, no discounts or sales yet. I had 6 or 7 PRO30s, having to return them several times during the 1 year warranty, although other owners have had little or no trouble. Troubles included oscillation in IF stage, no UHF band reception, case broken around base of antenna connector, etc.

PRO-24: 1983 vintage. Only 4 channels in this crystal controlled portable. Covers the three basic bands, but no aircraft. Easy to obtain batteries and crystals. Characteristic Radio Shack squelch problem, fixable by changing one resistor. All-plastic case larger than Bearcat Thin Scan and clones. See "The Radio Shack PRO-24 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, excerpted in the "Technical Topics" column, RCMA Newsletter, February 1984.

SPORTYS

JD-100: 1997 vintage. Limited 20 channel scanner which covers civil and military air bands only. Good audio. Large display shows frequency only out to 2 digits. Slow scanning and odd keystroke sequences. No key press confirmation beep. Cannot lock out channels from memory scan. Powered by AA batteries. Battery saver circuit. See "Sportys JD-100 Air Scan," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, November 1997.

Craig (division of Pioneer)

4530: Japanese 10 channel crystal controlled 3 band unit. Also available under Plectron name but in different cabinet. No aircraft band. Deluxe features like priority, trimmer capacitors for netting each channel, front panel speaker, and rugged metal cabinet make this unit a winner. Channel lockout slide switches have finite life. Replacing burned out incandescent channel lamps not fun. Grab a 4530 if you

find one in good condition.

Sonar

Sonar made several crystal controlled scanners and channelized monitor receivers which shared the same RF circuitry. Each radio was housed in the same size metal case and worked on both 120 VAC and 12 VDC. The models differed in the number of channels, the band coverage, and whether individual channels could be locked out.

Although they used a 10.7 MHz first IF, Sonar radios require parallel resonant crystals different from the common series resonant crystals used in Regency and Radio Shack scanners. Some Radio Shack crystals will work in Sonar units, but more often they oscillate a few kHz off frequency and are unsuitable unless changes are made to the oscillator circuitry. Therefore, beginners should avoid these radios. Typical Sonar squelch has long time constant causing a long noise burst at the end of each transmission.

FR-104, FR-105: 6 channel monitor receivers covering 25 - 50 MHz or 150 - 175 MHz. Manual channel selection, i.e., no scanning. Early models are identified by an 11 pin connector on the rear and they could be used with an optional NiCd battery pack and charger which bolted to the rear panel. Later models used Cinch Jones connectors with flat contacts. Optional tone decoder board.

FR-2512, FR-2513: 24 channel versions of the FR-104 and FR-105 monitor receivers. Manual channel selection, i.e., no scanning.

FR-2514, FR-2515: 8 channel scanners. Channel 1 priority. Recommend you avoid these models as there is no way to lockout a channel from the scan sequence.

FR-2526, FR-2526, FR-2528: 10 channel scanners covering various combinations of 3 bands. Each channel could be locked out. Channel 1 priority.

Sonar Model	#chan- nels	VHF low	VHF high	UHF scans?	lock- outs?
FR104	6	X			no
FR105	6	X			no
FR2512	24	X			no
FR2513	24	X			no
FR2514	8	X		yes	no
FR2515	8	X		yes	no
FR2516	10	X		yes	yes
FR2517	10	X		yes	yes
FR2525	10	X		yes	yes

FR2526 10 X X yes yes
FR2527 10 X X yes yes
FR2528 10 X X yes yes

Table 1. Summary of Sonar base/mobile monitor and scanner receivers

Tennelec

Manufactured the first synthesized scanners. See US patents 3,961,261 and 3,962,644, granted 6/1/76 and 6/8/76 respectively. Company went out of business several years ago. Schematics and parts difficult to obtain. Radios reputed to be poor performers. Got my MS-2 and MCP-1 basket cases for free and sometimes regret taking them. Not worth fixing unless you have access to DTL/RTL chips and circuit diagrams.

Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their transistor Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by portable pagers, and are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola Alert crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. These radios are fixed channel units and do not scan. They can be powered form 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord.

The audio quality on a Plectron P1 or 700 series is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity and intermod immunity is outstanding if aligned properly. Better image rejection than most scanners (see article by Bob Parnass in Monitoring Times, January 1996 for comparison). The Plectron 500 series is less desirable. The Motorola Alert monitors are pretty good, although the audio lacks bass.

No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, and there were versions optimized for each portion of the band. There were different "split" models to cover segments of VHF-hi band, too. Although UHF versions were made, they are somewhat rare.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies

far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency. Too, the P1 and R700 require different crystals.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

Some replacement parts are currently available from Federal Signal in University Park, IL, phone (800)524-3021. For more information, see "Add a Crystal Receiver to Your Arsenal," by Bob Parnass, January 1996 Monitoring Times.

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152. Improve the Squelch in Your Monitor Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6dcd27$5bq@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 168838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.info,sci.electronics.repair

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The squelch control in some FM monitor receivers is difficult to use because of too much hysteresis. The American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language defines hysteresis as the:

o "Failure of a property changed by an external agent to return to its original value when the cause of the change is removed."

It's like having play in a car's steering wheel, or backlash in a gear set. Too much hysteresis in a squelch circuit forces one to keep the squelch at a tighter setting, missing weaker signals when scanning or searching. The squelch hysteresis problem was first addressed in a 1984 article about the Radio Shack PRO-24 crystal controlled scanner.

Why do engineers design these circuits with any hysteresis? Basically, hysteresis prevents weak signals from "popping" the squelch open and closed rapidly, which would be very annoying to the listener. A squelch circuit with hysteresis requires a stronger signal to open the squelch than it does to keep it open.

Models cursed with too much hysteresis include the Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT and 760XLT, Radio Shack PRO-2003, PRO-2004, and others. Don't despair, the fix is simple for most radios. I've successfully reduced the squelch hysteresis by replacing a single resistor.

Hysteresis is usually implemented by providing feedback from the squelch gate input to output, through a resistor. The higher the resistor value, the less feedback there is, and less hysteresis. My modification involves replacing the "stock" resistor with a higher value resistor, as identified in the table below.

This technique does not apply to some of the newer Uniden models, because the squelch hysteresis is partially determined by firmware inside the processor IC.

This article cannot provide step-by-step instructions for each radio. I always encourage radio hobbyists to purchase the service manuals for their equipment. The most useful sections of the manual are the schematics and printed circuit diagrams. Good manuals will also describe the theory of operation and alignment procedures, and contain a complete parts list.

If your radio has too much hysteresis, and is not listed in the table, study the service manual. Motorola MC3357, MC3359, and MC3361 integrated circuits, which contain IF and squelch circuitry, are popular in scanners. In these receivers, look for the hysteresis resistor to be connected to these ICs.

Notes

1. The author cannot furnish modification information for other radios.

2. Don't attempt this, or any other internal modification, unless you are skilled in electronic servicing.

3. Make sure your receiver is disconnected from any power source before opening the cabinet.

Table 1. Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers

Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers		
Receiver Model No.	Res-istor Value	Stock Comments
Radio Shack PRO-24	R35	33K replace with 220K. Located between pins 12 and 14 of MC3357 (IC1)
Radio Shack PRO-2002	R197	47K try 220K.
Radio Shack PRO-2004	R148	47K remove R148 or replace with 220K.

	On linear board,
	between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC2)
Radio Shack PRO-2006	R152 33K try 100K or higher.
Radio Shack PRO-2022	R91 33K replace 33K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	on IC-1 MC3361
Radio Shack PRO-2035	100K replace 100K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC-2)
Electra/Bearcat 220	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 20/20	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 250	R66 2.2M may be ok as is
Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT	R58 22K replace with 6.8K
	or other value.
	(select value for
	the particular radio.)
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT	R91 860K replace with 2.2M.
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Plectron P1	R81 180K may be ok as is
Plectron 700	R96 180K replace with 560K
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153. Re: Analog Scanners will soon become Obsolete

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Ryan <"Robert Ryan"@gnn.com>
Message-ID: <34F94794.51D0@gnn.com>
Source record: 168887

D Stark wrote:
>
> Nextel Digital Network <"Nextel Digital Network"@nextel.com> > wrote in
> message <34F83A76.2B36@nextel.com>...
> >Introducing America's All-Digital National Network:
>
> Analog scanners will become obsolete only if Nextel achieves 100% market
> penetration. Not gonna happen. Eventually, the Justice Department will
> figure out what they're up to.

I believed that the Department of Justice, (DEA, FBI, IMS, US Marshals, Ect),
was a major subscriber of the SMR/Cellular service providers.

The 162-174 and 406-420 Mhz bands are now a vast wasteland of silence.

154. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Shoe <nospam@honest.com>
Message-ID: <01bd44a6$edc03ae0$422856d1@default>
Source record: 168888
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

I add mine as well. The troopers were out there doing their jobs. I'm pleased that the Atlanta paper also gave the story credible coverage.

> My sincere condolences to all parties involved and their families and friends who are left behind to grief.
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> --
> Take care...

155. kenwood tk 801 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <paulgm@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <34F9626F.1F0AACC@mailexcite.com>
Source record: 168541
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

I have a Kenwood TK-801 UHF radio and I was wondering how to re-program
the frequencies. Any help would be appreciated.
Thanks in advance.

Paul.
paulgm@mailexcite.com

156. ICOM R-7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fabio <fabioiac@ag.trinakria.it>
Message-ID: <6dcq0p$4vv@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 168542

I need a windows program for control my ICR 7000.
THANKS!!!

157. BC Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4578$63005480$aed271d1@dickburk>
Source record: 168543

Police Scanners For Sale

1-----Bearcat 60xlt Hand Held 30 Channels $ 60.00 no box have book
2-----Bearcat 80xlt Hand Held 50 Channels 75.00 no box no book
3-----Bearcat 350A Mobile/Base 50 Channels+ 80.00 no box no book
4-----Bearcat 300 Mobile/Base Needs Work 40.00 no box have book
5-----Pro 2026 Mobile 100 Channels 135.00 no box no book
SOLD
6-----Bearcat 890xlt Mobile/Base 200 channels 200.00 no box copy of
book
7-----

All Scanners are in mint condition unless told.The BC300
does scan,but nothing is heard on the freqs.Talk to
me.I am looking for:

1--Newer Dual Bander with removable face plate
2--6 Meter all mode
3--Yaesu FT-8000 or FT-8500
4--Kenwood TM-733
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Thanks
Email:toby@gis.net
Tel:978-281-3359

158. Re: Diskriminatorausgang

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Knut Otterbeck <otterbec@online.no>
Message-ID: <34FA0AA8.6D633A53@online.no>
Source record: 168544

If people think they get a better response by posting messages
in their "own" toungue ,it's all right and fine by me...

However,I do believe the response will be better if they post
in english :)

What does the FAQ say about "foreign" languages?

David M. Hitchner wrote:
>
> Is there some rule against posting in languages other than English in
> newsgroups? This is the "World Wide Web" isn't it?
>
> David M. Hitchner - dmhitchner@worldnet.att.net
> Baton Rouge, LA

> Keith A Monahan wrote in message <6dchs1$1fo@usenet.srv.cis.pitt.edu>...
> >Oh yeah? Well qwerty wqeryri adsfhj zxvxz asfdagang to you too.
> >
> >Post in english to international groups in the future.
> >
> >Fuchs Stefan (sfuchs@donau.de) wrote:
> >: Hi,
> >
> >: weiss jemand wo man am Albrecht RL-402 einen Diskriminatorausgang
> >: abgreifen kann??
> >
> >: CU Stefan

159. Re: Q: about the pro-26 virtual downconversion mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Squeeze the Weeze <none@spammer.now>
Message-ID: <01bd457e$8b6834a0$6a4de0c7@holmes>
Source record: 168545

Sorry, but you may be mis-informed. NO frequencies are
actually "converted". The only thing the mod does is switch
on the 800mHz bandpass filters when the scanner is tuned
to the 300mHz band. This allows you to RX by an IMAGE
produced from the 1st mixer stage in the 300mHz range.
Get the service manual and look closely at which pins you
jumper and this will all be clear.
--
-skweezieweezie

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160. Re: HF Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kingpin@magna.com.au
Message-ID: <35065806.21267503@news.magna.com.au>
Source record: 168546

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 10:28:08 -0500, Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net> took
time out from wrapping gaffer tape around gerbils and wrote:

> The Yupiterus and AORs give very good results for
> handhelds which are not dedicated HF radios. iCOMs
> and Alincos do pretty good.
>
> But even these are put to shame by even the lowest
> end of HF rigs like my ATS-909.
>

That all depends upon the antenna being used.

Get a decent HF antenna, and all the above scanners will give good
results.

Catchya

http://www.ozemail.com.au/~kingpin1

>The home of #The-Pit <

> Home of the Aussie Dropbear Page <

161. FS: 3 good scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: daryll1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302021801.VAA06022@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168547

For Sale: 3 nice scanners, listed below. All prices do not include shipping. No trades please. The reason I'm selling is because I have too much stuff now :).

1: Uniden BC-235 Trunktracker portable. I bought it new, have box, manual. Works great. $195.

2: Realistic PRO-2006. This one has the HB-232 mod installed for computer control. Very nice. Strong display light, not weak like some others. I might have the box upstairs in the attic, not sure. The HB-232 is installed in a nice enclosure, and can be disconnected if desired. $400.

3: Standard CCR-708. This is the one with the built-in spectrum display. Includes box, manual, and service manual. Works and looks very nice. 60-905 MHz with no gaps. $450

Contact by EMail if you're interested, I don't watch this newsgroup.

162. Re: Diskriminatorausgang

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <35031aaa.26090293@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 168548

kamst39+@pitt.edu (Keith A Monahan) wrote:

>Oh yeah? Well qwerty wqeryri adsfhj zxvxz asfdagang to you too.
>
>Post in english to international groups in the future.

The Ugly American strikes again, and from an .edu site, no less. I
apologize on behalf of my country for this idiot's outburst.

As for you, Monahan, if you can't read the language or answer the
question, leave it to someone who can.

Don't they teach ANYTHING useful in college these days?

>Fuchs Stefan (sfuchs@donau.de) wrote:
>: Hi,
>
>: weiss jemand wo man am Albrecht RL-402 einen Diskriminatorausgang
>: abgreifen kann??
>
>: CU Stefan

--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

163. What antenna would REALLY boost the Pro-38?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ak47@brionne.cyberverse.com
Message-ID: <888807233.917954@rodelo.cyberverse.com>
Source record: 168549
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hello everyone. I'm still stuck in the stone ages with a Radio Shack Pro-38 handheld. What I was wondering was, what antenna could I get for this scanner that would boost the scanner's signal reception to the maximum? If someone knows of an antenna I could get for this scanner, that would be GREAT. Even if it had to be run under a seperate power source. Of it someone knows of one that's doesn't need a power source, then the best that I could possibly get. Anyways, please e-mail if you can help me out.

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P.S. Scroll all the way down below to check out my RuTHLesS sigfile......

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THe SOuL CoLLeCToR......

Just in case you need the hookup.....I run a video conversion service. I'll convert your videotapes to NTSC, PAL, or SECAM format for a cheaper price than ANYONE on the net! Check out my website at:

http://www.cyberverse.com/~ak47

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164. Re: FS- Unblocked Yaesu FRG-9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerrym@infi.net
Message-ID: <34fb24ff.119918854@news.infi.net>
Source record: 168550
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 23:17:45 -0500, Gary Sanders <gsanders@gte.net> wrote:

>Yeah, but an unblocked one will receive from 20 to 950. I
>modified mine a couple of days ago.

Do you have a URL perhaps for the instructions in how to do this mod?

>
>
>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>>
>>
>> The Yaesu FRG-9600 was never built with any "blocked" frequency ranges.
>> A stock unit will receive 60 MHz to 905 MHz without any gaps.

165. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fa2cf2.2106663@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168551

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> >> I find myself particularly partisan against Cheek because I was stupid
> >> enough to sign up for one of his "Beta" tests on the PRO-43 and send him a
> >> few bucks for the plans.
> >> I was full willing to do the test and report any and everything I found in
> >> the test. What did I get for my money? NOTHING. He never sent me the >
> >> plans. Not even a postcard... I wonder how many other people he screwed
> >> out of a few bucks.

You're lying, Tyler.

For one thing, we don't charge money for beta
participation.

Secondly, we have no record of you whatsoever.

Thirdly, beta participation is usually totally
free, except that when hard copy is necessary,
we'll sometimes ask for a SASE and a stamp.

Not money, you lying sack of dung. Try telling
the truth, or don't you even know what that is?

+---+
| Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
| PO Box 262478 ~ San Diego, CA 92196-2478 |
| Busn-Voice: (619) 578-9247 (1:30pm-5:30pm, PDT) FAX: anytime |
| E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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166. Re: Future of police scanning as more cops use computers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-2P4LNHZY9dTw@localhost>
Source record: 168552

Ivan, <is it?>

Well, here in Houston we've already lost the right to a jury trial on parking tickets (yes, I know it seems somewhat preposterous) and have only an administrative hearing now.

Looking over some statistics from '96 it would seem the municipal courts brought in 49 1/2 million dollars that year with almost 1.2 million cases resolved. And that with a population of 1.6 million. That's tantamount to most everyone in the city having gotten one ticket that year and paid $30 for having done so. Rough calculations, but you get my drift.

> In fact the Mayor of my jurisdiction told us if we would spend more time ticketing > out of towners, then we would have had a pay raise.

Now why is that I believe I've heard that statement before? <G>

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

167. Re: Future of police scanning as more cops use computers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-c8t9swtpzHM5@localhost>
Source record: 168553

Andy,

Pretty progressive state that Hawaii! <G>

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

168. 10.7Mhz output mod for BC9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Ceraldi <ceraldi@albany.net>
Message-ID: <6ddfhbnse1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 168554

Is there a way to modify my BC9000XLT to add a 10.7mhz output jack for running aa AOR spectrum anilizer ?

169. Orange County, CA 800Mhz Public Safety Radio System: WPAT870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Felix <"Steve Felix"@home.net>
Message-ID: <34FAEB82.904@home.net>
Source record: 168555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,

Orange County's new 800MHz. system is a Motorola type II digitial trunked system. Astro Sabers and STX-3000's will be the portables and Astro Spectas will be the mobiles. The system is very 'cellular' in design and no radio will need more that 7 watts RF output to make it.

Most systems will be digital and render scanners useless - even trunktrackers. All city police and fire and county agencies will also be on this system.

Go to the PerCon frequency database page,
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm

The callsign search is a usefull tool because I just need a
simple callsign instead of having to manually type a list of freq's.
For example: search the callsign of wpat870, then print the
list of 35 frequencies.

The new OC 800mhz. System is assigned the callsigns of:
wnss311, wnss312, wnss313, @ wnss314.
The Mutual Aid frequencies are assigned the callsign of wpat870.

The Orange County Fire Authority (OCFA) has the callsign of wqz938,
with freq's in the 856-860Mhz. range.
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University of California, Irvine has the callsign wnwx380.

San Diego Gas & Electric is assigned the callsigns of wnkv831 & wnkv832
SDG&E utlizes the GE/Ericson system that has the obnoxious
"we bring good things to life" tones at the end of every transmission.
Is the a way to defeat this feature on our scanners?

Regards, Steve Felix

170. What is the best all around mobile scanner antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOSPAMabctyping@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34fa447a.110246728@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 168556

800 mhz, vhf, uhf and aircraft. Motarola mount is a must. Any
suggestions? Thanks.

Casey

Amateur Radio Station N4GKS
Remove "nospam" from e-mail address to reply.

171. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff McCann <j.mccann@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ddhji$icg@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168557
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

The reason we honor those who have died in the line of duty, even when they die from such prosaic, non-heroic causes such as traffic accidents, is to recognize the fact that they died while serving the common good. Thus, we honor their life, not their death. We acknowledge, at the conclusion of their life and career, the sum total of all of those little acts of bravery, kindness and sacrifice throughout their careers that, heretofore, may have gone unrecognized.

It is enough that they served, and died. They needn't go out in a blaze of glory to be heroes. These officers put themselves out there in harm's way for all of us every day, not just that last, fateful day. This makes them heroes, and worthy of this last small measure of gratitude and respect. God bless them and keep them.

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:==
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P.O. Box 10833, Pensacola, FL 32504-0833
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DISCLAIMER AND WARNING:
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Legal concepts mentioned probably don't apply to your jurisdiction or circumstances,
so consult your own attorney for specific legal advice.
Opinions expressed are mine alone, and probably don't reflect the views of my clients or employers.

Mr. Fun <gribble@primenet.com> wrote in article <34fa3ef7.17918261@news.primenet.com>...
> On 1 Mar 1998 19:31:21 GMT, "The Shoe" <nospam@honest.com> wrote:
>
> >This is a military police newsgroup.
>
> The original posting covered numerous newsgroups, not just your
> particular military one.
>
> Two brothers, albeit civilians, gave
> >their lives during the course of their duties. It does not diminish the
> >heroics of non-Policemen to focus on these brave policemen. But on this
> >news group the focus is on law enforcement personnel.
> >
>
> That's dandy but doesn't change the point of my post. The officers

> did nothing heroic. All they were doing was driving down the road.
>
> >The Joe Blow you mentioned would have not been out the night these two
> >policemen were. He would have been home watching TV "until the weather
lets
> >up". These men did not have the option of waiting for the weather to
clear
> >up. They had a duty to perform.
>
>
> The Joe Blow *I* mentioned was, for the example used, out on the road.
> Had I said "he was home watching TV" the example would have made no
> sense....just like your comments.
>
> >
> >>I in no way wish to minimize their deaths, but I fail to see any
> >> reason why it would warrant a memorial. All sorts of people get
> >> killed trying to help others. While it's certainly a tragedy it's no
> >> more tragic then 100s of other deaths that go pretty much un-noticed
> >> beyond their immediate area. If it had been Joe Blow who had been
> >> driving down that road to get back to his grandmothers farm to make
> >> sure she and the neighbors were alright would you be calling for a
> >> memorial to Joe Blow, responding to help his grandmother and friend in
> >> trouble and losing his life in such a tragedy?
> >>
>
>

172. FS/trade - Alinco ELH-7400 UHF Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ddhmo$bne@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Please make an offer for this item, I have no idea what its worth:

Its in mint cosmetic condition; however, operational condition is unknown. Sorry, no box, no manual. It requires a 13.8 VDC power source which is not included. It did power up when I put a power supply on it. I purchased this at an estatee sale with a box of other electronics stuff. I am not a ham, and therefore have no need for this.

The unit is all metal, approx 4" X 6" X 1"
A tag on the bottom of it says "rated input 10W"
The front of it has an "on-air" led, and three push buttons:

1. Mode - SSB/FM
2. RX - On/Off
3. TX - On/Off

I would be interested in trading this for a basic hand held scanner. Please let me know brand and model # on your scanner for trade. If necessary, I will add money to even up the trade.

173. Re: FS-RS-2026/DX-394

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ZEB <ofco@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ddjedouq2@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 168559

ZEB wrote:
>
> I have for sale a nice full cov-short-wave-uhf-vhf-station....
> RS-pro-2026-scanner full(800)with power-supply for ac.
> RS-DX-394-shortwave rcvr. Both-mint.. $325.for the pair!
>
> pse-email-I have refs--..tnx-zeb

last-call-$300-for the pair and I ship!

ZEB

174. AOR 8000 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtaylor@freeway.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f5aedfc51838420989687@newsserv.freeway.net>
Source record: 168560

I have an unblocked and Scout modified AOR 8000 for sale to the highest bider. Also includes the AOR RS232 unit. All in good working order and will ship. If you are interested please Email me at mtaylor@freeway.net

Thanks Mike

175. Re: FS: Radio Shack 10 Channel Handheld Scanner - $5 - Auction!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: fyrman7263@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302064701.BAA18038@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168561

six bucks

176. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34fa4550.4764359@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168562

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 09:37:17 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

>In article <34f91f80.19348649@nntp.ix.netcom.com>,
> geovet@ix.netcom.com (George Vetterle) wrote:
>>
>> On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 18:15:58 -0800, Dan Morisseau <dpm3@seanet.com>
>> wrote:
>> >
>> >MAlexder wrote:
>> >
>> >> Geez, that's too deep for me. I'm still struggling with figuring out why
>it is
>> >> that you just won't:
>> >> (1) stop fixating on Cheek's sexual procivilties;
>> >> (2) say something about scanners every now and then; and
>> >> (3) learn how to use a newsreader and post responses to their original
>threads
>> >> instead of creating new ones all of the time.
>> >
>> >Mike,
>> >
>> > You and I have crossed swords many a time; but you are right on
>target
>> >with this one! It is time for ALL the disruptive attitudes to disappear and
>let
>> >the newsgroup be enjoyed for what it is supposed to cover. Go get 'em,
>Mike!
>> >
>> >
>> I've had a difference of opinion or two with Mike myself but have to
>> concur that he is right on. I've tried to be more helpful with my
>> posts the last few months but it's hard to stay focused in this group.
>>
>
> Hard to stay focussed? Maybe you've got *Herpes cheeksiensis*.
>
It's possible. If I do, I probably contracted it from your mother.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-

Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

177. Re: Another thread

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34fa59ac.9976247@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168563

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 09:44:52 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

>In article <34f92eaf.23235636@nntp.ix.netcom.com>,
> geovet@ix.netcom.com (George Vetterle) wrote:

>> > You only object to off-topic messages if they are anti-Cheek. You give
>a
>> >pass to attacks on everybody else. Am I right or wrong?
>> >
>> You are dead wrong on that one Sternum. You must be new to these
>> parts, tenderfoot.
>
> Did your medical dictionary fall open to "S"? I know one thing for sure,
>you are among those afraid to speak against Cheek when he goes off-topic.
>
Naw, it opened on "P" (for prepuce) but that had already been used for
Mackey's eyelids. Sterndrive, I think you're bragging when you say
you know one thing for sure but for the record, I'm not afraid to
speak against *anyone*. The difference between you and Bill is that
your intention is to disrupt the news group. Bill provides a benefit
to the group, you detract from it. I don't always agree with Bill but
I cut him a little slack. You have shown me nothing so you get the
same in return. You should examine your own behavior.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

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178. Re: Beta Testers Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34fa51a4.7920679@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168564

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 12:00:14 -0800, Brian Reed <zzzkj7js@usa.net>
wrote:

>iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
<snip>
>> And the two of you are Cheek clones. That doesn't add up to much
>> brainpower, in my estimation. Your "agreement" is to attack anyone who
>> criticizes Cheek. Is that important for this news group?
>>
>
>That seems to be how Cheek likes things. He can't debate an issue,
>merely insult and otherwise attempt to silence the people that don't
>nuzzle his posterior. Apparently now there are two droids that don't
>mind doing so.

Where did you come from and who invited you into this thread?
Did all the rain up there drive you out of the ground along with
the worms?

I'm not motivated by what Bill or anyone else, including you, likes
or dislikes. I'm on my own program. You're a fine one to speak
of nuzzling. Hehehehe.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

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179. Re: Beta Testers Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34fa4c73.6591823@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168565

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 09:41:35 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

>In article <34f92ae0.22260223@nntp.ix.netcom.com>,
> geovet@ix.netcom.com (George Vetterle) wrote:
<snip>
>> The squeaky wheel gets the grease. If you persist, you're liable to
>> *really* piss Michael off. That might be unwise, particularly with me
>> on his side. We have often been at odds in the past, but I am in
>> agreement with him now regarding the status quo of this news group.
>>
> And the two of you are Cheek clones. That doesn't add up to much
>brainpower, in my estimation. Your "agreement" is to attack anyone who
>criticizes Cheek. Is that important for this news group?
>
Hehehehe! I don't think Michael is going to appreciate your
perception of him. I haven't agreed with Michael to take any
kind of action. Read what I posted. Your ADD is acting up again.
Do you take medication for it? If so, perhaps your dosage needs
adjustment. Exactly *what* has been your contribution to this news
group? Are you trying to surpass John Mackey's record for off topic
posts? You have potential but I don't think you're going to be around
long enough. Hehehehe.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

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180. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34fa4624.4976864@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168566

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 09:34:33 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

>In article <34f91928.17724572@nntp.ix.netcom.com>,
> geovet@ix.netcom.com (George Vetterle) wrote:
>>
>> On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 12:53:31 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote from his
>> closet:
>>
>> >In article <01bd409e$b9ffc740$3cdd0ad0@default>,
>> > "Charlie Dwenger" <cdwenger@hsonline.net> wrote:
>> >>
>> >> Your sleepin` with Mackey ain`t ya?
>> >>
>> >
>> > Can anything be more pathetic than a Cheek clone? Cheek himself has
>such
>> >a limited repertoire, like a dog licking up its own vomit.
>> >
>> > Does it take a clinical psychologist to figure out the personality of
>a
>> >man who accuses everybody else of being homosexual?
>> >
>> Methinks maybe you protesteth too much. Are you trying to tell us
>> that you aren't? Maybe that is the reason for your hostility. It
>> might do you good to come out of the closet. Confession is good
>> for the soul.
>
>
> Your sophomoric post ignores the fact that Cheek and his clones accuse
>others of sodomy at every opportunity. Why is that?
>
>
Be specific. Do you want to know why my post ignores the fact,,,or
why Cheek and his clones accuse others...? Don't get me wrong,
I'm not homophobic. If you wish to remain in the closet, it's your
choice. Hey, whatever cranks your tractor. I just thought that you
might be less hostile if you came out.

There's a group of fellows in Portland you may be interested in
joining. They have similar predicaments to yours and act as a
mutual support group. Some of them post to this news group
occasionally and one of them will probably be in contact with
you. HTH

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

181. Re: YUPITERU MVT-9000 Comments?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ragna5x5@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302074500.CAA17740@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168567

I agree Mac,does Bob Parness and Richard Wells live in the U.S

182. Possible Java Virus ! = Used Scanner Price Guide

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: phantm <phantm@silverlink.net>
Message-ID: <34FA8629.CD877215@silverlink.net>
Source record: 168568
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

HOUNDDOG wrote:

> The February update has now been posted. Check it out at
> http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/home.html

183. Mods needed for a Bearcat BC700A & BCT-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: maverick@camcomp.com
Message-ID: <34fa9b78.72800158@news.camcomp.com>
Source record: 168569
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

If there are any mods available please email the info to me.

Thanks
Maverick

184. Re: HF Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <34FAA738.A1D276D4@vnet.com>
Source record: 168570

Derek Woodlands wrote:
> Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net> wrote :
> > But even these are put to shame by even the lowest
> > end of HF rigs like my ATS-909.
>
> That all depends upon the antenna being used.
>
> Get a decent HF antenna, and all the above scanners will give good
> results.

Good results, yes. But using the same antenna, the dedicated
HF will still outperform the HF/VHF/UHF radio. Especially
when it comes to images.

Connect a decent HF antenna to the Yupiterus, Alincos or
Welzs and they are almost useless due to excessive overload
imaging. AOR and iCOMs handle it better but are still
subject to more of the same.

If you are _serious_ about using such a radio for HF, then
be prepared to lay out some extra $ for a preselector.

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

185. Re: Icom-r10 Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <34FAAB9E.3DD156BA@vnet.com>
Source record: 168571

Bob / Barbara wrote:
> Can anyone tell me how this radio is Compared to the Aor8000.
> Is it on the same level as the aor8000 or the aor8000 still light years
> away from it. Thanks

R10 is a nice radio but is too quirky and slow for most people.
Or in other words, most people will be happier with the AR8000.
But while the R10 is 'quirky', the AR8000 is complex due to
its keystrokes and large number of features. AR8000 is not
built as well as the R10 either but it is the superior
receiver.

I have written reviews of both. If interested, go to my home
page below, follow the radio monitoring link, page down to
my table of receivers and click away.

Good luck and happy reading!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

186. FS: Sportcat scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobc@loren.com
Message-ID: <Ep70K5.F7y@twisto.eng.hou.compaq.com>
Source record: 168572

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FS: Uniden Sportcat scanner

Black, 100 channels
Excellent condition, only used for 5 stock car races

Yours for $100.

Bob Cope
bobc@loren.com
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187. Frequencies for Collingwood and Wasaga Beach, Ontario

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <enzo@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34FABC53.53BD@ibm.net>
Source record: 168573

I'm looking for the above. If anyone knows of a site that has this information that would be great!

Thanks

188. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: maxinnis@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302141701.JAA07983@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168574

>>Subject: Re: The Spectacle
>From: "Charlie Dwenger" <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
>Date: Sun, Mar 1, 1998 23:03 EST
>Message-id: <01bd4577$28aea1c0$61dd0ad0@default>
>
>Hey Mackey, got news for ya, I ain`t Mr. Cheek.

>*John_Mackey* - KA0SSF <jmackey@NOSPAM.usa.net> wrote in article
><34F9D42D.3B53@NOSPAM.usa.net>...
>
>> I wonder if this is one of Bill Cheek's alter ego's? He is making
>> the same type of accusations Bill likes to make

i wanna know who iwstirn really is. he's posting thru bigfoot but his messages are coming out of 129.37.130.xxx which is wa.us.ibm.net. ghansen is posting thru wa.us.ibm.net too but he's using usa.net. are they the same people....

meanwhile, mackey posted a message about keeping off topic off and on topic on and then he goes right out and starts posting off topic messages. he is a liar like no other liar in history. he's a disgusting and sick individual who has done nothing but cause trouble here and like a bad stink on a skunk's butt he won't go away.

Max Innis

189. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hackman <hacker@nospam.jump.net>
Message-ID: <34FABF9C.7157CD16@nospam.jump.net>
Source record: 168575
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Harold Lines wrote:

> I had heard that they died, but didn't know the circumstances. I am so
> sorry to hear of this, but I do appreciate the post very much - thanks, Big
> Daddy. I hope that those who like to bash all cops will stop and think
> about these two brave men, responding to help someone in trouble, and losing
> their lives in such a tragedy. I hope there is a memorial erected at the
> spot where they died.
>

Harold, we "cop-bashers" don't need to "stop and think" about these two brave officers.We too, care for the lose of life, any life. These officers are to be commended for there actions.

> In sorrow,
>
> - Harold

190. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hackman <hacker@nospam.jump.net>
Message-ID: <34FAC078.F4D9C197@nospam.jump.net>
Source record: 168576
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

The Shoe wrote:

> This is a military police newsgroup. Two brothers, albeit civilians, gave
> their lives during the course of their duties. It does not diminish the
> heroics of non-Policemen to focus on these brave policemen. But on this
> news group the focus is on law enforcement personnel.
>

maybe you should check the news group line fellow....it was not posted tojust
a military police news group....

> The Joe Blow you mentioned would have not been out the night these two
> policemen were. He would have been home watching TV "until the weather lets
> up". These men did not have the option of waiting for the weather to clear
> up. They had a duty to perform.
>

Joe Blow WOULD have been there helping his grandmother...just because YOU
would need somebody to prod you to go help YOUR grandmother doesn't mean that
that is the case for every body else.

> >I in no way wish to minimize their deaths, but I fail to see any
> > reason why it would warrant a memorial. All sorts of people get
> > killed trying to help others. While it's certainly a tragedy it's no
> > more tragic then 100s of other deaths that go pretty much un-noticed
> > beyond their immediate area. If it had been Joe Blow who had been
> > driving down that road to get back to his grandmothers farm to make
> > sure she and the neighbors were alright would you be calling for a
> > memorial to Joe Blow, responding to help his grandmother and friend in
> > trouble and losing his life in such a tragedy?
> >

191. Re: 10.7Mhz output mod for BC9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6def0t$13u@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 168577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6ddfhbnse1@news.monmouth.com>,
Aaron Ceraldi <ceraldi@albany.net> wrote:

>Is there a way to modify my BC9000XLT to add a 10.7mhz output jack for
>running aa AOR spectrum anilizer ?

From the FAQ article SCANNER RADIO REVIEW BRIEFS:

"... BC9000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. ...
IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, 0.455 MHz...."
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Copyright 1997, Bob Parnass, AJ9S parnass@bell-labs.com

Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

192. 2006 Sevice Manual SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rreider@pop500.gsfc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <6degk8$pog@post.gsfc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 168578

2006 Service Manual has been sold.
Thanks for all the replys.

193. Help. AOR AR-1500 User Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Remigio Bottaccio <bottaccio@span.ch>
Message-ID: <6dehe9$2pm$1@sibyl.sunrise.ch>
Source record: 168579

I am looking for a AOR AR-1550 user manual, handy scanner.

Please help me.

Thanks.

Remigio

194. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@ameritech.net
Message-ID: <34facdbb.433701519@news.detroit.mi.ameritech.net>
Source record: 168580

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 23:35:47 -0800, **John Mackey** KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Let's keep the on topic messages ON TOPIC. Let's keep the off
>topic messages, OFF. Let's stay accurate to our subject
>& if it is off subject then let's NOT post it!
>
>Thus our newsgroup reading will be more enjoyable for all!
>
>thanks

And WHAT if anything at all, did this post of yours have to do with
scanning?
Lead by example Mackey, or shut up.

Does anyone know when the Canton Mi Pd went to a repeater?....what a
bonus when I returned home to hear such clarity and range. Whoo hooo
(see mackey....scanner related)

The CB Guy

http;//www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

195. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Betty <sorry@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <34FADF6A.147F@nospam.com>
Source record: 168581
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Jeff McCann wrote:
>
> The reason we honor those who have died in the line of duty, even when
> they die from such prosaic, non-heroic causes such as traffic accidents, is
> to recognize the fact that they died while serving the common good. Thus,
> we honor their life, not their death. We acknowledge, at the conclusion of
> their life and career, the sum total of all of those little acts of
> bravery, kindness and sacrifice throughout their careers that, heretofore,
> may have gone unrecognized.
>
> It is enough that they served, and died. They needn't go out in a blaze
> of glory to be heroes. These officers put themselves out there in harm's
> way for all of us every day, not just that last, fateful day. This makes
> them heroes, and worthy of this last small measure of gratitude and
> respect. God bless them and keep them.
> --

Succinct and true. Thanks.

--
MZï¿½

196. Looking for scanner freqs.????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Twano <spadoc@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <01bd45f7$ca2fa280$32dea4cd@spadoc>
Source record: 168582
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

If you're looking for scanner frequencies, visit the homepage of Manasquan (NJ) Hook & Ladder Co.#1. Go to the "links" section and click on the "Percon" link. You'll be able to try their free on-line database search of over 3 million listings(accurate to the summer of '97)
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/9174
We're constantly updating the page so stop back often.

197. wanted:logic/cpu board for a 2006 !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: S&#65533;ren Kristian Larsen <skl@danavox.dk>
Message-ID: <34FADA7C.FBB2DC12@danavox.dk>
Source record: 168583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I need a logic/cpu board for the 2006.
Can anybody help me with that ?

thanks.

andybenzon@hotmail.com

198. wanted: logic/cpu board a pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: S&#65533;ren Kristian Larsen <skl@danavox.dk>
Message-ID: <34FADAE6.8F13955@danavox.dk>
Source record: 168584

I need the logic/cpu board for a pro 2006.
Can anybody help ?

thanks.
andybenzon@hotmail.com

199. Re: Beta Testers Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: formerly@knownas.3MTA3
Message-ID: <34fed49a.13277289@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 15:15:28 -0600, *John_Mackey* - KA0SSF
<jmackey@NOSPAM.usa.net> wrote:

>iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
>> Let's hope people remember your experience next time Cheek puts out one
>> of his advertisements. Did he respond to your post here, or did he change the
>> subject with a lot of bluster?
>
>
>Cheek certainly would NOT want to respond HONESTLY as the truth might
>get out!

You've had lots and lots of practice in this arena, loony. Hypocrisy IS your
strong point.

200. uniden sportcat 150 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdeyo@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <34fbeaee.1950645@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 168586

hello all,
can anyone point me to a link or faq on how to
modify a uniden sportcat 150 scanner to get a
few more frequencies out of it? many thanks ...
jeff

jdeyo@iamerica.net

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(318)425-0340 facs Shreveport, LA 71101-5393
http://www.deyo.org mailto:jdeyo@iamerica.net

201. Re: kenwood tk 801 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gbrahms@sr.hp.com
Message-ID: <6deq21$o5l@canyon.sr.hp.com>
Source record: 168587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

Paul (paulgm@mailexcite.com) wrote:
: I have a Kenwood TK-801 UHF radio and I was wondering how to re-program
: the frequencies. Any help would be appreciated.
: Thanks in advance.

: Paul.
: paulgm@mailexcite.com

I assume that the TK801 is the UHF version of the 701. This radio does not program like the TK705 whre you move a jumper and use the front panel. It has a 32X8 PROM. I have a 701 and its service manual gives the procedure for determining what data you need to put in the PROM for the desired freqs. You then use a standard PROM programmer to program the device. The PROM can only be programmed once so you need a new PROM each time you want to change freqs.

Good hunting,

Greg WB6UHH

202. Re: A really stupid problem THANKS TO ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: PIDGE35@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6denlb$bs4$1@newsd-164.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168588

Thanks to all the good people who have written to me. This is a great group!

I've tried a little of everything that was suggested, and most of the silly putty came off.

Thanks again!
Robyn

203. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cam <ccanupii@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34FB6B60.FDDECEE8@earthlink.net>
Source record: 168589
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

joe wrote:

> > >I had heard that they died, but didn't know the circumstances. I am so
> > >sorry to hear of this, but I do appreciate the post very much - thanks, Big
> > >Daddy. I hope that those who like to bash all cops will stop and think
> > >about these two brave men, responding to help someone in trouble, and losing
> > >their lives in such a tragedy. I hope there is a memorial erected at the
> > >spot where they died.
> > >
> > >In sorrow,
> > >
> > > - Harold
> It'll just get paved over when they rebuild th road.
> Now speaking of memorials what happened to the Lee Harvey Oswald
> memorial? Don't hear too much about it any more. Guess the nation
> lost interest.

Yes indeed, lets minimize the deaths of the people that try to save lives and glorify the lives of those who take them. Good point, now if you let your hair grow it might get covered up.

204. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FB71F3.7FA70736@usa.net>
Source record: 168590

tvine@teleport.com wrote:
>
> x-no-archive: yes 486764539823468
>
> In article <34FB21E5.27D1D1CA@usa.net>, G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net> wrote:
>
> > >
> > > x-no-archive: yes 486764539823468
> >
> > Petey, what are you trying to hide??
>
> Nothing. I just dont like to waste permanent band-width putting

If that were not a concept unfamiliar to you, the truth, nobody would
have seen you post anything other one about the wisdom of connecting a
scanner to a TV antenna on a ham newsgroup.

> > Obviously far better than your record is Boy Prozac. What's your point,
> > we never see you, Boy Prozac,
>
> Glenn, you crazy old fart. (thats what Cheeks calls him).

So you are jealous of Cheek.

> I dont take any drugs. Never did.
> The posts you saw 2 years ago were part of an internet
> research project I was involved in.

Oh, sure Petey, just like you playing in bar bands and teaching music to
little kids out of your studio apartment is fantasy too. Tell more
loser. Gosh Prozac Petey, who commissioned the research project? Where
are the results posted? What lie next Petety Boy Prozac.

> RESPOND TO THIS POST __NOW__!!!

Yea, like you have control over me. Hell you can't even control your own
life Boy Prozac. How soon before you run to alt.revenge to cry about
mean Glenn again. Now that was funny, at least the outcome was.

205. Keypad for Pro-43?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: JosephIV@pcisys.net
Message-ID: <34FB7190.D261BA97@pcisys.net>
Source record: 168591

Hello,

Looking for rubber keypad for Pro-43...any clues?

-J-

206. Re: signal, code, 10-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FB7573.1C70C62C@usa.net>
Source record: 168592

zippy wrote:
>
> Where can I get some kind of info on the signals, codes, and 10 codes?

I would consider a WWW search and then if you don't find what you are looking for ask some specific questions in the newsgroup.

> Are they all different?

Yes they vary from state to state, city to city, well you get the point.

> If they are, Are there any tricks that anybody
> knows to breaking them other than common sense?????

Become a police communications person.

Make friends with a cop.

Break into a cop car when they are on break and rifle their belongings for information.

Commit various offenses and listen on your scanner for YOUR call and see what codes they use.

Just kidding. Listening and common sense will get you far though.

Glenn

207. Re: FS: Radio Shack 10 Channel Handheld Scanner - $5 - Auction!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan <bryan@bc.cybernex.net>
Message-ID: <6dh69opki1@news.cybernex.net>
Source record: 168593

I'll give ya $5.11

Big Daddy wrote in message <6dauqh$j2e@chile.earthlink.net>...
>$5.10
>
>
>
>Fyrman7263 wrote in message
><19980301062100.BAA04233@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
>>I will give u 5 for it
>
>

208. FS or FT: UHF programmable handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Marsh <nickwb4sqi@wwd.net>
Message-ID: <34FB7B1F.6CE@wwd.net>
Source record: 168594
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Midland 70-254B (same as Icom u16) with 13.2v 1000mah battery,
both are like new, with box, manual, no charger.

Covers 440 to 470 mhz, 16 channels, keyboard programmable, PL
encode/decode, channel masking, uses Icom accessories.

Looking to trade to a scanner, BC3000, BC895, BC235, or similar.
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73
Nick Marsh
WB4SQI

****
Pursuant to US Code, Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, ï¿½227,
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US. E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.
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209. Looking to buy AOR-AR2700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brent Andre <brent5@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6dfuo2$l6n$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 168595

I'm looking to buy an AOR-AR2700 scanner with no gaps in excellent condition with no scratches.

Brent

210. FS: RS Pro 2035 $300 New in box.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Flatter <bill@bigsky.net>
Message-ID: <34FB8F6E.5DA2@bigsky.net>
Source record: 168596
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

If you have a need for this scanner please drop me a line at the
following address;

bill@bigsky.net
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If you are planning a trip to Montana this year then go here
first, http://www.missoula-mall.com for all your travel needs
such as lodging, dining and guide service.
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211. Re: PLEASE HELP!(THANKS!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: DerrikS@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dg498jap1@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168597

Thank you! Ya'll have been a big help to me and I really appreciate it!

Derrik

212. PRO-64 Trunk tracking scanner???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: merrypaws <merrypaws@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ejpHXxmR9GA.261@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 168598

Pro-64 owners , can u tell me if the pro-64 is a trunk tracking scanner???.
I have call 2 Radio shack stores and I got two different answers. Pro64
are on sale this month $149.00 good deal???

213. Problems with my RS-2036

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christian Ricci <cricci@diac.com>
Message-ID: <34FB9EAD.7CB509D0@diac.com>
Source record: 168599

Hey all,

I'm having some problems with my 2036, maybe one of you will recognize the problem and can help me decide what to do with this beast.

A little while ago, I lost a good two-thirds of the functionality of my scanner:

I can tune (key or dial) to specific active frequencies but won't hear anything. I can scan between two frequencies but it won't pick anything up. Also, my WX scan doesn't work.

However, if I program a frequency (any of the frequencies that should've worked, above) into a bank and scan my banks, the scanner works just fine (as fine as a 2036 will....). I think that I may have also lost some of the range as well. Frequencies that once came through loud and clear only break squelch now.

I had tapped the discriminator for some digital stuff but none of these behaviors seem (to this idiot) to be related to a fried discriminator. There is no evidence of a short circuit (of the smoky kind) on the board....

Does anybody have any ideas of how to further isolate the problem (and maybe get it fixed)? I'm open to suggestions.

~chris

PS - I'm also looking for antenna ideas (indoor, apartment building, near computer equipment..... hmmmm... sound's like a lost cause...).

214. Re: FS- Unblocked Yaesu FRG-9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: &miker <&miker@ethergate.com>
Message-ID: <34FBA17A.E960567F@ethergate.com>
Source record: 168600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Carl Hodder wrote:

> Kin Ho (bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net) wrote:
>
>
> >This MINT UNBLOCKED receiver comes with all of the
> >accessories/box/mobile bracket (never installed in vehicle). This is
> >most likely the cleanest one you will find in the Country. $500
>
> I'm not familiar with the unblocked FRG9600's but didn't
> the regular FRG9600's sell new for about $459?
>
> Is the only difference with the unblocked model in the
> CMT in the 800 MHz band?
>

Nope, not even that is different. All 9600s did/do cellular.

Remember that a brand new '65 Mustang sold for $1795. Try
to find one for that little today.
But it's not really relevant to this discussion.
The FRG9600 ain't no Mustang...more like an Edsel. :-)

If anybody really wants a $500 FRG9600, I could be
persuaded to make mine available...

miker

--
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK BELOW.
http://www.ethergate.com/users/miker/index.html
Page is moving, so
If that fails, email to %NM7U@JUNO.com and remove the %

215. WTB: ICOM R100, R7100, or Shinwa SR-001

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg May <greg_may@hp.com>
Message-ID: <34FBABC8.3C8A@hp.com>
Source record: 168601

ICOM R100
ICOM R7100
SHINWA SR-001

Yep, I am looking for these machines. ANyone have one to part with?

Thanks

Greg
greg_may@cv.hp.com

216. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: tvine@teleport.com
Message-ID: <tvine-0203982358290001@pdx42-a48-11.teleport.com>
Source record: 168602

In article <34FB71F3.7FA70736@usa.net>, G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net> wrote:

> tvine@teleport.com wrote:
>
> > RESPOND TO THIS POST __NOW__!!!

And GleenWeenie did just that. He may not know much, but he follows orders
pretty good.
RESPOND! NOW!!!!!!

217. Re: PLEASE HELP!(THANKS!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: revRecluse@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dgchkhmt1@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168603

ive got a pro-39 as well and had the same problem- what i did was to get
little bits of alumonin foil and and put them into the rubber pads and
the they act like new contact points- they work like brand new now! just
make the bits of alumonim small enough to get inside the rubber keys-
and flatten them out as well- ive had them in for 3 yearsand ive never
had a problem- kelly

218. F.S RS 2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: steven.e.huss@tek.com
Message-ID: <steven.e.huss.167.0067855D@tek.com>
Source record: 168689

I have a very nice Radio Shack 2004 scanner that has the three common mods. Comes with the manual and antenna.
Also has the aftermarket label over the number keys to show the extra memory.

Would like to trade this for a piece of Drake gear. Looking for a R-4C, SPR-4, SW-4, MN2000. Would sell it for $250.

Steve

219. WTB: Uniden BC2365XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeff Chauza, RCDD" <jchauza@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <34FAF36F.52B12C12@dallas.net>
Source record: 168690

If anyone has a Bearcat BC235XLT for sale, or knows where to get one cheap, please reply to this post.

Thank you!

Jeff C.

220. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FAF747.B3FED821@usa.net>
Source record: 168691

Max Innis wrote:

> i wanna know who iwstirn really is. he's posting thru bigfoot but his messages
> are coming out of 129.37.130.xxx which is wa.us.ibm.net. ghansen is posting
> thru wa.us.ibm.net too but he's using usa.net. are they the same people....

BAWAHAHAHAHAHA! This is as funny as the iwstirn idiot accusing
Alexander of being a Cheek groupie! BAWAHAHAHAHAHAHA! You obviously
haven't been in the newsgroup very long or you certainly wouldn't have
wondered if I was iwstirn. Can't breathe, laughing too hard, gotta go
lay down. BAWHAHAHAHAHA!

> meanwhile, mackey posted a message about keeping off topic off and on topic on
> and then he goes right out and starts posting off topic messages. he is a liar
> like no other liar in history. he's a disgusting and sick individual who has
> done nothing but cause trouble here and like a bad stink on a skunk's butt he
> won't go away.

You haven't said anything that hasn't been said before about John in the
last 3 years. The guy posts up to 300 off topic messages a month (record
for John is 362 last September I believe). What would you expect?

221. Re: kenwood in dash scanner WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <XoqqJXBbov+0Ewp2@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 168692

In article <01bd4533$077b1f40$d3c99dcc@n0mnb.ppp>, Pre-installed User
<n0mnb@minn.net> writes

Hi,

>I LOST INFO ON THE TYPE SCANNER THAT GOES IN DASH THAT KENWOOD BUILT A YEAR
>AGO OR SO SOMETHING LIKE R-100 ??? ANY INFO WOULD BE
>APRECATED..

The RZ-1 was a good few years back now. I've never seen any "On line"
reference in terms of data etc on this unit.

Posted in a.r.s.uk over the weekend was the following...

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From: Tony Georgiou <tags@tags.demon.co.uk>
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner.uk
Subject: Kenwood Wide Band Receiver RZ-1 For sale
Date: Sun, 1 Mar 1998 23:39:42 +0000
Organization: Skins-R-Us
Distribution: world
Message-ID: <DAWn$HA+Gf+0Ewoq@tags.demon.co.uk>

Kenwood Wide Band Receiver RZ-1 For sale, excellent condition.

Any offers??

tags@tags.demon.co.uk
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DJ TAGS

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Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, U.K.	AOR AR5000/7000/7030/8000, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Realistic PRO-26/2042, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627	Uniden UBC-3000XLT/UBC-9000XLT, Icom IC-R10
Clough@Javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
PGP Key available on request \ http://www.javiation.co.uk/
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222. Radio Shack Scanner for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stratus <lana@spam_you.nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <01bd460d$90e3a880$154122cf@default>
Source record: 168693

Hi...
Wouldn't you know it.. I get a scanner and several months later the local police force switches over to 800mhz Trunked frequencies. Now.. 800mhz I can handle.. but the trunked pretty much messes up all my fun.

So anyways.. I'm selling my scanner it's a Realistic 100 channel, Pro 2040

It gets the following frequencies: 29-54,108-136, 137-174, 406-512, 806-823, 581-868, 896-956MHz

If anybody is interested.. I'm in Calgary, Canada and am taking the best offer. Send me e-mail at the above address.. but be sure to take the spamguard out of it.
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Thanks all!

Lana

"you know me and Jesus are of the same heart
The only thing that keeps us distant
Is that I keep f*cking up"

-The Indigo Girls

223. Need schematic for Bearcat 210 XW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: JNunziato@a-o.com
Message-ID: <6deu4n$8eo@edrn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168694

Help!

I've got a Bearcat 210 XW that is almost dead. Audio works ok (great white noise), squelch works, but that's it. No activity or life on the display and no signals heard when manually entering a frequency or pressing WX.

Does anyone have a schematic? Any ideas? Please E-mail me at JNunziato@a-o.com.

Thanks
Jim

224. AOR-3000A/AR-3000A F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmtmn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302192401.OAA17661@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168695

I have an AOR-3000A/AR-3000A for sale. Unit is in excellent condition. Owned by non smoker. Selling because I'm in the process of changing hobbies. Comes with optional 10.7IF Output Jack/Mod..This was installed at the factory. Also comes with back of set antenna, manual, mobile mounting bracket, power supply. Does not include Cellular (CMT). Asking $800.00. ->Dan

225. WOW very nice dutch freq-list !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: PI462-THE NETHERLANDS <pi462@freemail.nl>
Message-ID: <01bd4614$ccd45680$f3ebadc3@default>
Source record: 168696
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner

PI462 is a dutch radio-amateurclub for young (<65 years) radio-amateur people.
Look at:
http://members.xoom.com/pi462
This is the dutch version but the english version is under construction and will be ready very soon.

Look also to the nice dutch frequencylist in the index at the left side !!!

226. Re: A really stupid problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6df2jb$2c5$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 168697

"newbie" <reddog113@goplay.com> wrote:

>I took apart my scanner and found that the pad can be taken out of it. If
>your scanner has a rubber pad for the buttons then you could take it out and
>wash it. Just be careful not to rip it and dry it real good before you put
>it back in. You have a really clever kid if she thought the numbers would
>come off. That is a pretty funny story. Hope this helps
>>>

I'd be careful when following this advice. Most scanner keypads are
simply carbon contacts deposited on the rear of the rubber buttons
(keys).

When the key is depressed, the carbon shorts two contacts on the PC
board behind it.

If you remove the rubber keypad and wash it, you could accidently
remove the deposited carbon and the key pad will not work when
installed.

The same goes for freezing the keypad in its entirety. What you need
is localized freezing. You could try some "freeze-spray" (used by
electronic technicians) to freeze each putty-covered key individually
in order to remove the putty.

I would then use a hair dryer of heat gun to remove any moisture
("frost") before proceeding to the next key. Be sure not to hurry and
don't apply too much heat!

Almost anything you can do to solve this problem has an equal chance
of damaging the keypad or scanner if not done correctly and carefully!

Steve

227. Re: uniden sportcat 150 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fb0d5f.59568224@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168698

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

jdeyo@iamerica.net wrote:

> hello all,
> can anyone point me to a link or faq on how to
> modify a uniden sportcat 150 scanner to get a
> few more frequencies out of it? many thanks ...

Ummmmm, like what do you mean? More coverage
or more memory?

+-----------------------------------------------------------------+
| Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
| PO Box 262478 ~ San Diego, CA 92196-2478 |
| Busn-Voice: (619) 578-9247 (1:30pm-5:30pm, PDT) FAX: anytime |
| E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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228. Re: wanted:logic/cpu board for a 2006 !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fc0db3.59652968@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168699

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

"Sï¿½ren Kristian Larsen" <skl@danavox.dk> wrote:

> I need a logic/cpu board for the 2006.
> Can anybody help me with that ?

Well, you'll have a problem with that, because
no one in their right mind would sell one out
of a working scanner.

But if out of a basketcase, you'd not know if
the Logic/CPU Board was the main fault.

The best bet is to contact each regional service
center for Radio Shack and see if they will sell
you one.

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|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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229. PLEASE HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Smileys@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6df0mu$hb5$1@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168700
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Realistic/Radio Shack PRO-39
with a huge problem. Half of the buttons on the keypad stopped working!
Only the buttons in the center seem to work and sometimes you have to
press them several times to work! I've taken it apart and cleaned and
checked out all the connections and still no dice. Pretty please tell me
what I should do. Can it be fixed? If I have to resort to taking it to
Radio Shack, how much do you think it'll cost? An e-mail response would
be much appreciated. Thank you all for your time.
derrik_@yahoo.com, or derriks@webtv.net

230. Re: uniden sportcat 150 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Smileys@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6df046hak1@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168701

I would also like to know of any please.

derrik_@yahoo.com

231. Re: PLEASE HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302202001.PAA24945@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168702

Radio Shack has a flat scanner repair rate of around $55 plus parts. if you are handy & know what parts you need you can order the part(s) & do it yourself. good luck!

232. Re: whats in 200-406mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Atkinson <klajr@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FB152F.BC75A7F2@swbell.net>
Source record: 168703

Can a Pro 51 be modified to receive the 200-406mhz range? New just found group.
Jeff171 wrote:

> what is in the 200-406 mhz area?
> Jeff (Jeff171@aol.com)

233. FS: Kenwood RZ-1 wideband scanning receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sprint99@gte.net
Message-ID: <6df5dj$4rd$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 168704
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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~500 kHz to 905 MHz full continuous coverage
(No frequencies blocked out)
AM, FM-N, FM-W, FM-stereo, TV

condition: like new in box w/ original documentation
(scehematic and instruction manual),
no scratches, fully functional, very seldom used.

Best offer gets it.

mailto:sprint99@gte.net
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234. Pro 51 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Atkinson <klajr@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FB1BD8.740C00E0@swbell.net>
Source record: 168705

Just found group, have been hearing about "Mods", can anything be done
to my 51?
Frequency additions, etc..
Thanks, Ken

235. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FB21E5.27D1D1CA@usa.net>
Source record: 168706

tvine@teleport.com wrote:
>
> x-no-archive: yes 486764539823468

Petey, what are you trying to hide?? Are you so stupid that you don't realize when someone replies to your message it is archived? You're as ignorant about computers as you are scanners. Why are you trying to hide your posts? Embarrassed eh? Scared one of your little piano student's mom might see your posts?? BAWAHAHAHA!

> In article <34FAF747.B3FED821@usa.net>, G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net> wrote:
>
> > You haven't said anything that hasn't been said before about John in the
> > last 3 years. The guy posts up to 300 off topic messages a month (record
> > for John is 362 last September I believe). What would you expect?
>
> Hmmm. I wonder what your record is, iwstern, I mean Hansen?

Obviously far better than your record is Boy Prozac. What's your point, we never see you, Boy Prozac, doing anything but flame at people. You have NEVER posted a scanner related message in this group. So what is your point Boy Prozac? What are you hiding from?

BTW, only an ignorant piss ant or a drug induced mind would ever mistake or even try and imply iwstern and I are one and the same. Oh wait, you fit both requirements!
BAWAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA!

Listen to the voices Petey Boy Prozac. Jump! JUMP! JUMP NOW!

236. Connecticut Scanning Web Page!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: troop490@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302212000.QAA04107@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168707

There is a new Web page dedicated to scanning in good Ole' Connecticut. It includes

Emergency
Highway/ DOT
Air
Marine
Links
and "The Cordless Corner", a weekly column by Casey Stegman with tips, tricks and other secretsd the FCC forgot about.

This will be a HOT page!! Will be up and running by March 5th!!!

Members.aol.com/troop490/ctscan.htm

237. FS/BC-150 $95.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sanders <jdsand@flash.net>
Message-ID: <34FB288E.76D@flash.net>
Source record: 168708

HAVE A LIKE NEW SPORTCAT 150-B WILL SHIP FOR $95.00
JOHN

238. Re: Houston Police helicopter freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: randycz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302221800.RAA13410@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168709

In article <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-jDvEx2zl6DVo@slip-32-100-186-29.tx.us.ibm.net>,
chuckiex@ibm.net (Charles McCallister) writes:

>Rereading your earlier post, I wanted to know what Special Ops 460.350
is
>mostly used for. Would you know?

Charles,

Special Ops is usually used for police escorts, accident dispatches, parades, and like events. I monitor this frequency to catch the calls for Fox units because there is usually less traffic. I can catch the incidents I am searching for with out a lot of DL checks, license plate checks, etc.

General broadcast calls for the Fox units go out for car chases, robberies in progress, bank robberies, or crooks (actors) on the ground on foot running from the PD units. Sometimes after a bank robbery special ops will be used by the PD units trying to find the radio transmitter placed in the money bag by the bank teller.

Special Ops is also used when a domestic or foreign dignitary is in town. This is usually some pretty interesting monitoring. During these events Special Ops will be "down", the dispatcher's way of letting police units know that only traffic relating to this event is to be broadcast on this frequency. And, if you are on the road alot like I am it helps to know what roads are closed.

Hope this helps.

Randy

239. Cellphone Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy*Kapp <andykapp@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6dfc6l$n6m$2@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 168710
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a motorola meteor handheld phone, its not aflip phoe , but I found it on the street and its locked. can anyone tell me how to unlock it and scan with it? any help appreciated e-mail me if you can thanks a lot in advance

240. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <34ff1dc9.5834146@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 168711

G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net> wrote:

>You haven't said anything that hasn't been said before about John in the
>last 3 years. The guy posts up to 300 off topic messages a month (record
>for John is 362 last September I believe). What would you expect?

Yeah, and when he posts 300 such messages, he gets about 900 followups
from people like you. If everybody ignored him, he'd disappear, or
post on topic. The fact that you went to all the trouble to count all
his posts indicates that you're as sick as you think he is.
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glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

241. IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: someone@somewhere.com
Message-ID: <34FB4DC4.7E4@somewhere.com>
Source record: 168712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Most of the posts from "iwstirnm@bigfoot.com" originated from the EPA site
in the Research Triangle area of NC. It appears that "iwstirn" is a government
employee who works for the EPA and has been spending lots of government time and
money (your Tax Dollars at work) flaming various news groups during working hours.
There are also several posts that were made via IBM.NET in the Research Triangle
area of NC at the following subnet 129.37.240.xxx (slip129-37-240-xxx.nc.us.ibm.net).
I believe that the real "iwstirn" in located in the Research Triangle area of NC
and some of his recents posts at the following subnet 129.37.130.xxx
(slip129-37-1300-xxx.wa.us.ibm.net) are most likely an attempt to hide is
true location by dialing into a IBM.NET POP located in WA state.

It would be very interesting to see what his employer thinks about his USENET activities
during working hours using govenment resousrces at the EPA. (Your TAX DOLLARS!)

By the way "iwstirn" has also posted under "wmgeoewald@juno.com" back in July of1997
from the same EPA IP address 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov). In
some of his post from last year he used an Organization line of "KD4EUW". Could this
be his Amateur Radio Call sign???

Search results for "KD4EUW" on http://www.qrz.com/

Callsign: KD4EUW
Name: WILLIAM G EWALD
Addr1: RT 2 DEER RUN 9
Addr2: APEX NC 27502
Country: USA
Class: Tech Plus
Effective: 17 Sep 1991
Expires: 17 Sep 2001
Location: 35.713 N 78.821 W Wake County
Email: EWALD.WILLIAM@EPAMAIL.EPA.GOV <*** real EPA E-mail address!!!

I think we now know who "IWSTIRN" real identity!!!

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Posted via EPA.GOV in the Reseach Triangle area of NC

Subject: ARRL WRC -99 Planning Committee
From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
Date: 1998/02/27
Message-ID: <6d6egg$6m8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Organization: Deja News - The Leader in Internet Discussion

X-Article-Creation-Date: Fri Feb 27 13:19:21 1998 GMT
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.04 [en] (Win95; U)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.policy
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)

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Posted via EPA.GOV in the Reseach Triangle area of NC

Subject: Re: Free Scanner Antennas!
From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
Date: 1998/02/23
Message-ID: <6crvst$n8m$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
References: <34ed472c.63540727@news2.cts.com>
Organization: Deja News - The Leader in Internet Discussion
X-Article-Creation-Date: Mon Feb 23 14:08:29 1998 GMT
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.04 [en] (Win95; U)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)

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Posted via EPA.GOV in the Reseach Triangle area of NC

Subject: Re: Charlie's appeal: Please let it die
From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
Date: 1997/12/29
Message-ID: <883402326.214630416@dejanews.com>
References: <34985178.21092198@news2.cts.com>
<19971218021000.VAA01384@ladder01.news.aol.com> <349893a1.5440245@news2.cts.com>
<34a7aa67.13211116@news.cyberhighway.net> <349D9ECB.6931@parg.org>
<01bd0e95$59fb4f80$2fdd0ad0@default> <349df6ac.70906846@news2.cts.com>
<882801578.252968965@dejanews.com> <34a136e6.30656873@news2.cts.com>
<34A2C60A.103E@usa.net> <01bd11a3$a3ab5ce0$1ddd0ad0@default>
<883234347.245563395@dejanews.com> <34A6C0F2.20E9@usa.net>
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
X-Authenticated-Sender: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.0 (Win16; U)
Organization: Deja News Posting Service
X-Article-Creation-Date: Mon Dec 29 13:32:06 1997 GMT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

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Posted via EPA.GOV in the Reseach Triangle area of NC

Subject: Re: New Scanner Laws
From: wmgeoewald@juno.com
Date: 1997/07/29
Message-ID: <870189063.29783@dejanews.com>
References: <19970719154701.LAA25327@ladder02.news.aol.com> <33D17A5C.2D8D@scarlan.com>
<33D27037.D49@prodigy.net> <5r01r7$rlb@larry.cc.emory.edu>
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.0 (Win16; U)
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
Organization: Deja News Posting Service
X-Article-Creation-Date: Tue Jul 29 15:11:05 1997 GMT
X-Authenticated-Sender: wmgeoewald@juno.com
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.autos.sport.nascar

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Posted via IBM.NET in WA

Subject: Newsgroup Virus
From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
Date: 1998/03/01
Message-ID: <6dbube$5la$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 129.37.130.82
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.02 (Win95; I)
Organization: Deja News - The Leader in Internet Discussion
X-Article-Creation-Date: Sun Mar 01 15:20:37 1998 GMT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

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Posted via IBM.NET in NC

Subject: Thw Arrogance! The Plagiarsm!
From: IWSTIRN@BIGFOOT.COM
Date: 1998/02/05
Message-ID: <886672345.195362818@dejanews.com>
References: <34C68F7F.52FD@geocities.com> <34D19547.2FB2@idoj.com>
<34D60750.35620F9B@ix.netcom.com> <6b5gfd$5bf$1@atlantis.pixar.com>
<6bbbmv$i7v@news.Hawaii.Edu> <6bbl7r$5io@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 129.37.240.116 (slip129-37-240-116.nc.us.ibm.net)
X-Authenticated-Sender: IWSTIRN@BIGFOOT.COM
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.02 (Win95; I)
Organization: Deja News Posting Service
X-Article-Creation-Date: Thu Feb 05 09:52:25 1998 GMT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Message-ID: <870189063.29783@dejanews.com>
References: <19970719154701.LAA25327@ladder02.news.aol.com> <33D17A5C.2D8D@scarlan.com>
<33D27037.D49@prodigy.net> <5r01r7$rlb@larry.cc.emory.edu>
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.0 (Win16; U)
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
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Posted using e-mail address "wmgeoewald@juno.com" and Organization line of "KD4EUW"

Subject: Re: tetraethyl lead
From: "c" <wmgeoewald@juno.com>
Date: 1997/08/15
Message-ID: <33F47D57.1553@juno.com>
References: <01bc9c98$893bf020$bdf449cc@josch.wavefront.com>
<01bc9e93$4dea19a0$1bfcd986@biivax.inet.dp.beckman.com>
<33eefbf2.1898278@news.supernews.com> <33F064D9.F89@america.net>
<33f27411.3321905@news.supernews.com> <33f38fc2.15735298@news5.bellatlantic.net>
Reply-To: wmgeoewald@juno.com
Organization: KD4EUW
Newsgroups: rec.autos.tech

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242. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302230000.SAA15098@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168713

>Subject: Re: The Spectacle
>From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net (Glen Quarnstrom)
>Date: Mon, Mar 2, 1998 17:14 EST
>Message-id: <34ff1dc9.5834146@news.cyberhighway.net>

> If everybody ignored him, he'd disappear, or
>post on topic. The fact that you went to all the trouble to count all
>his posts indicates that you're as sick as you think he is.

What's ironic is that you don;t follow your own advice. You readily respond to off topic posts. Why should Glenn be any different?

When someone posts hundreds of messages within a month or so, aren't you curious to know what they are about? Since it's no big deal to find out how many posts a person makes, you can hardly call it a sickness (not unless you happen to be grinding your ax and out to make a point, no matter how weak it is, which is what you seem intent on doing).

Hey, that lame-brain Strin has posted close to 200 messages since the beginning of the year, with only a few on- topics. Check his postings in other NGs, and you'll see that he uses the same MO there as he does here.

You're right, of course. If everyone did post on topic, Mackey and his ilk would go away. They never have anything to say about scanners.

243. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302230801.SAA16353@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168714

>Subject: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
>From: someone@somewhere.com
>Date: Mon, Mar 2, 1998 19:24 EST
>Message-id: <34FB4DC4.7E4@somewhere.com>

> Callsign: KD4EUW
> Name: WILLIAM G EWALD
> Addr1: RT 2 DEER RUN 9
> Addr2: APEX NC 27502
> Country: USA
> Class: Tech Plus
> Effective: 17 Sep 1991
> Expires: 17 Sep 2001
> Location: 35.713 N 78.821 W Wake County
> Email: EWALD.WILLIAM@EPAMAIL.EPA.GOV <*** real EPA
>E-mail address!!!
>
>I think we now know who "IWSTIRN" real identity!!!
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I'm standing and applauding. This looks like a good piece of sleuthing work.

When this whole identity thing came up, I checked dejanews and saw that he's been having a run in with people on other newsgroups and they too have pointed out that he's a government employee. I wonder if anyone has ever complained to his IT department? The other thing I noticed is that none of his anti-Cheek/pro-Mackey diatribes have been cancelled, although most everyone else who posted to threads about Cheek or Mackey had theirs cancelled. I wonder why that is?

Hey William, can you give us a few secret EPA freqs?

244. Re: wanted:logic/cpu board for a 2006 !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Montalbano <jrmont@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <34FB674D.4884@iquest.net>
Source record: 168715
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Sï¿½ren Kristian Larsen wrote:
>
> I need a logic/cpu board for the 2006.
> Can anybody help me with that ?
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> thanks.
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> andybenzon@hotmail.com

I need everything but a logic board for a PRO2006. If you fail to get a logic board, let me know what you want for the rest.

245. Re: PLEASE HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <34fb303d.366810@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168716
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 2 Mar 1998 13:18:54 -0600, Smileys@webtv.net (Lee Smiley)
wrote:

>I have a Realistic/Radio Shack PRO-39
>with a huge problem. Half of the buttons on the keypad stopped working!
>Only the buttons in the center seem to work and sometimes you have to
>press them several times to work! I've taken it apart and cleaned and
>checked out all the connections and still no dice. Pretty please tell me
>what I should do. Can it be fixed? If I have to resort to taking it to
>Radio Shack, how much do you think it'll cost? An e-mail response would
>be much appreciated. Thank you all for your time.
>derrik_@yahoo.com, or derriks@webtv.net

Usually the contacts just wear in time on the back of the rubber
keytop. It is best usually to replace this instead of trying to clean,
scrub, etc. the contacts because you mainly make it even worse off and
can damage the graphite contact areas on the keypad. With the Pro-43,
I find that it is usually about time to replace the charging power
jack and the headphone jack about the same time that you replace the
keytop (rubber keypad). You should be able to order this directly.
Right now I am not able to pull up the correct website since
they seem to be overloaded at the time, but here is how to get to it.
Go to http://support.tandy.com and click on something like electronics
then communications and then scanners. Click on the info for the
Pro-39 scanner. There should be a detailed parts listing. Over in the
right hand column should be a RP# or RSU#. Find the right one for the
'keytop' and call 1-800-THE-SHACK or the number listed at the top of
the detailed parts list. I think that last one that I ordered for a
Pro-43 was $5.91 plus s/h. It will be to ya in about 3 days.
Another way to fix this would be to use "Loc-Tite Rear Window
Defogger Repair Kit" it can usually be found at the local Wal-Mart or
auto-parts dealer. It is a conductive resin that you can coat on the
contacts of the keytop and then you let dry overnight, etc. The bad
bit is that the bottle costs a pretty penny ($11.00, not too bad, but
more than the keytop) and usually dries out before you get around to
repairing other remote controls or when the rear window defogger
actually decides to go bad.

Wiggie

246. Re: Diskriminatorausgang

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kamst39+@pitt.edu
Message-ID: <6dffc9$b8i@usenet.srv.cis.pitt.edu>
Source record: 168717

Glen Quarnstrom (glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net) wrote:
: kamst39+@pitt.edu (Keith A Monahan) wrote:

: >Oh yeah? Well qwerty wqeryri adsfhj zxvxz asfdagang to you too.
: >
: >Post in english to international groups in the future.

: The Ugly American strikes again, and from an .edu site, no less. I
: apologize on behalf of my country for this idiot's outburst.

Well first off, Quarnstrom, who made you our ambassador to any country?

Net etiquette on this is REAL clear. Messages that are posted to
international group should be done in English.

: As for you, Monahan, if you can't read the language or answer the
: question, leave it to someone who can.

: Don't they teach ANYTHING useful in college these days?

Yeah, and one topic is COMEDY. So take a chill pill, Quarnstrom.

But we appreciate your input!

Keith

: >Fuchs Stefan (sfuchs@donau.de) wrote:
: >: Hi,
: >
: >: weiss jemand wo man am Albrecht RL-402 einen Diskriminatorausgang
: >: abgreifen kann??
: >
: >: CU Stefan

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: glenq@cyberhighway.net
: WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

: http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

247. Re: FS- Unblocked Yaesu FRG-9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <6df9id$8k1$1@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 168718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Kin Ho (bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net) wrote:

>This MINT UNBLOCKED receiver comes with all of the
>accessories/box/mobile bracket (never installed in vehicle). This is
>most likely the cleanest one you will find in the Country. $500

I'm not familiar with the unblocked FRG9600's but didn't
the regular FRG9600's sell new for about $459?

Is the only difference with the unblocked model in the
CMT in the 800 MHz band?

>
>Go to this site for a photo/specs:
>
>http://members.aol.com/frg9600/info.html
>

248. Re:Chicken Meat in the Pro-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: tdickson@seidata.com
Message-ID: <6dfjejktj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 168719

Well, Im sorry buddy but I have never heard about putting chicken meat in a radio shack scanner, But if you like, go ahead and try it and let us all know how it works!!!!

Oh by the way, Fix the CAPS LOCK I think it might be stuck on you!

Good Luck Kernal!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

249. Re: ICOM IC7100 FOR SALE...SOLD!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9patsmk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302235300.SAA28639@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168720

The radio is sold!!! Thanks to all who were interested.!!!

250. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jungle jim <junglejim@delta.com>
Message-ID: <34FB46E6.5D683EB3@delta.com>
Source record: 168721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace

Your spam makes me want to up Chuck.

251. Re: RS PRO 2006 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "W. Forrest Joyner, O.D." <eyedoctor@sockets.net>
Message-ID: <34fb4645.0@news.socket.net>
Source record: 168722

All seriousness aside, will you have to change your EMail address if you sell it? :-)

<2006_1111@ridgecrest.ca.us> wrote in message <34f906d2.2063820@news>...
>I have a RS Pro 2006 scanner for sale. Cell and speed mods. Near mint
>condition wiht original box and manual. $350.
>I can be reached at 760 375-2343.
>GW

252. Re: FS- Unblocked Yaesu FRG-9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <34FB4AF1.62811E96@primenet.com>
Source record: 168723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Carl Hodder wrote:
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> Kin Ho (bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net) wrote:
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> >This MINT UNBLOCKED receiver comes with all of the
> >accessories/box/mobile bracket (never installed in vehicle). This is
> >most likely the cleanest one you will find in the Country. $500
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> I'm not familiar with the unblocked FRG9600's but didn't
> the regular FRG9600's sell new for about $459?

Yes, that is pretty close to what I remember. The video detector
board sold as an accessory for the astounding price of $25.00US.

> Is the only difference with the unblocked model in the
> CMT in the 800 MHz band?

The FRG-9600 is a pre-cellular ban radio. It had continuous coverage
of 60 MHz to 905 MHz. The 800 MHz range was not blocked.

> >
> >Go to this site for a photo/specs:
> >
> >http://members.aol.com/frg9600/info.html
> >

253. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <34FB4CAF.C209F354@primenet.com>
Source record: 168724

John "I miss my Richard Simmonds" Mackey KA0SSF droned:
>
> Let's keep the on topic messages ON TOPIC. Let's keep the off
> topic messages, OFF. Let's stay accurate to our subject
> & if it is off subject then let's NOT post it!
>
> Thus our newsgroup reading will be more enjoyable for all!
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> thanks

A laudable sentiment, Toilet Boy, even for you. However, when one stops
to consider that you, and you alone have been responsible for over 90%
of the rancor in the alt/rec.radio.scanner groups for the last two
years,
your statements are laughable and reek with hypocrisy. I would expect
nothing less from you, Toilet Boy.

OB On Topic: ScanCat, the best software for scanning around. No
connection
with the company, just a satisfied customer.

254. RE: John Mackey Shows His Genetic Deficiencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <34FB4D36.86C4D34@primenet.com>
Source record: 168725

John "I need Richard Simmonds to pump, pump, pump me" Mackey lied:

> If i could see you were consistant & fair I probably would post the
> data you request. For example, the SAME info you refer to has
> been requested from Cheek for nearly TWO YEARS with NO RESPONSE!
> Yet I have only been requested for this same data for a few months
> & catch all the hell for not giving it when you give Cheek NO TROUBLE!
>
> When you prove you have become fair & consistant I will review the
> situation & decide at that time!
>

You're a liar. I have repeatedly asked you for proof of your degrees for the last two years. Now you have added the need for "consistency and fairness" to prerequisites before you'll backup your claims of a degree with proof. Lame, Toilet Boy, lame.

By claiming that Bill Cheek must prove his degrees before you do, makes your degree claims highly suspect. Requiring an external entity, which you have no control over, to provide evidence before you provide evidence is a diversionary device. You're attempting to divert responsibility of proof from you, to Bill Cheek. That diversion provides you with a reason to not provide the requested evidence; a mechanism so you won't have to prove your claims. It is a means for you to hide from the truth, the truth that you lied.

In view of the many detractors you have in the scanner newsgroups, and the Internet in general, I'm surprised you haven't silenced them by posting your degree information. It would certainly help your credibility here. I surmise that you have withheld this information for one of two reasons.

Reason 1: You really do have the degrees you claim. But, you desire to antagonize Bill Cheek, continue a protracted flame war for the sheer pleasue of it all, and enjoy being a total jerk.

Reason 2: You do not have the degrees you claim. You refuse to provide proof because there is no proof to show. If it was ever proven that you have no degrees as you claim, you would be caught in your biggest lie yet. Since your lie has persisted for nearly two years, you can't afford to lose face. You have to maintain the lie at all costs.

I say it is Reason 2. You've already been proven a liar about your so called technical articles. Adding the lies about your degrees would be within character for you. In the absence of proof from you, there is only one logical conclusion. You lied.

I think you want to have a flame war because you're a sore loser about your treatment on Fidonet. You've never posted anything of value or accuracy, only lunatic rantings. Claiming to have "cleaned up" the newsgroups is another one of your fantasies as well.

You're still a liar and a fraud, Toilet Boy.

BTW, your proctologist called. He wants you to know the window for your navel has arrived, and he is ready to do the surgery. He expressed concern that you're unable to see where you're going and wants to do the operation as soon as possible.

255. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FB4FE3.87DFCC0E@usa.net>
Source record: 168726

Glen Quarnstrom wrote:
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> G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net> wrote:
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> >You haven't said anything that hasn't been said before about John in the
> >last 3 years. The guy posts up to 300 off topic messages a month (record
> >for John is 362 last September I believe). What would you expect?
>
> Yeah, and when he posts 300 such messages, he gets about 900 followups
> from people like you. If everybody ignored him, he'd disappear, or
> post on topic. The fact that you went to all the trouble to count all
> his posts indicates that you're as sick as you think he is.

Hey, pull the stick out Glen and take your own advise rather than post
an off topic message. WHY did YOU respond to my post? What was your
motivation Glen? Seems the "900 followups" are more your type of folks,
pointless and mindless.

BTW, I hate to burst your bubble Glen, but it takes about 15 seconds to
"count all his posts". You not knowing this says quite a bit, doesn't
it?

256. My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FB4FB1.2568@usa.net>
Source record: 168727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I just wanted to let everyone know that I am gay. I've been a really bad mood these last few months, as I broke up with my long time lover. Don't worry, I'll be much less abusive now since I've found a brand new boytoy to pump my asshole into a bloody mess nightly again! I'm really sorry about any problems I've caused in the newsgroup! Gotta run, as I have 10'' of manhood calling me right now!!!

257. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FB530D.20A0061A@usa.net>
Source record: 168728

MAlexder wrote:
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> >Subject: Re: The Spectacle
> >From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net (Glen Quarnstrom)
> >Date: Mon, Mar 2, 1998 17:14 EST
> >Message-id: <34ff1dc9.5834146@news.cyberhighway.net>
>
> > If everybody ignored him, he'd disappear, or
> >post on topic. The fact that you went to all the trouble to count all
> >his posts indicates that you're as sick as you think he is.
>
> What's ironic is that you don;t follow your own advice. You readily respond to
> off topic posts. Why should Glenn be any different?

Glen has some sort of ax to grind. I figure it must be because I don't agree with every criticism made of Cheek over the past 3 years. If you don't hate Cheek 100% you seem to have every nut from Oregon whining and raising hell. Go figure.

(snip)

> You're right, of course. If everyone did post on topic, Mackey and his ilk
> would go away. They never have anything to say about scanners.

That is why it is so easy to ignore Mackey and his ilk's posts. You never have that nagging doubt that you might be missing something when you just pass them by.

258. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd463e$02cc44e0$32dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168729
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Dear Someone,
Great job!!! Now I`m mad as hell thinking that MY hard earned money paid for this idiot to set on his butt, on MY time, flaming ME. Do you have the name of the congress-man for N.C.? I think a talk is in order.

Thanks again,
Charlie

someone@somewhere.com wrote in article <34FB4DC4.7E4@somewhere.com>...
> Most of the posts from "iwstirnm@bigfoot.com" originated from the EPA site
> in the Research Triangle area of NC. It appears that "iwstirn" is a government
> employee who works for the EPA and has been spending lots of government time and
> money (your Tax Dollars at work) flaming various news groups during working hours.

259. FS: TWO NEW TRUNKTRACKERS 200.00 EA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: 9LIVES <110025.1771@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <uJl9LrjR9GA.308@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 168730

I HAVE TWO NEW, IN-THE-BOX, BEARCAT PORTABLE TRUNKTRACKERS FOR
SALE AT $200.00 EACH. FULL FACTORY WARRANTY.

IF INTERESTED CONATCT ME AT 9LIVES@COMPUSERVE.COM

260. Re: FS- Unblocked Yaesu FRG-9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Sanders <gsanders@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6dfk21$bm3$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 168731
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Try:

http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/8516/

Gary

Ger wrote:
>
> On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 23:17:45 -0500, Gary Sanders <gsanders@gte.net> wrote:
>
> >Yeah, but an unblocked one will receive from 20 to 950. I
> >modified mine a couple of days ago.
>
> Do you have a URL perhaps for the instructions in how to do this mod?
>
> >
--

Gary Sanders

Bait for spammers (With credit to E. Needham):
root@localhost
postmaster@localhost
admin@localhost
abuse@localhost
postmaster@127.0.0.1

261. Re: LAPD Tactical Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <34FB50FB.11AA@c-com.net>
Source record: 168732

Warrio9202 wrote:
>
> Hello there just to let u know there is a book with freq's in it and its alot
> eaiseir to read then the one radio shack sell so far all i know there is one
> store that sells it and its called SuperSound in San Fernando it covers only :
> Los Angeles county
> Imperial County
> Orange County
> Riverside county
> San Bernardina County
> San Diego county
> Ventura County
> and Baja California
now that's a study.

262. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Who <who@what.net>
Message-ID: <34FB3E29.5526@what.net>
Source record: 168733

Everyone should send their complaints to the following
administrator at the EPA in Research Triangle Park, NC

internet_support@unixmail.rtpnc.epa.gov

MAlexder wrote:
>
> >Subject: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
> >From: someone@somewhere.com
> >Date: Mon, Mar 2, 1998 19:24 EST
> >Message-id: <34FB4DC4.7E4@somewhere.com>
>
> > Callsign: KD4EUW
> > Name: WILLIAM G EWALD
> > Addr1: RT 2 DEER RUN 9
> > Addr2: APEX NC 27502
> > Country: USA
> > Class: Tech Plus
> > Effective: 17 Sep 1991
> > Expires: 17 Sep 2001
> > Location: 35.713 N 78.821 W Wake County
> > Email: EWALD.WILLIAM@EPAMAIL.EPA.GOV <*** real EPA
> >E-mail address!!!
> >
> >I think we now know who "IWSTIRN" real identity!!!
> >
>
> I'm standing and applauding. This looks like a good piece of sleuthing work.
>
> When this whole identity thing came up, I checked dejanews and saw that he's
> been having a run in with people on other newsgroups and they too have pointed
> out that he's a government employee. I wonder if anyone has ever complained to
> his IT department? The other thing I noticed is that none of his anti-
> Cheek/pro-Mackey diatribes have been cancelled, although most everyone else who
> posted to threads about Cheek or Mackey had theirs cancelled. I wonder why
> that is?
>
> Hey William, can you give us a few secret EPA freqs?

263. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody <nobody@nowhere.org>
Message-ID: <34FB5334.1AF4@nowhere.org>
Source record: 168734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

i just check out http://www.epa.gov and the internet admin's
e-mail address is internet_support@unixmail.rtpnc.epa.gov
everyone should send a complaint the EPA admin to see if we
can get his internet access at the EPA revoked!

someone@somewhere.com wrote:
>
> Most of the posts from "iwstirnm@bigfoot.com" originated from the EPA site
> in the Research Triangle area of NC. It appears that "iwstirn" is a government
> employee who works for the EPA and has been spending lots of government time and
> money (your Tax Dollars at work) flaming various news groups during working hours.
> There are also several posts that were made via IBM.NET in the Research Triangle
> area of NC at the following subnet 129.37.240.xxx (slip129-37-240-xxx.nc.us.ibm.net).
> I believe that the real "iwstirn" in located in the Research Triangle area of NC
> and some of his recents posts at the following subnet 129.37.130.xxx
> (slip129-37-1300-xxx.wa.us.ibm.net) are most likely an attempt to hide is
> true location by dialing into a IBM.NET POP located in WA state.
>
> It would be very interesting to see what his employer thinks about his USENET activities
> during working hours using govenment resousrces at the EPA. (Your TAX DOLLARS!)
>
> By the way "iwstirn" has also posted under "wmgeoewald@juno.com" back in July of1997
> from the same EPA IP address 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov). In
> some of his post from last year he used an Organization line of "KD4EUW". Could this
> be his Amateur Radio Call sign???
>
> Search results for "KD4EUW" on http://www.qrz.com/
>
> Callsign: KD4EUW
> Name: WILLIAM G EWALD
> Addr1: RT 2 DEER RUN 9
> Addr2: APEX NC 27502
> Country: USA
> Class: Tech Plus
> Effective: 17 Sep 1991
> Expires: 17 Sep 2001
> Location: 35.713 N 78.821 W Wake County
> Email: EWALD.WILLIAM@EPAMAIL.EPA.GOV <*** real EPA E-mail address!!!
>
> I think we now know who "IWSTIRN" real identity!!!
>
> **
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>
> Posted via EPA.GOV in the Reseach Triangle area of NC
>
> Subject: ARRL WRC -99 Planning Committee
> From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
> Date: 1998/02/27
> Message-ID: <6d6egg$6m8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
> Organization: Deja News - The Leader in Internet Discussion
> X-Article-Creation-Date: Fri Feb 27 13:19:21 1998 GMT
> X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.04 [en] (Win95; U)
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.policy
> X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
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>
> Posted via EPA.GOV in the Reseach Triangle area of NC
>
> Subject: Re: Free Scanner Antennas!
> From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
> Date: 1998/02/23
> Message-ID: <6crvst$n8m$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
> References: <34ed472c.63540727@news2.cts.com>
> Organization: Deja News - The Leader in Internet Discussion
> X-Article-Creation-Date: Mon Feb 23 14:08:29 1998 GMT
> X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.04 [en] (Win95; U)
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
> X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
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>
> Posted via EPA.GOV in the Reseach Triangle area of NC
>
> Subject: Re: Charlie's appeal: Please let it die
> From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
> Date: 1997/12/29
> Message-ID: <883402326.214630416@dejanews.com>
> References: <34985178.21092198@news2.cts.com>
<19971218021000.VAA01384@ladder01.news.aol.com> <349893a1.5440245@news2.cts.com>
<34a7aa67.13211116@news.cyberhighway.net> <349D9ECB.6931@parg.org>
<01bd0e95$59fb4f80$2fdd0ad0@default> <349df6ac.70906846@news2.cts.com>
<882801578.252968965@dejanews.com> <34a136e6.30656873@news2.cts.com>
<34A2C60A.103E@usa.net> <01bd11a3$a3ab5ce0$1ddd0ad0@default>
<883234347.245563395@dejanews.com> <34A6C0F2.20E9@usa.net>

> X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
> X-Authenticated-Sender: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
> X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.0 (Win16; U)
> Organization: Deja News Posting Service
> X-Article-Creation-Date: Mon Dec 29 13:32:06 1997 GMT
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>
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>
> Posted via EPA.GOV in the Reseach Triangle area of NC
>
> Subject: Re: New Scanner Laws
> From: wmgeoewald@juno.com
> Date: 1997/07/29
> Message-ID: <870189063.29783@dejanews.com>
> References: <19970719154701.LAA25327@ladder02.news.aol.com> <33D17A5C.2D8D@scarlan.com>
<33D27037.D49@prodigy.net> <5r01r7$rlb@larry.cc.emory.edu>
> X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.0 (Win16; U)
> X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
> Organization: Deja News Posting Service
> X-Article-Creation-Date: Tue Jul 29 15:11:05 1997 GMT
> X-Authenticated-Sender: wmgeoewald@juno.com
> Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.autos.sport.nascar
>
> **
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>
> Posted via IBM.NET in WA
>
> Subject: Newsgroup Virus
> From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
> Date: 1998/03/01
> Message-ID: <6dbube$5la$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
> X-Originating-IP-Addr: 129.37.130.82
> X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.02 (Win95; I)
> Organization: Deja News - The Leader in Internet Discussion
> X-Article-Creation-Date: Sun Mar 01 15:20:37 1998 GMT
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>
> **
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>
> Posted via IBM.NET in NC

>
> Subject: Thw Arrogance! The Plagiarsm!
> From: IWSTIRN@BIGFOOT.COM
> Date: 1998/02/05
> Message-ID: <886672345.195362818@dejanews.com>
> References: <34C68F7F.52FD@geocities.com> <34D19547.2FB2@idoj.com>
<34D60750.35620F9B@ix.netcom.com> <6b5gfd$5bf$1@atlantis.pixar.com>
<6bbbmv$i7v@news.Hawaii.Edu> <6bbl7r$5io@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
> X-Originating-IP-Addr: 129.37.240.116 (slip129-37-240-116.nc.us.ibm.net)
> X-Authenticated-Sender: IWSTIRN@BIGFOOT.COM
> X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.02 (Win95; I)
> Organization: Deja News Posting Service
> X-Article-Creation-Date: Thu Feb 05 09:52:25 1998 GMT
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.policy
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> Posted via EPA.GOV in the Reseach Triangle area of NC
>
> Subject: Re: New Scanner Laws
> From: wmgeoewald@juno.com
> Date: 1997/07/29
> Message-ID: <870189063.29783@dejanews.com>
> References: <19970719154701.LAA25327@ladder02.news.aol.com> <33D17A5C.2D8D@scarlan.com>
<33D27037.D49@prodigy.net> <5r01r7$rlb@larry.cc.emory.edu>
> X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.0 (Win16; U)
> X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
> Organization: Deja News Posting Service
> X-Article-Creation-Date: Tue Jul 29 15:11:05 1997 GMT
> X-Authenticated-Sender: wmgeoewald@juno.com
> Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.autos.sport.nascar
>
> **********
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>
> Posted using e-mail address "wmgeoewald@juno.com" and Organization line of "KD4EUW"
>
> Subject: Re: tetraethyl lead
> From: "c" <wmgeoewald@juno.com>
> Date: 1997/08/15

> Message-ID: <33F47D57.1553@juno.com>
> References: <01bc9c98$893bf020$bdf449cc@josch.wavefront.com>
<01bc9e93$4dea19a0$1bfcd986@biivax.inet.dp.beckman.com>
<33eefbf2.1898278@news.supernews.com> <33F064D9.F89@america.net>
<33f27411.3321905@news.supernews.com> <33f38fc2.15735298@news5.bellatlantic.net>
> Reply-To: wmgeoewald@juno.com
> Organization: KD4EUW
> Newsgroups: rec.autos.tech
>
> **
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264. Re: Looking for Tucson Police signals and codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Joel C. Baese" <jcbaese@theriver.com>
Message-ID: <6dfl98$3o8$1@usenet51.supernews.com>
Source record: 168735

What exactly are you looking for? I can probably help.

--
Joel C. Baese jcbaese@theriver.com
Tucson, Arizona USA ICQ#: 7205714
http://personal.riverusers.com/~jcbaese
http://wwp.mirabilis.com/7205714

Jacob & Cynthia McWilliams wrote in message
<01bd418c$40c633c0$712fa5ce@primenet.primenet.com>...
>I am looking for the Tucson's Police signals and codes can you help Jake

265. Re: A really stupid problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Anderson <jander@home.com>
Message-ID: <34FB5E64.592CA842@home.com>
Source record: 168736

You could also use a #2 pencil to reapply the carbon contacts, work's
great.

Steve Kennedy wrote:
>
> "newbie" <reddog113@goplay.com> wrote:
>
> >I took apart my scanner and found that the pad can be taken out of it. If
> >your scanner has a rubber pad for the buttons then you could take it out and
> >wash it. Just be careful not to rip it and dry it real good before you put
> >it back in. You have a really clever kid if she thought the numbers would
> >come off. That is a pretty funny story. Hope this helps
> >>>
>
> I'd be careful when following this advice. Most scanner keypads are
> simply carbon contacts deposited on the rear of the rubber buttons
> (keys).
>
> When the key is depressed, the carbon shorts two contacts on the PC
> board behind it.
>
> If you remove the rubber keypad and wash it, you could accidently
> remove the deposited carbon and the key pad will not work when
> installed.
>
> The same goes for freezing the keypad in its entirety. What you need
> is localized freezing. You could try some "freeze-spray" (used by
> electronic technicians) to freeze each putty-covered key individually
> in order to remove the putty.
>
> I would then use a hair dryer of heat gun to remove any moisture
> ("frost") before proceeding to the next key. Be sure not to hurry and
> don't apply too much heat!
>
> Almost anything you can do to solve this problem has an equal chance
> of damaging the keypad or scanner if not done correctly and carefully!
>
> Steve

266. Re: Larry Murphy, you have 48 hours....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34FB60C3.DE1C41DB@earthlink.net>
Source record: 168737
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

You know, if I were the honest Larry Murphy in California (I've bought from him with no problem...), I'd still be pissed. The title of this post is irresponsible, and it is what everyone will see - not the text of your gripe about the bad Larry burning you. Next time you deal with someone named Larry Murphy and he burns you, use a title like "Larry Murphy of Podunk, IA Is A Rectal Ofifice Scumbag Shiezter" (no offense, to Iowans - this was just in illustration, no flames please) or something along those lines, that doesn't condemn every Larry Murphy on this planet.

Doug

Mark G. Taylor wrote:

> Apparently, Mr. Murphy decided it was time to give me what he owes me. I
> recieved this from him via e-mail. I chose to remove 3 words, and replace
> them with *s... As I try not to use such language.
>
> >>There is a check in the mail to you ! when you get it stick it ** ****
> *** !
>
> Also, there is a Larry Murphy in California, who sometimes posts stuff in
> these groups, but he is NOT the one I had problems with.
>
> Mark G. Taylor wrote:
>
> > You have 48 hours to contact me, After that I will be reporting you to
> > the US Postal Inspectors, for mail fraud. I Have waited long enough for
> > either the radio, or a refund, or the insurance check.
> > There seems to be 2 people named Larry Murphy active on this newsgroup.
> > The one I am speaking to will know who he is. The one I am upset with
> > has recently disconnected his phone, and e-mail service.
> > I do have his Physical address, and will be sending some mail his way.
> >
> > If anyone else has any suggestions, I am willing to hear them.
> >
> > Thanks.
>
> --
> Visit:
> http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Haven/3248/
> for my PGP public key.
> Or:
> http://www.pgp.com/
> To learn more about PGP.

267. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cam <ccanupii@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34FB6AD1.DC7BD620@earthlink.net>
Source record: 168738
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Mr. Fun wrote:

> I in no way wish to minimize their deaths, but I fail to see any
> reason why it would warrant a memorial. All sorts of people get
> killed trying to help others. While it's certainly a tragedy it's no
> more tragic then 100s of other deaths that go pretty much un-noticed
> beyond their immediate area. If it had been Joe Blow who had been
> driving down that road to get back to his grandmothers farm to make
> sure she and the neighbors were alright would you be calling for a
> memorial to Joe Blow, responding to help his grandmother and friend in
> trouble and losing his life in such a tragedy?
>
> On Sun, 1 Mar 1998 00:02:29 -0700, "Harold Lines"
> <hlines@indirect.comxyzabc> wrote:

Actually mr fun, if you have ever driven down a Texas highway you will notice that there are white crosses erected along the roadside. This indicates that a person has died in a car accident. So in answer to your question, yes the average citizen does get a memorial put out in his memory.

The problem is in the attitude that if a cop dies, that is his job, and we should not recognize that fact unless he has done something 'heroic'. The fact is that these officers did do something heroic that the majority of the public would ot do. They got up that day and put on their uniforms and went into work.

I can only hope that you can realize that your position only helps to distance SOME officers from the public. If you post here that a family member died in an accident, you won't find any of us telling you basically 'so what'.

268. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <350c7e04.21582850@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168440
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 19:43:42 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>hapmton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:
>
>> Boy, you are getting your back up for someone
>> who hid like a little baby behind your phone winradio
>> sales e-mail for a couple of weeks.
>>
>> You ONLY went public when you were exposed for
>> posting from the same nntp posting host.
>
>Geezus.....I was "exposed" AFTER I made it clear,
>you dingbat.

BULLSHIT!! There were several posts that examined the
"coincidence" of you posting domains. This went on
for about 2 days before you "made it clear".

Cheek, if you're gonna lie, get a friggin clue !

>It's there in the record. There
>should never have been any confusion in the
>first place since all the references were to MY
>web site, MY FTP site, and MY e-mail accounts.

Right. These are things you forgot about. Remember
your big bullshit rant about Agent newsreader being
so difficult to change and you couldn't have
possibly.....ah, forget it. You aren't worth
the sweat on my nuts.

Just don't think you're fooling anyone but yourself,
billie boy.

It's kinda sad that you truly think your version
is the truth. I guess if you lie enough you start
to convince yourself of it.

Hey, at least you didn't deny your own obsession with
that quadrasexual crap you made up as well as being
excited with furry little animals!

269. Re: Keypad for Pro-43?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-j2z4iHbs8ddJ@slip-32-100-170-97.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 168441
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Wiggie,

I couldn't resolve the tandy.com website. Would you try again?

Thanks.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

270. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Adkins <chuck@chucks2way.com>
Message-ID: <34FC8D09.63D19581@chucks2way.com>
Source record: 168442
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

The Cb Guy wrote:

> On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 21:27:16 -0500, Charles Adkins
> <chuck@chucks2way.com> wrote:
>
> >Check out these HOT SPECIALS! If you wanna order call US at 1-313-389-7189,
> >Don't delay! as these prices won't last forever!
> >
> >Take Care,
>
> Business so bad ya gotta start spamming now Chuckie?...geez
>

Define the WORD spam for me.

Spam is the advertising of anything that is NOT related to the subject of the Newsgroup, I posted my ad in the all the newsgroups related to what I carry, which is NOT SPAM but advertising in related newsgroups. so, go read your newsgroup articles and come talk to me what I'm doing is no defferent when what Gene is doing or lou franklin is doing or anyone else, it's just that fact that you have a hard on for me. and I basically am getting sick of it, and I am going to be forwarding a copy your message to your ISP along with this reply to your isp... and see who's doing what to whom.

have a nice day, asshole

> The Cb Guy
>
> http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

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-Chuck

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271. Re: Which is better the BC895 or BC9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <879BF48FD6377339.FEF81F09A13BA2FC.74A691F33F3D1287@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 168443

On 3 Mar 1998 14:12:19 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>I would go with the BC 895 (aside from the trunking feature) because it is very
>sensitive, has built-in CTCSS (it's an add-on for the 9000) and it has computer
>programmability.

I second that.

272. Re: Which is better the BC895 or BC9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Simmont <simmont@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <34FC9CE2.2C9F@extremezone.com>
Source record: 168444

Mark Krubsack wrote:
>
> Ignoring the BC895's trunking feature, and the 9000's extra channels, which of
> these two are the better scanner, technically?
>
> I plan to purchase one or the other, but can't make up my mind.

Ignoring the BC9000's Alphanumeric display and capable CTCSS, 500
channel memory, and the 895's Trunking feature they are both about the
same. I have sat and watched and listen to them both preform side by
side and there isn't much differnce. Guess it all depends on how many
channels you want if the other factors don't matter. Either way you are
getting a good scanner :)

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CHARLES SIMMONT ICP509/DISPATCHER
INCIDENT COMMAND PAGE OF ARIZONA
ARIZONA'S PUBLIC SAFETY INCIDENT NOTIFICATION SYSTEM
http://www.axtek/~n7qyk/icp.html

OTHER NOTIFICATION SYSTEMS
http://www.axtek/~n7qyk/icp/other.html

THE VIEWS EXPRESSED HERE ARE MY OWN AND NOT THAT OF ICP

273. Re: Mason county, Illinois frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd46fd$a7ec66c0$5add0ad0@default>
Source record: 168445

Jon, Check your mail. Good Luck & Happy Scanning,
Charlie

jon.lippert <jon.lippert@MCI2000.com> wrote in article
<01bd446a$52af8a60$d53737a6@default>...
> I live in South carolina, and am trying to get some scanner frequencies
for
> my father in Mason county Illinois. I haven't found anything on the net.
> Can anyone help me?
> Thanks,
> Jon
> Lippert
>
>

274. Tek 465M oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6di491$8pc@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168446

Hi All
I have for sale TEK 100MHz scope Model 465M
Good Working Condition.(without probe)
Price:$ 245.00 Plus UPS
714-778-5151
Thanks.

275. LA City Approves Motorola DIGITAL system for LAPD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6di6fn$94o@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 168447
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

LA City Council Approves $50.8 Million Motorola ASTRO Digital Radio Communications System for LAPD

LOS ANGELES, March 3 /PRNewswire/ -- The Los Angeles City Council today approved a $50.8 million, six-year contract with Motorola's Land Mobile Products Sector for an advanced, UHF digital, ASTRO(TM) radio communications system for the Los Angeles Police Department.

The new radio communications system is part of the overall LAPD plan to upgrade its emergency communications system. Motorola will install a new communications infrastructure to make it possible for LAPD officers in all parts of the city to use their portable radios to communicate directly with each other and with the dispatch center.

``The new radio system will provide the citizens of Los Angeles with enormous public-safety benefits,'' said LAPD Police Chief Bernard C. Parks. ``It is a major priority of this department to enhance the communications capabilities of the LAPD to strengthen our ability to protect our communities. Police officers will have the ability to communicate across the street or across town, greatly enhancing our day-to-day communications efforts and strengthening our communications capabilities during emergencies.''

The new Motorola ASTRO digital radio communications system will provide the LAPD with a citywide, coordinated radio communications system. Motorola will design and manufacture the digital radio system, providing the software and hardware components for a new communications infrastructure. The Master Radio System will interface with the Emergency Command, Control and Communications System (ECCCS) and the newly planned 9-1-1 dispatch centers.

The Motorola ASTRO system will be a UHF, 57 channel, digital wide-area simulcast system and will be specifically engineered for Los Angeles' varied terrain. With Motorola's simulcast technology, all sites broadcast radio signals simultaneously, improving the radio coverage area.

The Master Radio System will be divided into five simulcast subsystems, which will use 24 sites throughout the City to support more than 9,500 ASTRO SABER III(TM) portable radios used by LAPD officers. The state-of-the-art portable ASTRO radios are dual mode (analog and digital). Once the new system is in place, the radios will work in the digital mode. The ASTRO portable radios were designed by Motorola to accommodate future technology and feature enhancement through software downloads.

``As newer features, technology or systems requirements change, the radios can be upgraded by 'flashing' the latest features into the existing ASTRO

radios,'' said Terry Jaron, Motorola corporate vice president and general manager, Western Division, US and Canada Group. ``The radios were designed to ensure that they would be current with the latest technology and standards in the public safety industry.''

The portable radios will have push-to-talk ID and emergency ID features that help dispatchers quickly identify radios and the personnel using them. Those IDs appear on the dispatchers' console CRT screens and on the displays of the radios. The system implementation is designed to allow portable units to effectively communicate throughout the city.

In November 1996, the City finalized a $8.3 million contract with Motorola to begin the civil site development portion of the contract. This contract includes the construction of tower sites and buildings critical to the installation of the ECCCS or Master Radio System. The installation of the communications infrastructure will begin in conjunction with the civil contract work already underway.

Since Motorola designs and manufactures its two-way radio systems to meet the unique needs of each public-safety agency, this system will be designed to meet the specific requirements of the LAPD. The design, development and installation of this complex radio communications system will take approximately three and a half years.

``The Master Radio System was designed with the capacity to grow and meet the LAPD's needs well into the 21st century,'' Jaron said. ``We are pleased to have the opportunity to support the LAPD's goal of upgrading and enhancing its ability to provide critical services for citizens.''

Motorola also will install a $20 million state-of-the-art data communications system, which will be designed to provide the LAPD with expanded data capabilities, to support today's dispatch and informational data requirements, as well as supporting many new data applications. The new Private DataTAC(TM) system will offer a high level of data capacity to support future multiple data terminal devices and connectivity to national, state and local crime information computers and records management systems.

With the installation of the new voice radio system, Los Angeles will join the growing number of public-safety organizations to install systems based on Project 25 digital radio standards. Project 25 is the functional and technical standard for digital two-way radios created and adopted by a consortium of two-way radio user groups. The consortium includes the Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials-International (APCO), which is the largest organization of public-safety communications officers in the world, the National Association of State Telecommunications Directors and a number of federal agencies. Since the consortium adopted the standard, other user groups including the International Association of Chiefs of Police have endorsed the standard.

The Los Angeles radio system will meet the Project 25 standard for conventional radio systems. This will ensure that a compliant Project 25 radio will be able to ``communicate'' with another one, regardless of the

manufacturer.

Motorola's Land Mobile Products Sector designs, manufactures and distributes analog and digital two-way voice and data radio products and systems for applications worldwide, from on-site to wide-area communications. Motorola is one of the world's leading providers of wireless communications, semiconductors, advanced electronic systems and services. Major equipment businesses include cellular telephone, two-way radio, paging and data communications, personal communications, automotive, defense and space electronics and computers. Motorola semiconductors power communications devices, computers and millions of other products. Motorola's 1997 sales were $29.8 billion. More information on Motorola is available at http://www.mot.com.

276. Re: Help Regency TS 800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Plugnickle <scharris@zbayou.com>
Message-ID: <6dhha0kju1@news.bayou.com>
Source record: 168448

You can call Uniden's parts department to get a manual. You may be able to e-mail someone at www.uniden.com to get one.
Steve

277. Re: Help Regency TS 800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Web Foot <stingray63@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <34FCC146.6706@geocities.com>
Source record: 168449

thanks Steve I'll give Uniden a try for my Regency manual. as to your problem vise the frequency variation, the Regency is a synthesized scanner so... all the frequencies are based on multiplier/devider chains from a single standard oscillator frequency if that frequency is off then all the frequencies are off. as to Uniden repair, I have read that they mark pre Uniden Bearcats with a U cut into the case and send them back as not repairable... I don't have any corroboration of that just hearsay.

do you know if Howard W Sams has a repair manual for the Regency TS 800 if so it will give information on setting the base oscillator frequency [if setable or if crystal what crystal frequency it uses] if the base frequency is off all scanned frequencies will be off by a proportinate offset [but not necessarially the same frequency, since scan frequencies are multiplied and devided to get the "synthesized frequency"....that is close frequencies i.e. 460.005 and 460.10 should be offset by the same amount but may be considerably different from a 153.005 frequency] --

don't know if this helps you or not, but it may explain the frequency differences between your unit and other scanners.
I suspect my scanner may also be offset but I haven' confirmed yet. I just set search and found repeatable settings for the frequencies I wanted.

278. Ericsson in bell county of texas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: com <rcomm@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6dicsb$v8n@outhouse.sage.net>
Source record: 168450
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Radio giants doing battle over contract
Motorola crying `foul' after commissioners agree to buy Ericsson's dispatching system
By KEVIN FITCHARD

BELTON - After months of negotiation, the Bell County Commissioners Court is set to approve a multi-million contract today for a centralized countywide radio dispatch system.
Though county officials have been emphasizing the need to replace the numerous incompatible and antiquated radio system functioning in the county with the centralized one, their plans have run into some problems from the industry giants vying for the contract.
Motorola and Ericsson are fiercely competitive heavy-hitters in the private radio system business, and the county has found itself dodging the massive footfalls of the two global corporations.
The county is paying $11 million for 800 mhz radio ``trunk'' system, a relatively new radio technology that can link numerous public safety departments over a limited number of radio waves. With 15 fire departments, 14 law enforcement agencies and 7 emergency medical services all on separate and, for the most part, incompatible radio systems, 800 mhz trunking seems to be just the ticket for the county.
Motorola and Ericsson control the lion's share of the market - industry consultants estimate up to 95 percent - and both companies submitted proposals.
Ericsson won.
Motorola is crying foul.
The result, county officials say, is an onslaught of veiled threats and bad publicity they say is unjustified and counterproductive.
``They're fighting like two little kids, and we're caught up in it,'' said county communications director Dan Engler.
BID RELEASE REFUSED
County Judge John Garth said he was told to expect controversy when the county first decided to bid out the project. Nevertheless, he is still annoyed with the outcome.
``Motorola is using tactics I don't necessarily agree with,'' Garth said.
Motorola's letter asking for the details of why Ericsson was chosen over Motorola has the county worried, and Garth fears legal action. Motorola claims they were the lowest bidder, though the county won't release the bid amounts. The Judge said price was only one factor in choosing the vendor.
Compatibility and coverage issues played a major part in the decision process, and county consultants claim Motorola didn't have a good enough proposal on how to link the county's radios with Fort Hood, which operates an Ericsson system, and other area dispatch centers.

``Motorola left a lot of questions unanswered,'' Garth said.
But Garth said he fully is expecting a lawsuit to emerge from the ordeal.
``It's too early to speculate, but we don't make a habit out of suing potential customers,'' said Pat Sturmon, public relations manager for Motorola's radio division. ``We believe, however, we are the low bidder.''
So far Motorola has only sent a letter asking for documentation on the bid process, but the consultants who handle the project for the county said both bid packages contain sensitive information that would give competitors unfair advantage over one another.
Sturmon said Motorola bid $7.2 million. Ericsson won't release its bid amount. But of the $11 million expected costs, the county has broken out $8.5 million to go toward the radio equipment and construction of the system, which will be handled completely by Ericsson.
``Are they comparing Apples to Apples?'' Sturmon asked. ``We want to know how the decision was made. We're not looking for trade secrets or pricing secrets.''
But Ericsson sees it differently.
``Motorola has a torch-and-burn type of mentality: `If I can't convince you to buy my system, I'll create problems with your boss,''' said Joe Hayden, Dallas are director for Ericsson's radio division. In this case, the boss is the taxpayers, Hayden said.
RADIO WAR HEADACHES
Motorola was the first to implement 800 mhz trunking technology in the early 1980s but at the turn of the decade Ericsson, then affiliated with General Electric, launched its radio division. They set up their first system in Lincoln, Neb., in 1991 and since then the two companies have been going head to head for control of the private radio market.
More and more local governments - and sometimes whole states - are going over to the trunking system. The reason: the radio waves have grown too crowded and, since trunking allows an agency to transmit dozens of radio transmissions over the same channel, dispatch centers are embracing the system. Since the Federal Communications Commission has designated the lower 800 mhz frequencies to trunking, radio systems have migrated to those systems.
In numbers, Motorola is clearly in the lead with 30 radio systems operating in Texas, including neighboring Williamson County, and over 100 operating systems in the United States.
While Motorola has a several-year head start, Ericsson has sold 85 systems in the last six years, giving a Motorola a run for its money.
``Ericsson has been very aggressive since they came into the picture,'' said Joe Hanna, vice president of Association of Public-Safety Communications officials - International, or APCO. ``The competition has been fierce, and there is a fairly major fight in the industry between Ericsson and Motorola over industry standards.''
In the tradition of free enterprise, the customers have been the primary benefactors, experts say. Since the induction of Ericsson's first system, the quality of the systems has jumped to unprecedented levels, the technology has advanced at alarming rates and prices have been driven down.
``In the long run, the public safety community wins,'' said John Ramsey, APCO's executive director. ``You're talking about millions of dollars worth

of purchasing. If you've got two companies fiercely fighting for those contracts, the competition raises the quality of those systems.''
But in other ways the public safety community suffers from the unrelenting competition. Often when company loses out to the other, the decision is challenged, as in Bell County, resulting in public relations headaches for officials fending off the attacks from the jilted company and sleepless nights worrying about possible court battles with high-priced corporate attorneys.
Ramsey said not every bid gets challenged, but those that are can bring controversy. A lawsuit, however, is rare, he said.
GLITCHES IN THE AIRWAVES
Both Ericsson and Motorola point to the problems each other has with its systems in the United States, while emphasizing their own successes.
The truth of the matter, according to APCO, is that every 800 mhz system has problems when it is first set up.
``When you install a trunk system, you have to understand its complex technology,'' Hanna said. ``It takes a while to get out all of the glitches.''
Hanna runs an Ericsson-built 800 mhz system in Richardson, and the city police and fire departments had a lot of coverage problems when it was first set up. Like many new users, public safety officers complained of ``dead spots'' where no radio communication was possible.
``We took the approach that this system of ours was going to work,'' Hanna said. ``We were a little more patient than most working out the problems with Ericsson, and now we're completely satisfied with the system.''
The same approach is seen with Ericsson's first system in Lincoln, Neb. Lincoln Police Chief Tom Casady said the system had some severe problems with dead spots and distorted transmissions. But Lincoln, too, worked out its problems, and is now prepared to invest another $3 million into upgrading the system, Casady said.
Not all problems are peacefully resolved.
In Trenton, N.J., a Motorola system went malfunctioning for four years, and Trenton police officials said Motorola only agreed to fix it after unrelenting pressure from the police and fire departments.
The fire and police unions were calling for Motorola's head, saying the company would do nothing until a police officer or a firefighter got killed due to a radio malfunction. Lt. John Miloszar, Trenton's commanding communications officer, now says the system is functioning properly, and the city has fully committed to it.
``The coverage problems are sorted out,'' he said. ``Once Motorola agreed to help fix the system, they bent over backward to address the problems.''
A lot of the problems in systems stem from expectations, Hanna said.
``It's the nature of the beast,'' he said. ``Anytime you install a trunk system you have to allow for a certain amount of problems.''
Sometimes the problems are the company's fault, sometimes the system wasn't designed to be powerful enough, he said.
``Sometimes those disputes are resolved easily,'' Hanna said. ``Sometimes they're not resolved easily or not resolved at all.''
TROUBLE IN KANSAS CITY
The prime example of an unresolved dispute would fall squarely in Kansas

City, which has been engaged in a two-year battle with Ericsson over its $18 million radio system.
Matters have come to a political head in Kansas City, and outrage against Ericsson comes from all sectors. The system went on line in 1995 and since then the city has been plagued with dead spots in its radio coverage. A Kansas City police officer was shot in the leg by a suspected drug dealer in September 1996 and was unable to call for an ambulance because his radio had gone dead.
That officer, Robert Blehm, is suing Ericsson, and the city council is facing enormous pressure to file its own lawsuit against the company.
``The damn things don't work,'' Councilwoman Teresa Loar said of the radio equipment. ``Someone's going to get killed.''
Ericsson officials say Kansas City's problems stem from false expectations of a system Ericsson built entirely to Kansas City's specifications.
The city's original specifications called for clear radio communication in 95 percent of Kansas City's 323-square-mile city limits. When the city hired an independent consultant to see if Ericsson had met its obligations, he backed up the company's claim.
``They asked for 95 percent coverage, and they got 95 percent coverage,'' said Hayden said. ``That means there is a small 5 percent of the time you lose radio coverage.''
Kansas City officials rephrased their attacks on Ericsson, saying the company knowingly sold them a faulty system. The city has made its displeasure clear by refusing to pay the final $1.7 million it owes Ericsson.
Hayden said Ericsson wants to work with Kansas City in solving its radio problems, but until it's paid for the original work the company's hands are tied.
Meanwhile, the Kansas City City Council has been meeting in closed session to discuss a law suit.
NOT ANOTHER KANSAS CITY
So far, Bell County has only an address: 712 West Avenue O.
The Belton address is for an empty lot beside the county's road and bridge truck barn. Garth is waiting for the day that lot will contain a communications tower and an impenetrable communications bunker linked to every cop, firefighter and paramedic in the county through the magic of digital trunking technology.
Garth said the county has come a long way getting all of the local cities to sign on to the system, but even if the a contract is signed with Ericsson today the system still has a long way to go. Logistics have to be worked out, the dispatch center has to be designed and built and bonds to pay for the projects have to be issued.
But Garth is confident the county will have a working radio system by late next year.
He admitted the radio system will probably encounter problems, but he balked at the suggestion Bell County could become the next Kansas City.
``Anything that technical is going to have problems,'' Garth said. ``But we'll work them out.''
Like Kansas City, Bell County has requested 95 percent coverage of its jurisdiction, but Garth said that, unlike Kansas City, he and other

officials involved in the project fully understand what that entails.
At a meeting with public safety officials from all over the county, Garth explained that the system would probably not be capable of penetrating some of the more rural, underpopulated areas of the county but its penetration would be far better than that allowed by the numerous separate 150 mhz and 400 mhz systems currently operating.
Bell County also doesn't have the massive buildings and dips and valleys that characterize Kansas City's landscape, Ericsson officials said.
Spurred on by the problems in Kansas City, Hayden said Ericsson has instituted an education program for prospective customers, clarifying the capabilities of the system the company is building.
``Bell County knows exactly what the capabilities of the system are,'' Hayden said. ``There are not going to be any surprises.''
What County officials want now is to never hear the words ``Kansas City'' again.
``We need to look at the positives,'' said Engler, who came on board six months ago to head up the radio system. ``This is the wave of the future. Consolidation is what's being done. My concern is providing the county with the best radio system it can get.''

279. Re: LTR group problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: com <rcomm@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6did87$v92@outhouse.sage.net>
Source record: 168451

it will take patience, but every E.F. Johnson LTR system sends a data burst every ten seconds on each of its channels.

280. Re: FS: Modified Pro 43 W/Leather Case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: DCLIFF@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6diblikjn1@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168452

Too high and thats firm.

DENNIS in GA.

281. Re: Mason county, Illinois frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam.n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <NoSpam.n9jig-ya023080000303982153140001@news.theramp.net>
Source record: 168453

In article <01bd446a$52af8a60$d53737a6@default>, "jon.lippert"
<jon.lippert@MCI2000.com> wrote:

> I live in South carolina, and am trying to get some scanner frequencies for
> my father in Mason county Illinois. I haven't found anything on the net.
> Can anyone help me?
> Thanks,
> Jon
> Lippert

Enjoy!

0.0000 PL Callsign User City Svc Type Notes
31.8600 KGJ732 IL CONSERVATION BROWNING PO FB
31.8600 KDU467 IL CONSERVATION FOREST CITY PO FB
31.8600 KDU468 IL CONSERVATION HAVANA PO FB
31.8600 KSD266 IL CONSERVATION TOPEKA PO FB
31.9800 KDU467 IL CONSERVATION FOREST CITY PO FB
31.9800 KDU468 IL CONSERVATION HAVANA PO FB
31.9800 KSD266 IL CONSERVATION TOPEKA PO FB
37.3600 110.9 KNAG215 IL DEPT OF CORRECTIONS DECATUR PP FB
42.5000 000.0 KBI332 IL STATE POLICE MANITO PP FB
42.5000 000.0 KXM411 IL STATE POLICE MASON CITY PP FB
42.6000 000.0 KBI332 IL STATE POLICE MANITO PP FB
42.6600 000.0 KXM411 IL STATE POLICE MASON CITY PP FB
45.4000 WPDY427 MASON CO LG HAVANA PL FB
45.4400 WPDY427 MASON CO LG HAVANA PL FB
45.6800 KCY591 MASON, CO OF TEHERAN PH FB
45.6800 WYQ996 PENNSYLVANIA, TWP OF MASON CITY PH FB
47.0200 KQX935 IL DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION MASON CITY PH FB
47.0600 KQX935 IL DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION MASON CITY PH FB
47.1000 KQX935 IL DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION MASON CITY PH FB
47.1800 KQX935 IL DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION MASON CITY PH FB
47.3000 KQX935 IL DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION MASON CITY PH FB
47.3800 KQX935 IL DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION MASON CITY PH FB
75.9600 KSA925 FULTON CO LG HAVANA PL FXO
151.2500 KGJ732 IL CONSERVATION BROWNING PO FB
151.2500 WNCD443 IL CONSERVATION FOREST CITY PO FB
151.2800 KGJ732 IL CONSERVATION BROWNING PO FB
151.2800 WNCD443 IL CONSERVATION FOREST CITY PO FB
151.4450 KGJ732 IL CONSERVATION BROWNING PO FB
151.4450 WNCD443 IL CONSERVATION FOREST CITY PO FB
153.7400 WNBQ379 HAVANA, TWP OF HAVANA PL MO INPUT TO 155.760
154.3400 WPBM880 BATH FPD BATH PF FB
154.3400 KNGY897 EASTON RURAL FPD EASTON PF FB

154.3400 KDK714 FORMAN FPD MANITO PF FB
154.3400 WPDJ292 HAVANA FD HAVANA PF FB
154.3400 KNAC710 KILBOURNE FPD KILBOURNE PF FB
154.3400 KBF234 MASON CITY FPD MASON CITY PF FB
154.3400 KGW639 SAN JOSE FPD SAN JOSE PF FB
154.6800 KBI332 ILLINOIS, STATE OF MANITO PP FB
154.6800 KXM411 ILLINOIS, STATE OF MASON CITY PP FB
154.6950 KBI332 ILLINOIS, STATE OF MANITO PP FB
154.8900 110.9 KBG225 MASON CO SHF HAVANA PP MO INPUT TO 155.580
154.8900 127.3 KBG225 MASON CO SHF HAVANA PP MO INPUT TO 155.580
154.8900 162.2 KBG225 MASON CO SHF HAVANA PP MO INPUT TO 155.580
154.8900 114.8 KBG225 MASON CO SHF MANITO PP MO INPUT TO 155.580
154.8900 110.9 KBG225 MASON CO SHF MASON CITY PP MO INPUT TO 155.580
154.9050 000.0 KXM411 IL STATE POLICE MASON CITY PP FB MOB PL 110.9 SW
DCI HF2
154.9050 KBI332 ILLINOIS, STATE OF MANITO PP FB
154.9350 110.9 KXM411 IL STATE POLICE MASON CITY PP FB MOB PL ONLY
155.0250 WPDY427 MASON CO LG HAVANA PL FB
155.1450 WPDY427 MASON CO LG HAVANA PL MO
155.2200 KNAB277 MASON DIST HOSP HAVANA PM FB
155.2350 WPAW509 MAYFLOWER CONTRACT HAVANA PS FB
155.2800 KNAB277 MASON DIST HOSP HAVANA PM FB
155.2950 WNRF445 RYDER STUDENT TRANS MANITO PS FB
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155.5800 162.2 WSE889 MASON CO SHF MANITO PP FB2 RPTS 154.890
155.7600 WNBQ379 HAVANA, TWP OF HAVANA PL FB2 RPTS 153.740
155.8350 WPEZ937 MASON CITY LG MASON CITY PL FB
155.9700 KBG225 MASON CO SHF HAVANA PP MO
156.1050 162.2 KCY591 MASON CO HWY TEHERAN PH FB2 RPTS 159.075
159.0750 162.2 KCY591 MASON CO HWY TEHERAN PH MO INPUT TO 156.105
159.3000 KGJ732 IL CONSERVATION BROWNING PO FXM
159.3000 WNCD443 IL CONSERVATION FOREST CITY PO FXM
159.3750 KGJ732 IL CONSERVATION BROWNING PO FXM
159.3750 WNCD443 IL CONSERVATION FOREST CITY PO FXM
159.4200 KGJ732 IL CONSERVATION BROWNING PO FXM
159.4200 WNCD443 IL CONSERVATION FOREST CITY PO FXM
453.4500 KUV920 HAVANA LG HAVANA PL FB2
453.7250 KUV920 HAVANA LG HAVANA PL MO
453.9500 203.5 WQX964 FULTON CO LG HAVANA PL FB2

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* Rich Carlson, N9JIG (n9jig@theramp.net) *

Illinois Highway Page: http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html

282. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Valued Customer <Natas@onmaps.com>
Message-ID: <34FC3142.34A8@onmaps.com>
Source record: 168454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

This is such bull.This is a troll,Bill.He probably wrote the wrong address on the letter,assuming one was sent.Farting around with scanners is just one of about ten hobbies an a hundred responsibilities I juggle every day.I also work every day.This is the most hostile NG ive ever seen.Bill Cheek is OK in my book,and if I'm ever back in his area,I would like to meet him.Please just cut this shit out,all of you!!Go smoke some pot or take a Prozac!Give Bill a break and be glad he is still here.

.........Flame away you asshole flamers/lamers...and FUCK YOU!

283. Re: Help Regency TS 800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Plugnickle <scharris@zbayou.com>
Message-ID: <6di049$3sv$1@news.bayou.com>
Source record: 168455

Thanks, Web Foot. I'll try the search approach.
Steve
scharris@gbayou.com
Please remove the "g" when replying,

284. New User New Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <abuse@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <34FCDC59.7B23@ma.ultranet.com>
Source record: 168456

I'm looking for a scanner that covers most of everything there is or can be easily modified to do so. I'm new to the "hobby" but I've used several scanners over the years for fire police and weather monitoring. I remember we had a scanner that could pick up everthing even FM radio. We used it to monitor military aircraft on our airfield. I'm open to hand helds and mobile/base units no base onlys need apply. Price range is under $200 or close to. I know I can't afford the Farrari but I don't need a Yugo either. Also availability and advice /experience will be a help I'm not calling every RS with in 200 miles just for a close out special. If it breaks I want an off the shelf replacement like yesterday.
I know I'm dreaming and just another guy who wants the world for a dime but you have to try. THANKS MIKE

285. HELP Regency Hand held

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <abuse@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <34FCDCC2.287D@ma.ultranet.com>
Source record: 168457

I have an OLD regency HX 1200 anyone have ant info on repair places or spec/operation manuals? I believe it only needs a new LCD screen and a battery. Thanks MIKE

286. Re: Pro-43 Memory chips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <34FCE206.D9CF34D4@primenet.com>
Source record: 168458

Paul Turton wrote:
>
> Has anyone found a direct replacement or alternate supplier for the Pro-43
> serial EEPROMs - AK93C66M8 ?
>
> The closest I've found is a Microchip 93LC66BX but have not found a retail
> supplier of these.
>
> Tandy Canada wants $48 CDN + 15% tax for 2 of these $1 chips.
>
> Cheers,
> Paul

You might try Digi-Key, 701 Brooks Avenue, South, Thief River Falls, MN,
56701--677, 1-(800) 344-4539. They show a Microchip NM93CS66N for $3.15
in an 8-pin dip package. It is listed as a 4K serial EEPROM with
security.

287. Is the still the last word on Pro 2021 mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Buzz <nospam@my.house>
Message-ID: <34FCE6A1.1918@my.house>
Source record: 168459

I found this on the net after I modified my pro 2021 and it didnt work. I was wondering if a fix for the mod is out yet?

Thanks,
Buzz

repost---->

overview: the pro2021 is a 200 channel scanner, mode is implied by frequency, missing the 220 ham band, 800+ cell fone/ISM band, the 170ish thru 380ish military? air band...
sold for about $200 from radio shack, first on special in 1986 time frame.
bands which the cpu will honor may be excluded by the presence of diodes near C151 (on silkscreen) top view, left end, rear.
in order from left starting with D44:
D44 - 'U2' - 810-960 MHz Mode: FM Step: 12.5 kHz (installed - cell fone)
D?? - 'U1' - 380-512 MHz Mode: FM Step: 12.5 kHz
D?? - 'Hi' - 138-174 MHz Mode: FM Step: 5.0 kHz
D?? - 'Ar' - 108-136 MHz Mode: AM Step: 25.0 kHz
D45 - 'Mi' - 68- 88 MHz Mode: FM Step: 5.0 kHz (installed - TV ch2-4)
D?? - 'Lo' - 30- 54 MHz Mode: FM Step: 5.0 kHz
After clipping D-44 the scanner will scan 810-960 MHz but will NOT recieve.
Same for D-45

further: when the cpu selects a frequency, IC8 (a shift register) is used to enable the rf front end for that band. IC8 is near center, about 1.5 inches from front, thru-hole mounted on top. the outputs of ic8 associated with D44 and D45 are not connected to anything.
R112 leads from pin 4 of ic8 to base of q10, and when the output at pin 4 is active (low) enables VHF LO band reception.
Pin 5 of ic8 is active for "Mi" or "VHF-Mid" band recption.
another (10K) resistor may be connected from pin 5 to the rf-enable end of r112. this will enable the lo/rf for 68-88.
this mod is incomplete, and any "scanner men" are invited to enter this discussion.

Pin 13 is associated with the 810-960 MHz band, and similar modification
of adding a 10K resistor from pin 13 to the rf end of r113 should enable that rf front end.

note: search mode does not function with either of these mods, so
i'm probably missing something, but direct (manual) frequency entry
of the 2nd harmonic of the 440 MHz ham band coupled with the use of
a 440 HT who's 2nd harmonic is about 50 - 100 dB below carrier
result
in a full quieting signal at 5 watts at a distance of about 2 feet.

so: have we stimulated anyone who knows stuff about modifying scanners
to join in and help us 2021 owners out? If so, that would be
great.

btw: cycle the power after clipping diodes, the cpu seems to sample
the diode array at power up only. Reset is not necessary.

Note: I haven't tried or verified this, proceed at your own risk.

288. Re: Globalstar vs. Iridium CDMA vs. TDMA which is the superior system?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: seaweed@goodnet.com
Message-ID: <34FCFDB3.3BF1@goodnet.com>
Source record: 168460

Abort_Retry_Fail wrote:
>
> If you're interested in satellite-based wireless communications,
> you should see the Globalstar system Iridium is intended to compete against:
>
> The Iridium web site says that they'll be launching their first birds later
> this year. Globalstar's first birds went up two weeks ago. (Qualcomm is a major
> partner in the GlobalStar consortium, as well as being a major developer in
> the project.)
>

Iridium launched their first 5 satellites on May 5, 1997. Their
tenth
launch took place on February 18, 1998. There are currently 49
operational
Iridium satellites in orbit.

> Iridium's page says they're going online this year. That seems more than a
> bit ambitious if they don't even have any satellites up yet.

See previous paragraph.

>
> Iridium using TDMA. The Gobalstar system is CDMA.
>

True.

> The Iridum satellites will be in a much higher orbit than Globalstar,
> leading to greater communication delay.

The Iridium satellites orbit at an altitude of about 780 km. The
Globalstar orbits are a little over 1400 km. in altitude.

>
> I think both systems are technically feasible; they can both be made to
> work. Whether either or both are *commercially* feasible definitely remains
> to be seen!

289. Re: handheld trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adam Lane <alane@thegridANTISPAM.net>
Message-ID: <34FCEDE4.14BF@thegridANTISPAM.net>
Source record: 168461

HazMat910 wrote:
> If you want info on the
> Pro 90, go to RS their prices are the same everywhere. Last I saw RS wanted
> $275.

I walked into Rat Shack yesterday...I asked about the trunktracker, said
that
$299 was just too darn much to spend to listen to the Fremont Fire
Department,
but I might consider it when it's on special.

I believe the salesman said, after consulting their computer, that it
would
go on special in October. Perhaps by then, the current state of trunked
systems will settle down a bit. The salesman said that Fremont Police
went
on a trunked system for a little while, then went right back to a
standard
system.

Anyway, the entire 20 channel Alameda Co. trunk system is kind of
interesting
to browse...

Overheard three days ago on FPD 483.0375...
"Could you please log me off? I've just crashed and lost 6 1/2 pages of
report." (in an annoyed, frustrated tone)

These policemen have enough to deal with...crazy computerized radios and
crashy laptops don't seem to help much yet.

Why was I at Radio Shack? All of the other places in the Bay Area were
out of _PUSHBUTTON SWITCHES_. Fry's...JDR...all out!

290. Re: trunktracking and changes to the data stream (?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bud.jamison@thekat.cts.com
Message-ID: <9803031800021349@thekat.cts.com>
Source record: 168462

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-> From: smith145@hotmail.com (d)
-> Subject: trunktracking and changes to the data stream (?)
->
->
-> i have been told by a very reputable source that there is a firmware
-> revision out to motorola(tm) smartnet(tm) trunking systems that
-> changes the OSW (outbound signalling word) data format.
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Does this same 'reputable' source also believe that Bill didn't inhale,
and that oral sex doesn't count toward adultery?

291. Re: Looking for Tucson Police signals and codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Rollman <danr@azstarnet.com>
Message-ID: <34FCFB57.95BA3872@azstarnet.com>
Source record: 168463

Take a look at the Southwest Frequency Directory. Webpage is at
http://www.azstarnet.com/~danr/swfd.htm

300+ page scanner information guide, up to date, all for Arizona only. 8 page section on Tucson PD alone, including codes, terms, unit designators, beats, SWAT slang, teams, and more.

Jacob & Cynthia McWilliams wrote:

> I am looking for the Tucson's Police signals and codes can you help Jake

292. Mike Falls e-mail me

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman <radioman@uia.net>
Message-ID: <6ditq2msi1@usenet54.supernews.com>
Source record: 168464

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Mike Falls E-MAIL ME.
RADIOMAN
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293. Re: Truck Tracking Scanner info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "ka3jjz@erols.com" <ka3jjz@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34FCB441.CCD@erols.com>
Source record: 168465

mike@iswt.no-spam.com wrote:
>
> On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 14:20:05 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
> <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>
> >I think you intend to refer to "trunk tracker" rather than
> >"truck tracking".
> >
> >
> >
> >Doug Ferrell, KD4MOJ wrote:
> >> Our local PD and city services are going 800 soon (they are testing
> >> the rigs out now) so I would like to hear from anyone using one fo the
> >> truck-tracking scanners to monitor 800.
> What is a truck tracker?
These are radios (Uniden=BC235, BC895) and Radio Shack (PRO90 and
PRO2050) that allow you to follow trunked conversations that use
Motorola protocols.
Which brings me to Doug's statement- before you ask about one of the
trunk tracking scanners, you must realize that the current crop of them
work ONLY on Motorola type systems. If your local PD/city services are
going GE, you'll have to wait for the oft-rumored Bearcats that will
handle this system; they aren't available yet.
73s Mike ka3jjz@erols.com

294. Re: FRG 9600 (lungo)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jas_me@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <34fbd690.6108923@193.76.127.2>
Source record: 168489
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

"Alessandro Canalini" <al.cana@iol.it> wrote:

>Interesserebbe anche me...se e' possibile mi prenoterei anche io per una
>copia..
>Alex
>
>Jas ha scritto nel messaggio <34f59a05.11713085@193.76.127.2>...

>>>Sto raccogliendo un po' di info sotto
>>>http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/8516

A breve saranno pubblicate in quel sito ...
il tempo non e' il mio forte (nemmeno per le scannerizzazioni ...)

Scusate i ritardi.

Salut

Jas

295. Re: Larry Murphy, you have 48 hours....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: TC <TC@island.hoppers.com>
Message-ID: <6dgn33$gmg@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 168490
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

What are you Larry Murphy's fucking lawyer ???!!!

You got too much free time on your hands to be griping about
the caption on a post. Do you write letters to the National
Enquirer to, griping about their headlines being misleading ?
JESUS FUCKING CHRIST - get a life !! Some dickwad ripped the
guy off and he's telling everyone to beware of him. It's spelled
out perfectly clear in the text, that the dude in CA is NOT the
one he's talking about - what more do you want ?

Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net> wrote:
>You know, if I were the honest Larry Murphy in California (I've bought from
>him with no problem...), I'd still be pissed. The title of this post is
>irresponsible, and it is what everyone will see - not the text of your gripe
>about the bad Larry burning you. Next time you deal with someone named Larry
>Murphy and he burns you, use a title like "Larry Murphy of Podunk, IA Is A
>Rectal Ofifice Scumbag Shiezter" (no offense, to Iowans - this was just in
>illustration, no flames please) or something along those lines, that doesn't
>condemn every Larry Murphy on this planet.
>
>Doug
>
>Mark G. Taylor wrote:
>
>> Apparently, Mr. Murphy decided it was time to give me what he owes me. I
>> recieved this from him via e-mail. I chose to remove 3 words, and replace
>> them with *s... As I try not to use such language.
>>
>> >>There is a check in the mail to you ! when you get it stick it ** ****
>> *** !
>>
>> Also, there is a Larry Murphy in California, who sometimes posts stuff in
>> these groups, but he is NOT the one I had problems with.
>>
>> Mark G. Taylor wrote:
>>
>> > You have 48 hours to contact me, After that I will be reporting you to
>> > the US Postal Inspectors, for mail fraud. I Have waited long enough for
>> > either the radio, or a refund, or the insurance check.
>> > There seems to be 2 people named Larry Murphy active on this newsgroup.
>> > The one I am speaking to will know who he is. The one I am upset with
>> > has recently disconnected his phone, and e-mail service.
>> > I do have his Physical address, and will be sending some mail his way.
>> >

>> > If anyone else has any suggestions, I am willing to hear them.
>> >
>> > Thanks.
>>
>> --
>> Visit:
>> http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Haven/3248/
>> for my PGP public key.
>> Or:
>> http://www.pgp.com/
>> To learn more about PGP.
>
>
>

296. Re: LTR group problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: SirValence <nospam@lunch.meat>
Message-ID: <34FBE3CA.5778@lunch.meat>
Source record: 168491

You might try a search of the FCC database... look at the callsign of the holder of 854.5875 in your area, then search for that callsign. Hopefully that will get you a list of the freqs.

297. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dgpva$lvl@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168492
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

John Mackey KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>I just wanted to let everyone know that I am gay. I've been a really bad
>mood these last few months, as I broke up with my long time lover. Don't
>worry, I'll be much less abusive now since I've found a brand new boytoy
>to pump my asshole into a bloody mess nightly again! I'm really sorry
>about any problems I've caused in the newsgroup! Gotta run, as I have
>10'' of manhood calling me right now!!!

Jesus Christ! You sick bastard. What are you posting that crap here
for? Now I know what PARG stands for- Possums And Rectal Gropers!

/Sal

298. Re: FS: TWO NEW TRUNKTRACKERS 200.00 EA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: JohnL <jhgl@usa.com>
Message-ID: <6dgq87$m6h@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168493

9LIVES wrote:
>
> I HAVE TWO NEW, IN-THE-BOX, BEARCAT PORTABLE TRUNKTRACKERS FOR
> SALE AT $200.00 EACH. FULL FACTORY WARRANTY.
>
> IF INTERESTED CONATCT ME AT 9LIVES@COMPUSERVE.COM

Just so you know, 235xlt's normally sell for $160 - $175 used...

299. Re: WTB: ICOM R100, R7100, or Shinwa SR-001

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve@swssec.com
Message-ID: <34fbf0d3.2882842@news-s02.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 168494

On Mon, 02 Mar 1998 23:05:44 -0800, Greg May <greg_may@hp.com> wrote:

>ICOM R100

>Yep, I am looking for these machines. ANyone have one to part with?

Greg, we have a trade in R100, unblocked, works fine, physical condition maybe a 7, with mounting bracket. You can have it for $500. Current dealer cost is $720.

Haven't seen a Shinwa in years. They were only manufactured for a short while, I believe.

Plenty of R7100s around, but an R7000 might be a better investment.

Email if interested. Can ship today on a credit card.

Regards ..... Steve

****
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tel +1+410-879-4035, fax +1+410-836-1190
"In God we trust, all others we monitor"
****

300. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dgu8s$e7t$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>> >> plans. Not even a postcard... I wonder how many other people he
screwed
>> >> out of a few bucks.
>
>You're lying, Tyler.
>

FUCK YOU BILL!!! I KNOW YOU REQUEST A COUPLE OF DOLLARS FOR YOUR STINKING
COPYING FEES FOR THE PAPER THE TEST WAS ON. YOU CAN DENY IT. THAT'S GREAT.

YOU'RE STILL A FUCKING ASSHOLE. LIAR HAS BEEN ADDED TO THE LIST OF
ADJECTIVES.

>For one thing, we don't charge money for beta
>participation.

BULLSHIT!

>
>Secondly, we have no record of you whatsoever.
>

I'm sure you don't.

>Thirdly, beta participation is usually totally
>free, except that when hard copy is necessary,
>we'll sometimes ask for a SASE and a stamp.

Yea you fucking bastard! Where the hell are my stamps too?

>
>Not money, you lying sack of dung. Try telling
>the truth, or don't you even know what that is?

I VOW TO SPREAD THE TRUTH ABOUT YOUR LYING ASSHOLE WAYS TO EVERY SCANNER I
KNOW!

I REALLY DON'T CARE IF YOU CHEEK LOVERS DON'T BELIEVE ME. I KNOW I SENT MONEY
TO THIS IDIOT AND HAVEN'T SEEN A DAMN THING.

TYLER

>
>+---+
>| Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
>| PO Box 262478 ~ San Diego, CA 92196-2478 |
>| Busn-Voice: (619) 578-9247 (1:30pm-5:30pm, PDT) FAX: anytime |

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>| E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
>|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
>| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
>| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
>| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
>+-----------------------------------------------------------------+
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>
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301. none

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <Use-Author-Address-Header@[127.1]>
Message-ID: <a0c17dc4ec30c6d03975dd005f6b6a9c@anonymous.poster>
Source record: 168496

snot

302. Re: Beta Testers Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dgubv$e7t$2@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>Tyler is a lot like you, though - horney for me
>and wants some of me real bad.....and gets pissed
>when told I'm not that way.
>

What kind of fruit loop are you? horney for you? wants some of me real bad?
YOU'RE A FREAK!

><shrug>
>

303. FS Pro-2036

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Wentz <dwentz@accessus.net>
Message-ID: <01bd46a5$f7e0e0a0$a32404d0@dragon.mcs.accessus.net>
Source record: 168498
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a 9 plus Radio Shack Pro-2036 Scanner for sale. Includes box and manual

Will ship to lower 48 for $200.00

Certified Check or Money Orders only please

Thanks,
Dale Wentz

304. none

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <Use-Author-Address-Header@[127.1]>
Message-ID: <09790903d7831ccdc03742d9d29653a0@anonymous.poster>
Source record: 168499

everyone here...

305. none

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <Use-Author-Address-Header@[127.1]>
Message-ID: <798a6d315658a5a416698dad834692d1@anonymous.poster>
Source record: 168500

No one gives a shit booty boy!

306. I have a AOR 1000XLT, might be interested in selling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Wentz <dwentz@accessus.net>
Message-ID: <01bd46a6$fc584280$a32404d0@dragon.mcs.accessus.net>
Source record: 168501

I have a like new AOR 1000 XLT with box manual, and additional book. I am looking at
getting a new Icom PRC-1000 and would consider selling the AOR 1000. Anyone interested?

Please send offers to mailto:dwentz@accessus.net

307. Re: Newsgroup Virus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303140200.JAA02356@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168502

>Subject: Newsgroup Virus
>From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
>Date: Tue, Mar 3, 1998 04:06 EST
>Message-id: <6dgh63$jh0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
>
> Hay! This one never showed up! Has someone stolen my identity and
>cancelled it? Need I re-post?
>
I'm sure that many of the people who have been targets of cowardly behavior
will enjoy having the last laugh, Bill Ewald.

308. Re: Which is better the BC895 or BC9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303141200.JAA03404@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168503

>Subject: Which is better the BC895 or BC9000?

>Ignoring the BC895's trunking feature, and the 9000's extra channels, which
>of
>these two are the better scanner, technically?

I would go with the BC 895 (aside from the trunking feature) because it is very sensitive, has built-in CTCSS (it's an add-on for the 9000) and it has computer programmability.

309. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ep8wLA.KDp@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 168504

On Tue, 3 Mar 1998, Bill Cheek wrote:

> **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>
> > Let's keep the on topic messages ON TOPIC. Let's keep the off
> > topic messages, OFF. Let's stay accurate to our subject
> > & if it is off subject then let's NOT post it!
> >
> > Thus our newsgroup reading will be more enjoyable for all!
> >
> > thanks
>
> Deplorable. Utterly deplorable, coming from
> Mackey.....the single most responsible poster
> of off-topic and degrading messages.
>
> Sick. Absolutely sick, even if the "plea"
> seems to be gilded in lillies and adorned
> with sweetness and gold.
>
> If you mean what you say, Mackey, then just
> DO IT. Ensure that not another post of yours
> is off-topic, or contributory to off-topic
> posts.
>
> Let's see what you're made out of.

Would anybody like to place a wager? I bet the original Mackey post was a forgery! We all know what he's made of...

Opinions expressed are my own and do not necessarily
represent those of my lawyers!

310. Re: Keypad for Pro-43?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fe145d.126905254@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168505

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

JosephIV@pcisys.net wrote:

> Hello,
>
> Looking for rubber keypad for Pro-43...any clues?

Sure. Tandy National Parts at (800) 442-2425

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311. WTB-Shortwaves & Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dh4kq$3lr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168506
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk

Looking for the following specific units, or what have you:

Panasonic RF-9000 large table top shortwave radio

Phillips AE-3905 copmact portable digital shortwave receiver

Sony WA-8000 or 8800 portable shortwave w/built-in cassette

Sony SW-100s

Sony SW-1s; even without the accessory kit, which I already have.

Shinwa SR-001 mobile scanning receiver w/remote control

Kenwood RZ-1 mobile scanning receiver

ESKA - Any of their hand held or portable scanning receivers

Please e-mail with description. condition, and price of your item.
If you are in the UK, I have friends that can pick up the item on my
behalf. I'm located in California.

312. Re: Problems with my RS-2036

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34ff1582.127197666@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168507

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Christian Ricci <cricci@diac.com> wrote:

> Hey all,
>
> I'm having some problems with my 2036, maybe one of you will recognize
> the problem and can help me decide what to do with this beast.

From your detailed description, the problem appears
to be rather complex and pervasive. Your best bet
is to take it into Radio Shack for service. It
cannot be remotely diagnosed and repaired by proxy,
that's for sure.

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313. WTD: FREQs in Dallas area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dawson Blackmore, Jr." <dblackmore@sikorsky.com>
Message-ID: <34FC1C7B.2EECD76B@sikorsky.com>
Source record: 168508

I will be going to the Dallas TX area for business in a few days and I
looking to listen to some services in the area, anyone got the numbers?

--
DBJr

314. RS323 codes for OS535? Where?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <B37445C31358F559.745904C254342DC1.9378496C56E66948@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 168509

Anyone know where to find the codes to interface with a Optoelectronics OS535 from the computer?

315. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35001644.127392297@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168510

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> >You're lying, Tyler.

> FUCK YOU BILL!!!

Excuse me? I know you are woman enough to make
a proposal like that, but my wife would object
and scratch your eyes out and feed 'em to you.

But somehow, I just can't see you as a pure female.

Transvestite or hermaphrodite, maybe......
but <shudder> I have no use for those critters.

> I KNOW YOU REQUEST A COUPLE OF DOLLARS FOR YOUR STINKING
> COPYING FEES FOR THE PAPER THE TEST WAS ON. YOU CAN DENY IT.

You're lying like a rug, Tylerena.

> YOU'RE STILL A FUCKING ASSHOLE. LIAR HAS BEEN ADDED TO
> THE LIST OF ADJECTIVES.

Oh, really now? Do tell? Is this another perverted
sexual proposition? You are very, very sick, Tylerena.
Shame on you! You ought to go hang your head in
utter self-pity for unloading like that. Shame!!!!

> >For one thing, we don't charge money for beta participation.

> BULLSHIT!

Nooooo. That's truth, sonny.

> >Secondly, we have no record of you whatsoever.

> I'm sure you don't.

Sooooo, why don't you POST the identity under which
you claim to have ordered, so we can look it up.
If we received anything, it will be on record. My
receiving department keeps different records - -
separate from the shipping department...so if we
received anything from you, we'll be able to tell.

And then we can tell if we shipped anything out.
As it is, there is no record of receipt or shipment
to the identity that you use here on the newsgroups.

Believe me, I don't want YOUR money. If you sent
some, and if we happen to be sitting on it, I'll
make damn sure to return it WITH interest.

> >Thirdly, beta participation is usually totally
> >free, except that when hard copy is necessary,
> >we'll sometimes ask for a SASE and a stamp.

> Yea you fucking bastard! Where the hell are my stamps too?

My my..... well, like I said, we have no record of you
and the way you have treated me for the last couple of
years here on the newsgroup, it's mighty unlikely you
ever even tried to deal with me. THAT would be kind of
two-faced, now wouldn't it?

But *if* you did send us anything, then post the identity
you used, so I can look it up. Once again, I don't want
anything from you, laddie.

> I VOW TO SPREAD THE TRUTH ABOUT YOUR LYING ASSHOLE WAYS
> TO EVERY SCANNER I KNOW!

Oh my. Are you aware of libel and slander laws?
Probably not since YOU also publicly confessed to
listening to your local cellular system and even mapping
it out. You should get to be more familiar with the
laws, though.

But, the *truth* is we have no record of you.
If you used another identity, then spit it out and I
will check into it.

The thing is, we do not charge money for beta test
project instructions, paper or otherwise. If you
sent money, it was your own stupidity, then.

You ought to know enough to not send MONEY in the
mail. And if you sent a check or M.O., then you have
the means to trace it and *prove* your claim.

So prove it. Tylerena.....

> I REALLY DON'T CARE IF YOU CHEEK LOVERS DON'T BELIEVE ME.
> I KNOW I SENT MONEY TO THIS IDIOT AND HAVEN'T SEEN A DAMN THING.

HA ha ha ha ha..... you are getting to be very
funny, Tylerena. And sick, too, making sexual
overtures to me here on the public newsgroups, no less.
You are very, very sick.....and pitiful, too. I
almost feel guilty for laughing at you.

Nevertheless, if we have your money, and I can't
imagine how that is possible, just disclose your
identity, WHAT you sent and WHEN, and I'll make
sure you get it back.

That's the best I can offer, Tylerena, although I
will strongly urge you to get some "help" with your
identity crisis and find out whether you are a man
or a woman or an accident of Nature in-betwixt.

Modern medicine can help with "accidents" sometimes,
and modern psychology can help with identity crises.
You should seek help.

Perhaps even a minister, eh?

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316. Re: Beta Testers Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35011f61.129725293@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168511

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> >Tyler is a lot like you, though - horney for me
> >and wants some of me real bad.....and gets pissed
> >when told I'm not that way.

> What kind of fruit loop are you? horney for you? wants some of me real bad?
> YOU'RE A FREAK!

No, Tylerena.....I don't want ANY part of you, period.
But you keep coming on to me like your sisters. You
just keep it up....and up.......and up.....like that
pink bunny.

What other conclusion is there than that you are
very horney for me? I mean, hey, pal....you *DO*
keep coming to me.

Right?

(It's all there in the history of this newsgroup!)

Eh?

317. Re: Newsgroup Virus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Pohl <pohlj@NOSPAM.erols.com>
Message-ID: <34FC3D16.3FBE@NOSPAM.erols.com>
Source record: 168512
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
>
> > someone@somewhere.com wrote:
> >
> > Subject: Newsgroup Virus
> > From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
> > Date: 1998/03/01
> > Message-ID: <6dbube$5la$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
> > X-Originating-IP-Addr: 129.37.130.82
> > X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.02 (Win95; I)
> > Organization: Deja News - The Leader in Internet Discussion
> > X-Article-Creation-Date: Sun Mar 01 15:20:37 1998 GMT
> > Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>
> Hay! This one never showed up! Has someone stolen my identity and
> cancelled it? Need I re-post?
>

Hey Bill,

why don't you save yourself some money and stop making long distance phone calls to various IBM.NET POPs across the country? It must be pretty expensive to call MN and WA from NC everyday! As a matter of face, why don't you just cancel you IBM.NET account and continue to use the PC at the EPA 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)?

I think it's pretty abvious that everyone know who you are now!

Jason

318. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35022121.130173677@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168513

@cts.com
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Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu> wrote:

> Would anybody like to place a wager? I bet the original Mackey post was a
> forgery! We all know what he's made of...

I wouldn't even bet that YOUR post isn't a forgery!

You just can't tell anymore these days.

319. Re: Repost: Newsgroup Virus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Pohl <pohlj@NOSPAM.erols.com>
Message-ID: <34FC3EC2.7CAF@NOSPAM.erols.com>
Source record: 168514

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
>
> [First one was cancelled by unknown means.]
>

Hey Bill,

That's funny, I just performed a seach in Deja News, and guess
what? I can't find a single post that has ever cancelled for
iwstirn@bigfoot.com!

Jason

320. Re: Newsgroup Virus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Pohl <pohlj@NOSPAM.erols.com>
Message-ID: <34FC3FF3.4144@NOSPAM.erols.com>
Source record: 168515

MAlexder wrote:
>
> >Subject: Newsgroup Virus
> >From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
> >Date: Tue, Mar 3, 1998 04:06 EST
> >Message-id: <6dgh63$jh0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
> >
> > Hay! This one never showed up! Has someone stolen my identity and
> >cancelled it? Need I re-post?
> >
> I'm sure that many of the people who have been targets of cowardly behavior
> will enjoy having the last laugh, Bill Ewald.

I don't think Bill will be laughing after everyone sends their
complaints to the following people at the EPA:

internet_support@unixmail.rtpnc.epa.gov

ckg@gissv1.rtpnc.epa.gov

Jason

321. Friend or foe?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9vjg@n-lemma.com
Message-ID: <n9vjg-0303981050320001@dialup-16.pgh.sgi.net>
Source record: 168516

Gordon West
Glenn Baxter
Wayne Greene
Len Winkler
Fred Maia
Herb Schaumbaum
W1WCR

What do you think of these radio amateurs' work in the radio hobbies?

Are they friend or foe to the radio hobbyist?

Why?

(Try not to slander anyone, now!)

Thanks and make sure you send me an email copy of your message.

322. Pro-43 Memory chips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: pturton@niagara.com
Message-ID: <34fc299f.81108921@news.niagara.com>
Source record: 168517

Has anyone found a direct replacement or alternate supplier for the Pro-43 serial EEPROMs - AK93C66M8 ?

The closest I've found is a Microchip 93LC66BX but have not found a retail supplier of these.

Tandy Canada wants $48 CDN + 15% tax for 2 of these $1 chips.

Cheers,
Paul

323. Bearcat BC560XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Kuecker <kuedan@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <6dhaph$3fa$1@news.corpcomm.net>
Source record: 168518

anyone know if this unit can be modified for any additional frequencies or
more channels?
please e-mail me.
thanks
daniel

324. Re: uniden sportcat 150 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: p@p.com
Message-ID: <6dhbnl$oae@elf.wang.com>
Source record: 168519

>
>Ummmmm, like what do you mean? More coverage
>or more memory?
>
More memory would be nice.

Phil
ptaft@wang.com

325. Re: PRO-64 Trunk tracking scanner???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access2.digex.net
Message-ID: <6dhcs1$imt@access2.digex.net>
Source record: 168520

In article <ejpHXxmR9GA.261@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>,
merrypaws <merrypaws@email.msn.com> wrote:
>Pro-64 owners , can u tell me if the pro-64 is a trunk tracking scanner???.
>I have call 2 Radio shack stores and I got two different answers. Pro64
>are on sale this month $149.00 good deal???

PRO-64 is *not* a trunk tracker.

I think there's a blurb in its description that it scans so fast
("hyperscan") that it's good for trunked systems. That's probably why one
salesman thought it was a TT. But it's not.

$149 sounds like a great deal. Unless you need trunk tracking.

Ken Plotkin

326. Blocking cordless freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: randycz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303170201.MAA22603@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168521

I have a 12 year old son very interested in monitoring. I have an old Radio Shack PRO-34 20 channel scanner I was going to give to him. I am not too crazy about the idea of his listening in on cordless phone calls. (Sometimes kids are not very discreet.) Is there a mod or a filter available to block the 40-50 Mhz range?

Thanks in advance.

Randy

327. FS: Uniden BC890 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: john <radiologist@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <01bd46cc$ee9ed020$042da2ce@john58>
Source record: 168522
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

High performance, continuous-band scanner. Like new. Ordered from EEB on 5/16/97. Works and looks perfect. $200, I ship (UPS ground, US-48). If interested, reply to:

radiologist@yahoo.com

John

328. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FC455E.EBF40895@usa.net>
Source record: 168523

tvine@teleport.com wrote:

>
(only intelligent part of quote not snipped)
(snip)
>

So what are you on now Petey. So far you have admitted to and I quote

"PROZAC: one year, stopped because of intolerable wired, buzzy,
can't-lie-still
insomnia. Sex was functional.

ZOLOFT: Two months. Stopped because of same type of insomnia. Sex was
totally dysfunctional.

SERZONE: One day after stopping Zoloft I started Serzone

Started on Luvox about 3 weeks ago, and I think I may have found the
one!
As effective as prozac for me, without the dreaded insomnia."

So which drug is it this week or are you back to pretending it is all
make believe. BAWAHAHAHAHA.

BTW, seems you are lying again. You didn't use your x-archive last
message Petey, not very consistent with what you say. OTOH, all the
years of drugs do seem to be taking a toll on you.

Now, do you want to talk scanners or keep playing this game Petey? Oh
wait, you don't have a clue about scanners, never mind.

Respond now Petey!!!

BAWAHAHAHAHA!

329. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: hapmton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <350039f8.4160437@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>
>After considerable research of my own I have
>to conclude that Bill Ewald, KD4EUW, of the
>EPA in Research Triangle Park, NC, is the
>infamous "iwstirn@bigfoot.com".

Boy, you are getting your back up for someone
who hid like a little baby behind your phone winradio
sales e-mail for a couple of weeks.

You ONLY went public when you were exposed for
posting from the same nntp posting host.

Guess that's where you learned this neat trick,
eh Bill? Don't lie about it now....

>
>Issues of this revelation, first brought to
>light by "someone@somewhere.com" are:
>
>1. Ewald uses US Government resources to conduct
> private vendettas and to involve himself in
> amateur politics.

Who gives a fuck? You use your own resources to
waste even more space on the net. What's your
point, billie?

>
>2. Ewald wastes taxpayer's money playing on the
> newsgroups when he should have been doing
> his job.

Maybe if you HAD a real job you could boast the same.

>
>3. I evicted Bill Ewald from the FidoNet SCANRADIO
> forum a couple of years ago for much the same
> reasons as I evicted John Mackey....off-topic posting
> and excessively annoying and unruly behavior.

What's YOUR excuse for your drivel?

Willie, get a fucking life, will ya? You're starting
to get as bad as that retard Mackey!

330. Re: Beta Testers Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: hapmton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35013b41.4490081@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168525
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 15:22:59 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
>
>> >Tyler is a lot like you, though - horney for me
>> >and wants some of me real bad.....and gets pissed
>> >when told I'm not that way.
>
>> What kind of fruit loop are you? horney for you? wants some of me real bad?
>> YOU'RE A FREAK!
>
>No, Tylerena.....I don't want ANY part of you, period.

Then why do you keep provoking the situation? Is it because
YOU are the REAL quadrasexual? Is that why you seem
to have an infatuation with odd-ball sexual behavior?

>But you keep coming on to me like your sisters. You
>just keep it up....and up.......and up.....like that
>pink bunny.

Now we see you are into furry animals as well. How interesting....

331. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: unknown <unknown@unknown.com>
Message-ID: <01bd46dc$f3cba180$1fd999d1@xqipxghw>
Source record: 168526
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

GAY = Got Aids Yet

John Mackey KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote in article
<34FB4FB1.2568@usa.net>...
> I just wanted to let everyone know that I am gay. I've been a really bad
> mood these last few months, as I broke up with my long time lover. Don't
> worry, I'll be much less abusive now since I've found a brand new boytoy
> to pump my asshole into a bloody mess nightly again! I'm really sorry
> about any problems I've caused in the newsgroup! Gotta run, as I have
> 10'' of manhood calling me right now!!!
>

332. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fc5af7.144981188@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168527

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

hapmton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:

> Boy, you are getting your back up for someone
> who hid like a little baby behind your phone winradio
> sales e-mail for a couple of weeks.
>
> You ONLY went public when you were exposed for
> posting from the same nntp posting host.

Geezus.....I was "exposed" AFTER I made it clear,
you dingbat. It's there in the record. There
should never have been any confusion in the
first place since all the references were to MY
web site, MY FTP site, and MY e-mail accounts.

There couldn't have possibly been any deception.
And there was nothing to "expose" until wingnuts
like you couldn't tell the difference. So I
posted about it. Then Mackey and Boe rose to
the call to post it even more, albeit warped
out of shape. Look what those two popinjays
did when they thought I was on AOL. Ha ha ha ha

Consider the sources of the "exposure", wingnut.

> Guess that's where you learned this neat trick,
> eh Bill? Don't lie about it now....

I don't lie, dipstick....except maybe in your craw.

> Who gives a fuck? You use your own resources to
> waste even more space on the net. What's your
> point, billie?

Is that some sort of a sexual proposition? Sorry,
snotball, I'm not your kind, even though you give
the appearance of being "woman" enough.

> Willie, get a fucking life, will ya? You're starting
> to get as bad as that retard Mackey!

Another proposition.....geezus.....

Scoop it up with both hands, Ignats; wad it up
into a little ball......and stick it. Oh, and
would you like to have a "hankie", Hank?

Now get back to your booger-picking........

333. Re: Friend or foe?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fd5e1b.145785857@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168528

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

n9vjg@n-lemma.com (Eric N9VJG) wrote:

> Gordon West
> Glenn Baxter
> Wayne Greene
> Len Winkler
> Fred Maia
> Herb Schaumbaum
> W1WCR
>
> What do you think of these radio amateurs' work in the radio hobbies?
>
> Are they friend or foe to the radio hobbyist?
>
> Why?

Why would the question of "foe" even come up? Because
they stand on their own two feet and speak out? If not
that, what?

The curious want to know......

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| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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334. TBA 641 pinout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <rschijnd@worldonline.nl>
Message-ID: <01bd46de$86edd720$b28bf1c3@pentium133>
Source record: 168529

can someone give me the pinout for the obsolete TBA 641 LF-stage
used in older bearcat scanners?

Tnx in advance
rschijnd@worldonline.nl

335. Re: cordless freqs other than 46 and 902-928mgz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ddoty@iconnect.net
Message-ID: <6dh5e0$n1d$3@connect3.iconnect.net>
Source record: 168530
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In regards to other cordless freques, the earliest cordless phones used am.
They operated just below the am broadcast band (U.S.A.).
I don't know if any of these antiques are still arround, but you could
listen to them with the old am radios bytuning just below the last station
on the dial.
73 de Darryl

Net-Tamer V 1.09 - Test Drive

336. Re: Hacking the doctor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34fc65de.5276534@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168531

On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 03:18:12 -0600, iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

>In article <98030206000031226@thekat.cts.com>,
> bud.jamison@thekat.cts.com (Bud Jamison) wrote:
>>
>> -> From: Jeff <jharris4@bellsouth.net>
>> -> Subject: OCD affecting Cheek
>> ->
>> -> It has been determined that Bill Cheek suffers from OCD (Obsessive
>> -> Compulsive Disorder).
>>
>> SO, you're admitting publically that you've hacking into his Doctor's
>> private files? Or are you just 'blowing smoke'?
>>
>
> I think Bud is too gullible. But free psychoanalysis is one of the many
>benefits of this group.
>
Yes it is and I urge you to take advantage of it. I would be glad to
assist you. Just post your real name and e-mail address and I'll
start immediately. HTH

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

337. Re: trunktracking and changes to the data stream (?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcardani@erols.com
Message-ID: <34fc69a1.26248446@news.tju.edu>
Source record: 168532

On 3 Mar 1998 02:37:22 GMT, smith145@hotmail.com (d) wrote:

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>i have been told by a very reputable source that there is a firmware
>revision out to motorola(tm) smartnet(tm) trunking systems that changes
>the OSW (outbound signalling word) data format.
>
>this has been done purposefully to "fool" the trunk-tracker scanners.
>"real" radios will ignore the extra bits in the data stream, but i
>understand that this severely hinders the trunktrackers ability to
>monitor a system...
>
>i am not aware of how effective this method is, but was wondering if
>anyone else had heard similar rumblings...
>
>post to the group, not me.
>
>d
>
Hi,

Even if the Trunk Tracker scanner is thwarted by this change in the data stream (highly unlikely - see Greg Knox's reply to this post), software such as TrunkTrac (also developed by Greg) could be easily modified to receive the new data format.

But why would Motorola do this? To tick off thousands of Law Enforcement and Emergency Services professionals and volunteers that rely on the Trunk Tracker as the only practical and cost effective way to monitor surrounding public safety agencies in case of emergencies or for mutual aid? I believe it is not in Motorola's best interest to do this.

Fore example, the Trunk Tracker was invaluable to public safety and the news media during the recent severe weather in Central Florida!

Joe

338. Receiving satellites???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonny Shinfield <jonny@dragonet.es>
Message-ID: <34FC7081.8AC@dragonet.es>
Source record: 168533

Hello,
Does anyone know if it`s possible to receive ameteur
satellites,Inmarsat,Meteorsat etc using the AOR-8000 receiver ?
Any information would be apreciated --types of
antennas/parabolics,frequencies etc.

Thanks. Jonny.

339. Help Regency TS 800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Web Foot <stingray63@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <34FC8312.6498@geocities.com>
Source record: 168534

I just aquired a Regency Turbo Scan 800 [with no daocumentation of course]. It works fine but some of the intracies of the programing, i.e. banks, priority, lock, delay etc. are hard to fumble thru. any one got a manual or could provide some simple guidance on operations in these areas would be much appreciated.
-- stingray
P.S. I fumbled thru the search limits programing and it works fine.

thanks

340. RCI2950 CD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philippe CADIC <ccadic@cadic.com.REMOVE.THIS.NOSPAM>
Message-ID: <01bd417a$325b4620$0101a8c0@sexytop>
Source record: 168535

http://rciweb.cadic.com/rcirom.html

341. Re: RS PRO 2006 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: buelman102@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303214301.QAA00177@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168536

why would he have to do that?

342. Wanted:LAPD FREQS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: e10mo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303222600.RAA02197@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168537

Hi.I am looking for the following LAPD Tac freqs:

AIR/K-9?

NARC RED?

NARC BLUE?

DETECTIVE ROBBERY/HOMCIDE?

BUNKO FORGERY MOTOR VEC/FROGERY 511.980?

ADIMN/VICE 511.980?

Note:These are all LAPD freqs on the LAPD Astros so if anyone has connection to get these freqs or know the freqs,please e-mail me with the freqs.

Thank you.

e10mo@aol.com

343. Regency Scanner TS 800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Web Foot <stingray63@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <34FC9488.1694@geocities.com>
Source record: 168538

Regency Turbo Scan 800 :
need info on deleting frequencies fron scan and bank programing. also
priority programing, lock and, delay programming ..... search okay!

any help or potential sources appreciated

stingray
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344. Re: kenwood tk 801 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <barnes.nospam@es.co.nz>
Message-ID: <34FAB01C.48B1@es.co.nz>
Source record: 168604
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

> I have a Kenwood TK-801 UHF radio and I was wondering how to re-program
> the frequencies. Any help would be appreciated.
> Thanks in advance.

I've got a TK805D 16 Channel UHF
I hold down <AUX>+<D/A> then power on button
use the mic button and chan knob to prog.
You need to make sure you have the jumpers right in the radio to allow
this,
I also need more info on some of the ctcss stuff, and advanced features

Hope this helps a bit,

Mike Barnes ZL3TMB

Email address- barnes.nospam@es.co.nz (Remove the ".nospam" to Email)
Home Page- http://homepages.ihug.co.nz/~Sbarnes/index.html
Packet Radio- ZL3TMB@ZL3AC.#80.NZL.OC (Amateur Radio ONLY)
Cellphone- (021)679-479 (New Zealand GSM Digital)
Fax Number- (021)218-4479 (New Zealand GSM Digital)

PS. If you get any good info please let me know..

345. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fb5a46.79258234@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168605

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Let's keep the on topic messages ON TOPIC. Let's keep the off
> topic messages, OFF. Let's stay accurate to our subject
> & if it is off subject then let's NOT post it!
>
> Thus our newsgroup reading will be more enjoyable for all!
>
> thanks

Deplorable. Utterly deplorable, coming from
Mackey.....the single most responsible poster
of off-topic and degrading messages.

Sick. Absolutely sick, even if the "plea"
seems to be gilded in lillies and adorned
with sweetness and gold.

If you mean what you say, Mackey, then just
DO IT. Ensure that not another post of yours
is off-topic, or contributory to off-topic
posts.

Let's see what you're made out of.

346. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fd5ce7.79931883@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168606

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

> Hey William, can you give us a few secret EPA freqs?

He is more widely known as "Bill Ewald",
and certainly has an axe to grind. He was
one of those who I booted off the FidoNet
SCANRADIO forum.

Makes even more sense now, huh?

<click> Let there be light!

+-----------------------------------------------------------------+
| Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
| PO Box 262478 ~ San Diego, CA 92196-2478 |
| Busn-Voice: (619) 578-9247 (1:30pm-5:30pm, PDT) FAX: anytime |
| E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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347. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168607

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

someone@somewhere.com wrote:

> Most of the posts from "iwstirnm@bigfoot.com" originated from the EPA site
> in the Research Triangle area of NC.

Nice! Damn nice piece of work....even if
you missed the target....which it doesn't
appear you did right now.

Excellent! Good show! Way to go!
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348. FS: uniden Bearcat 200xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: av8r35@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303020800.VAA23428@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168608

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For Sale:
Uniden Bearcat 200xlt.
long life battery pack
light mod
good working condition
$150

Av8r35@aol.com
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349. Sacramento MDT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Howard Smith <hcsmith2@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FB64AC.3D6B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Im looking for Sacramento MDT frequencies. Anyone having any luck decoding MDT in Sacramento, hopefully Sac PD. Please let me know and give me freqs.

Thanks in advance!

350. I"VE BEEN SHOT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@localhost
Message-ID: <ahhEp81q0.A1D@netcom.com>
Source record: 168610

UGH

HELP ME, I"VE BEEN SHOT

OUCH

UGH

351. trunktracking and changes to the data stream (?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: smith145@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6dfqd2$1636$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 168611

i have been told by a very reputable source that there is a firmware revision out to motorola(tm) smartnet(tm) trunking systems that changes the OSW (outbound signalling word) data format.

this has been done purposefully to "fool" the trunk-tracker scanners. "real" radios will ignore the extra bits in the data stream, but i understand that this severely hinders the trunktrackers ability to monitor a system...

i am not aware of how effective this method is, but was wondering if anyone else had heard similar rumblings...

post to the group, not me.

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352. Re: New to Trunk tracking Need some help Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: zippy@isit.net
Message-ID: <34fb6dad.174680193@news.i-plus.net>
Source record: 168612

I'm new on trunking myself, so I am no expert, but (I think) you can
track your Albany PD or Fire Dept. 2 ways.....
1) hit trunk and then wait until the ID that you want to hear comes up
and then hit hold and your trunk will track only that ID that you want
to trunk
2)punch in the ID that you want to track into your trunktracker while
in the trunkmode (I haven't done that yet, just read about it....)On
25 Feb 1998 21:29:54 GMT, stoli126@aol.com (Stoli126) wrote:

>I reside in Albany, NY and just purchased a Trunk Tracker. I have followed the
>instructions for programming the Trunk Tracker and it seems to be working fin
>but I am a little confused about some things. Perhaps someone in or near
>Albany is reading this and can help. First the steps I have taken were
>programming in the 14 frequencies that Albany Uses. Then I hit search and
>get Albany PD Albany Fire Etc. Next day comes and I turn the scanner on and
>do the same thing and I am only gettting the Albany Street Department Plows
>etc no more Police until programming the 14 into another bank and then hitting
>search and then its fine again Why is it that some days I am only hearing the
>street department Do things change from day to day or am I doing something
>wrong. Do I have to program the frequencies in every day. Many thanks either
>E Mail me or post to group Greatly appreciated
>

353. Re: Police Codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: R <i@like.racing>
Message-ID: <01bd464f$7ca08fe0$cf10a2d1@robb>
Source record: 168613

I would like California. San Luis Obispo County

--
Just me

Commo Commando <primecommo@hotmail.com> wrote in article
<34F81B9C.22B8875B@hotmail.com>...
> For which state??
>
> Out here.
>
> ICE T wrote:
>
> > Please mail me the police codes:
> >
> > thanks.
>
>
>
>

354. signal, code, 10-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: zippy@isit.net
Message-ID: <34fb6fb0.175196183@news.i-plus.net>
Source record: 168614

Where can I get some kind of info on the signals, codes, and 10 codes?
Are they all different? If they are, Are there any tricks that anybody
knows to breaking them other than common sense?????

355. Re: comparison of most trunked radio systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: smith145@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6dfquf$1636$2@news.gate.net>
Source record: 168615
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

sure would be interesting to see how many suits have been files against Moto compared to E/GE....i can honestly think of only 1 suit against Mot, and that was from a deputy in Texas' wife. the deputy was killed and she sued because apparently the emergency button on his STX radio did not transmit his emergency call....dunno who won, though.

sorry guys, EDACS sucks. *but* a poor, under-funded Moto system is just as bad. some of these decisions are made by county/city admin types, who do not understand anything about radio, yet are quick with the pen to nix a couple of extra sites from a system to save a million or two....

i can think of three counties in florida that are really regretting their decision to purchase their system from E/GE...especially now that they will miss out on APCO 25..just ask Volusia/Brevard/Indian River counties(!)

Also, guess which plant just laid off 250 people? Can you say Lynchburg, VA...home of the bung-hole EGE(??)

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356. FS: Modified Pro 43 W/Leather Case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303042001.XAA17450@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168616

I have a clean condition Fully Modified Pro 43 with Custom hard leather case
from Design EQ for sale for $ 300 firm.
That is ofcourse in the original box with manual

Email - ligosa @aol.com or call
Chris @ 718-642-1087
Thanks

357. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34ff7a5a.87471767@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168617

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

After considerable research of my own I have
to conclude that Bill Ewald, KD4EUW, of the
EPA in Research Triangle Park, NC, is the
infamous "iwstirn@bigfoot.com".

The sick thing is that a Deja News search
on "iwstirn@bigfoot.com" discloses over 1400
posts by this guy over a short period of time.

He certainly gets around, this Ewald does.....
and using our dollars, no less, since fairly
conclusive evidence shows that he posts from:
134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)

Issues of this revelation, first brought to
light by "someone@somewhere.com" are:

1. Ewald uses US Government resources to conduct
private vendettas and to involve himself in
amateur politics.

2. Ewald wastes taxpayer's money playing on the
newsgroups when he should have been doing
his job.

3. I evicted Bill Ewald from the FidoNet SCANRADIO
forum a couple of years ago for much the same
reasons as I evicted John Mackey....off-topic posting
and excessively annoying and unruly behavior.

#3 is mentioned as a probable motive for his behavior
on certain newsgroups.

It has been previously posted that one place to
issue a complaint about Ewald's conduct is:

internet_support@unixmail.rtpnc.epa.gov

My subsequent research suggests another point
of contact as well:

ckg@gissv1.rtpnc.epa.gov

They could well be the same, but what the heck.

Also as pointed out by others, this "iwstirn@bigfoot.com"
appears to be responsible for the *forged* cancellations
of *many* posts from the scanner newsgroups.

The plot thickens, but it appears we're getting to
the bottom of it.

Anyone interested in doing independent research can
go to http://www.dejanews.com/home_ps.shtml and do
a power search on "*" in the SEARCH FOR box, and
"iwstirn@bigfoot.com" under the author field. A micro-
view of the results are included below.

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Subject: Frequencies for Montebello
From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
Date: 1998/02/23
Message-ID: <6csic9$i33$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
References: <34ed472c.63540727@news2.cts.com>
<6clg8g$q5i$1@news3.microserve.net>
<6clt0g$6cm@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
<6cmrvu$460$1@news3.microserve.net>
<34fa96a0.7280264@news.cyberhighway.net>
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.04 [en] (Win95; U)
Organization: Deja News - The Leader in Internet Discussion
X-Article-Creation-Date: Mon Feb 23 19:23:47 1998 GMT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Subject: Cheek for Moderator of rec.scanner!
From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
Date: 1998/02/25
Message-ID: <6d0lvblan1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
References: <34ed472c.63540727@news2.cts.com>
<Eop1Hr.H8p@moraga.ness.com>
<6cs07indf1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
<EovCIu.Do@moraga.ness.com>
<6cuc34$6r9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
<34F36AD3.3AF7@bellsouth.net>
Organization: Deja News - The Leader in Internet Discussion
X-Article-Creation-Date: Wed Feb 25 08:49:47 1998 GMT
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.02 (Win95; I)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 129.37.130.217

Subject: Woex is Larry's Parrot?
From: IWSTIRN@BIGFOOT.COM
Date: 1998/02/03
Message-ID: <886497937.913113106@dejanews.com>
References: <6arhb0$5oa@news.service.uci.edu>
<19980130205001.PAA04509@ladder02.news.aol.com>
<886343708.1354366980@dejanews.com>

<34D512B7.5CA4@scan.missouri.org>
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 129.37.240.30 (slip129-37-240-30.nc.us.ibm.net)
X-Authenticated-Sender: IWSTIRN@BIGFOOT.COM
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.02 (Win95; I)
Organization: Deja News Posting Service
X-Article-Creation-Date: Tue Feb 03 09:25:37 1998 GMT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.policy

Subject: Re: "Popular Communications" $12 a year
From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
Date: 1997/12/29
Message-ID: <883407676.363134984@dejanews.com>
References: <19971226193301.OAA21786@ladder02.news.aol.com>
<19971226204200.PAA27636@ladder02.news.aol.com>
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
X-Authenticated-Sender: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.0 (Win16; U)
Organization: Deja News Posting Service
X-Article-Creation-Date: Mon Dec 29 15:01:16 1997 GMT
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner

Subject: Re: Billy Sauls Rabbits On and On...
From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
Date: 1998/01/02
Message-ID: <883756724.1142751242@dejanews.com>
References: <34aa9a0c.0@lightning.ica.net>
<34aadcf6.196470816@news.mindspring.com>
<34abc556.255968024@news.mindspring.com>
<34ac5f08.295319615@news.mindspring.com>
<34ac600d.295581285@news.mindspring.com>
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.0 (Win16; U)
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
Organization: Deja News Posting Service
X-Authenticated-Sender: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
X-Article-Creation-Date: Fri Jan 02 15:58:44 1998 GMT
Newsgroups: triangle.politics

Subject: Re: World Scammer Report
From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
Date: 1998/01/06
Message-ID: <884096464.254345228@dejanews.com>
References: <34b06a21.71147383@news2.cts.com>
<884011205.1082064903@dejanews.com>
<tvine-0501980942270001@ip-pdx11-17.teleport.com>
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
X-Authenticated-Sender: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.0 (Win16; U)
Organization: Deja News Posting Service
X-Article-Creation-Date: Tue Jan 06 14:21:04 1998 GMT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Subject: Re: Cheek, Parnass and Wells
From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
Date: 1997/12/17
Message-ID: <882364744.1891631119@dejanews.com>
References: <19971216194400.OAA23945@ladder01.news.aol.com>
<19971217003601.TAA22635@ladder02.news.aol.com>
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/3.0 (Win16; U)
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48 (rt-ecao-host36.rtpecao.epa.gov)
Organization: Deja News Posting Service
X-Authenticated-Sender: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
X-Article-Creation-Date: Wed Dec 17 13:19:04 1997 GMT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Subject: Re: This is why we should do a good job teaching non-majors
From: "I. W. Stirn" <iwstirn@bigfoot.com>
Date: 1997/11/19
Message-ID: <347316D1.1340DEF2@bigfoot.com>
References: <199711181608.LAA33098@dresden.american.edu>
Organization: I. W. Stirn & Company
Newsgroups: sci.bio.ecology

Subject: Cheek a fraud?
From: iwstirn@bigfoot.com
Date: 1998/02/23
Message-ID: <6cs1irpam1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
References: <34ed472c.63540727@news2.cts.com>
<6clg8g$q5i$1@news3.microserve.net>
<6clt0g$6cm@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
<6cmrvu$460$1@news3.microserve.net>
X-Originating-IP-Addr: 134.67.118.48
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.04 [en] (Win95; U)
Organization: Deja News - The Leader in Internet Discussion
X-Article-Creation-Date: Mon Feb 23 14:37:15 1998 GMT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

358. Re: Diskriminatorausgang

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: brat@thumb.interlog.com
Message-ID: <6dg0eg$4l6$1@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 168618

In article <34F9B2B0.3C7F3F4A@donau.de>, sfuchs@donau.de wrote:
>Hi,
>
>weiss jemand wo man am Albrecht RL-402 einen Diskriminatorausgang
>abgreifen kann??
>
>CU Stefan
>

Probier' mal http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/mods/baseband.txt

Bernie

--
Bernie Rataj brat@interlog.com qth://toronto.on.ca
Ontario DX Association ===> http://www.grove.net/~odxa
Tsuruoka Canadian Budokai ===> http://www.interlog.com/~brat/tcb
** Please remove the thumb from my address if replying to Usenet post!
--

359. Looking For..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <tborden@accesscable.net>
Message-ID: <6dg2kr$q2s$1@nntp3.uunet.ca>
Source record: 168619

I am looking for web links other than the DallasPD,Dallas FD,LA PD,NYC PD,Plano,Tx
PD Live Scanner Radio links.If anyone may know of some please email at the following
medic13@accesscable.net

Thanks!!!

Tom

360. bc9000xlt scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ANDREWJ <andrewj@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4662$8e934f40$9d91d9cf@andy>
Source record: 168620

in good shape; 500 channel triple conversion radio. $200 + shipping.

respond to email to puchase.

andy
n6xkn

361. Re: Keypad for Pro-43?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: unclebob@ripco.com
Message-ID: <6dg2tv$hs7$1@gail.ripco.com>
Source record: 168621

JosephIV@pcisys.net wrote:
: Hello,

: Looking for rubber keypad for Pro-43...any clues?

: -J-

Radio Shack

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* *

Uncle Bob.............unclebob@ripco.com

362. WTB: PRO-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Stegner <dstegner@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6dg4ss$mg9$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 168622
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Please email with condition and price. Thanks.

Don Stegner
dstegner@erols.com

363. Re: Cellphone Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: unknown <unknown@unknown.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4667$02175020$0ed999d1@xqipxghw>
Source record: 168623
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

try looking on the internet, my phone got locked and a guy from cantel
pushed a couple of buttons and he got the lock code!

Andy*Kapp <andykapp@gte.net> wrote in article
<6dfc6l$n6m$2@gte1.gte.net>...
> I have a motorola meteor handheld phone, its not aflip phoe , but I
> found it on the street and its locked. can anyone tell me how to unlock
> it and scan with it? any help appreciated e-mail me if you can thanks a
> lot in advance
>

364. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <35016459.10103642@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 168624

malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>>Subject: Re: The Spectacle
>>From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net (Glen Quarnstrom)
>>Date: Mon, Mar 2, 1998 17:14 EST
>>Message-id: <34ff1dc9.5834146@news.cyberhighway.net>
>
>> If everybody ignored him, he'd disappear, or
>>post on topic. The fact that you went to all the trouble to count all
>>his posts indicates that you're as sick as you think he is.
>
>What's ironic is that you don;t follow your own advice. You readily respond to
>off topic posts. Why should Glenn be any different?

But the difference is that *I'm* not the one whining about Mackey's
posts. I can read them, skip them, or whatever. I don't really care
if he posts 300 messages a _day_. All I'm doing is pointing out that
all the whiners (and there are a LOT of them in my killfile) are
enabling him, and are every bit as much to blame as he is for
cluttering up this ng with a lot of crap.

>When someone posts hundreds of messages within a month or so, aren't you
>curious to know what they are about? Since it's no big deal to find out how

Not particularly. But I can easily determine that by just reading the
posts as they come up. There's no need to obsess about it by keeping
a detailed count, or searching Deja News for stats to throw around to
support some agenda or other.

>many posts a person makes, you can hardly call it a sickness (not unless you
>happen to be grinding your ax and out to make a point, no matter how weak it
>is, which is what you seem intent on doing).

My point only requires a bit of observation and logic. It's the
whiners who are exhibiting their obsession and grinding axes, not me.

>Hey, that lame-brain Strin has posted close to 200 messages since the beginning
>of the year, with only a few on- topics. Check his postings in other NGs, and you'll see
that he uses the same MO there as he does here.

Who cares, really? I've seen his posts here, and can observe his
rather obvious agenda. I have no interest in what he's doing in some
other newsgroup. I don't really have much interest in what he's doing
in THIS newsgroup, even. I only scan his stuff to see if it's time
yet to add him to my killfile. As soon as he stops entertaining me,
in he goes.

>You're right, of course. If everyone did post on topic, Mackey and his ilk
>would go away. They never have anything to say about scanners.

And that's the crux of this whole matter. Everything else is just
window dressing by folks who are looking for attention.

BTW, I see that Hansen has posted a lame response to my comments as
well. Too bad for him that I'm not biting on his bait. I've made my
point.
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glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

365. Mason county, Illinois frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "jon.lippert" <jon.lippert@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bd446a$52af8a60$d53737a6@default>
Source record: 168625

I live in South carolina, and am trying to get some scanner frequencies for
my father in Mason county Illinois. I haven't found anything on the net.
Can anyone help me?
Thanks,
Jon
Lippert

366. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <34fb6936.2624499@news.total.net>
Source record: 168626
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Mon, 02 Mar 1998 19:32:49 -0500, **John Mackey** KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>I just wanted to let everyone know that I am gay. I've been a really bad
>mood these last few months, as I broke up with my long time lover. Don't
>worry, I'll be much less abusive now since I've found a brand new boytoy
>to pump my asshole into a bloody mess nightly again! I'm really sorry
>about any problems I've caused in the newsgroup! Gotta run, as I have
>10'' of manhood calling me right now!!!

huh ?

Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

367. FS: UHF Repeater Amplifer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: docalarm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303062700.BAA05557@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168627

UHF Model RF 455U Rated for continuous use. Physical size: 19" rack mountable 19 x 10 heatsink. Originally purchased for repeater but was never installed.

I have no documentation on the amp. I bought 2 of them at a ham radio flea market in Palo Alto CA. I currently am using one being fed by a Motorola MHW 710 power module with an output of approximately 7 to 8 watts. I am getting approximately 45 watts out of the RF gain amplifer same model as for sale. It has n-connectors for input and ouput. The 2 power transistors used in the amplifer, one is a Motorola MRF641 the other is MRF646 which is rated at 45 watts. The Motorola Data manual specs the transistor at 45 watts at 440 to 520 mhz. I have requested info from the manufacturer who is still in business but have not received the info as of yet. The manufacturer did state these were a special production. The manufacturer is RF Gain.

368. FS - Model C-950 Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: docalarm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303063400.BAA06322@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168628

Includes Manual $50 plus shipping and COD charges

Quoting from the manual:

"You know own the most technically advanced feature packed and capable simplex interconnect product available. Years of trouble free, high quality mobile telephone service are now yours.

Your CS 950 can service you in a variety of ways. From the mobile you an initiate and receive telephone calls fully automatically. But also, your calls can be initiated and received in your office by a dispatcher. The dispatcher can then manually connect your mobile unitl with your call.

Our digitally processed "FAST VOX" and simplex loop yield a degree of communications quality found in no other simplex interconnect. You merely take turns talking. Our digital processor will allow you to talk at your normal pace. No prompt tones are required to let you know when it is ok to talk.

The three digit access code will prevent unauthorized persons from making calls. But more important, the sophisticated dial restrict logic will keep the "authorized" users from making unauthorized long distance calls.

The CS 950 is capable of superb half duplex operation."

369. FS: Comm Specialists TE 32 CTCSS encoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: docalarm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303064401.BAA07322@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168629

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Asking $30 PLUS shipping and COD
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370. Re: trunktracking and changes to the data stream (?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: gknox@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34fba573.3214691@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 168630

On 3 Mar 1998 02:37:22 GMT, smith145@hotmail.com (d) wrote:

>
>i have been told by a very reputable source that there is a firmware
>revision out to motorola(tm) smartnet(tm) trunking systems that changes
>the OSW (outbound signalling word) data format.
>
>this has been done purposefully to "fool" the trunk-tracker scanners.
>"real" radios will ignore the extra bits in the data stream, but i
>understand that this severely hinders the trunktrackers ability to
>monitor a system...
>
>i am not aware of how effective this method is, but was wondering if
>anyone else had heard similar rumblings...
>
>post to the group, not me.
>
>d
>

If the revision includes a change to the software of the mobile and handheld units then anything is possible, and obviously the Trunktrackers could be easily thwarted. But this is highly unlikely. Few organizations would be willing to sit still for that aggravation.

If they are going to just tack some superfluous bits on to the data stream then the Trunktrackers will just ignore them and won't be fooled. Basically, any change made to the data stream that doesn't confuse a current Motorola trunked radio won't confound the Trunktrackers.

What you may be referring to is a problem some TT users have reported regarding chopping out of certain talkgroups. The problem seems to be caused by noise in the subaudible range of the audio spectrum on the voice channels. The radio thinks it's seeing the disconnect sequence and jumps back to the control channel, finds the conversation still in progress and returns to the voice channel where the process is repeated. There are probably a number of things that could cause this noise or distortion. The problem with it is that some of the actual subscriber units seem to have been confused too so it's not likely a viable technique. Besides, Uniden has a fix for it that will be incorporated in future versions which causes the Trunktrackers to be oblivious to the distortion.

Greg Knox

371. 1300 Mhz Receiver for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: hiway@ktb2.ktb.net
Message-ID: <6dgacfeeu7@dns.ktb.net>
Source record: 168631

Icom Receiver R1 For Sale

With nicket battery and quick charger, 150khz to 1300 mhz AM, FM,
FM WIDE, perfect condition, total $300.00 shipping not include.
please Email hiway@ktb.net or call (626)454-3333 Monday through
Friday 10:00AM to 5:00PM
Pacific standard time.

372. Re: Keypad for Pro-43?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <34fca266.503687@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168632
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Mon, 02 Mar 1998 19:57:20 -0700, JosephIV@pcisys.net wrote:

>Hello,
>
>Looking for rubber keypad for Pro-43...any clues?
>
>-J-

Go to http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/2849.htm and then you have a listing of most of the RS scanners. Going a bit further, you will find a detailed parts listing for the Pro-43. You are looking for the KEYTOP part number. You are actually looking for the NP Part # which is KC0385. Call 1-800-THE-SHACK or the number at the top of the detailed part listing page. They will have it sent to you in a couple of days. Fairly easy to install. Disassembly instructions of the Pro-43 can be readily found on the internet. Last time I ordered this part # it was $5.91, but who knows what the price has done.

Wiggie

373. Re: PRO-64 Trunk tracking scanner???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ~ <money25@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6dgasg$97d$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 168633

merrypaws wrote in message ...
>Pro-64 owners , can u tell me if the pro-64 is a trunk tracking scanner???.
>I have call 2 Radio shack stores and I got two different answers. Pro64
>are on sale this month $149.00 good deal???
>
>

Yes *and* yes. I've got a horrible eye infection.

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http://home1.gte.net/money25/index.htm
****
Law of Supergroovalisticprosifunkstication:
Give the people what they want when they want
and they wants it all the time.

374. Re: What is the best all around mobile scanner antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: stmagnum@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303072601.CAA06167@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168634

>800 mhz, vhf, uhf and aircraft. Motarola mount is a must. Any
>suggestions? Thanks.
>
>Casey
>
>

Check out the Austin Spectra. Don't have one, but it sounds like it is what you're looking for.

http://www.radio-ware.com/spectra.html

-- St. Magnum

375. Globalstar vs. Iridium CDMA vs. TDMA which is the superior system?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Abort_Retry_Fail <Abort_Retry_Fail@roadrunner.net>
Message-ID: <34FC591D.1C08@roadrunner.net>
Source record: 168635

If you're interested in satellite-based wireless communications,
you should see the Globalstar system Iridium is intended to compete against:

The Iridium web site says that they'll be launching their first birds later
this year. Globalstar's first birds went up two weeks ago. (Qualcomm is a major
partner in the GlobalStar consortium, as well as being a major developer in
the project.)

Iridium's page says they're going online this year. That seems more than a
bit ambitious if they don't even have any satellites up yet.

Iridium using TDMA. The Gobalstar system is CDMA.

The Iridum satellites will be in a much higher orbit than Globalstar,
leading to greater communication delay.

I think both systems are technically feasible; they can both be made to
work. Whether either or both are *commercially* feasible definitely remains
to be seen!

376. LTR group problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: blue@nym.lycaeum.org
Message-ID: <6dgdakjoi1@sparky.wolfe.net>
Source record: 168636

One and only one freq. is known;854.5875. This the HOME freq. for 10 radios on a LTR system. For over 2 months now, none of my friends or me can find the other freqs. these radios go to when 854.5875 is not available. We mostly try to direct scan down from 854.5875, but the tranmissions are so short we have had no luck. Also, a whole lot of others share 854.5875 and no doubt the unknown freqs.

Since LTR uses sub audible tones, what modification(s) are available for a PRO-34 or PRO-51 to i.d. the tone for these radios? Is there a company that would make mods.?

I almost bought a trunktracker until one of my group said they only work on Motorola systems.

Thanks,

Blue

377. Orange County, CA OC Fire Authority 800Mhz. Trunked Radio System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Farley <"Jack Farley"@roadrunner.net>
Message-ID: <34FC68A1.3DCD@roadrunner.net>
Source record: 168637
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,

The Orange County Fire Authority (OCFA) has the callsign of wqz938,
with freq's in the 856-860Mhz. range.

Go to the PerCon frequency database page,
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm
then print the frequency list.

OCFA trunked radio codes can be found at Trunktracker.com
http://www.trunktracker.com/states/ca.html#Orange
+
+
Orange County's new 800MHz. System is a Motorola type II digitial
trunked system. Astro Sabers and STX-3000's will be the portables and
Astro Spectas will be the mobiles. The system is very 'cellular' in design
and no radio will need more that 7 watts RF output to make it.

Most systems will be digital and render scanners useless - even trunktrackers.
All city police and fire and county agencies will also be on this system.

Information about the Astro Spectras is located at:
http://www.mot.com/LMPS/RNSG/mobiles/astspc1.htm

378. Icom 756 & Icom 746 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kasper <kaspe881@uidaho.edu>
Message-ID: <34FBCC02.2C015735@uidaho.edu>
Source record: 168638

Hi,

I'm looking for the Mods for the Icom 756 and Icom 746 for a
fellow Ham.
Please email information to the address below..

Thanks in advance...

73's....

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Brad Kasper Novell E-Mail: kasp8841@novell.uidaho.edu
KC7SHU E-Mail: kaspe881@raven.csrv.uidaho.edu
Title: Mechanical Designer
WEB PAGE: http://www.uidaho.edu/~kaspe881/
****

379. can a pro64 be mod.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave kay <arrowroof@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd479d$20ea3760$f30dd8cd@arrsat>
Source record: 168240

what if any are the mods for this radio?

i see radio shack has it on sale for 150.00

380. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6dk1em$gmp@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 168241

the original post appeared as the event was unfolding last week, and scanner enthusiasts were able to listen to the dispatches in the Santa Maria area (if local), or tune to the CHP webpage watching the events through the CHP Dispatching Center web page. I personally exchanged email with three people listening to the events as they unfolded, as well as professionals who worked with these two CHP officers. I have also received a lot of messages from emergency services personnel throughout North America thanking me for the post.

In case you were wondering, the number of positive responses, however, far outnumbered the negative ones.

Karl Dahlquist
karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com
http://vistagroupusa.com/burbank.htm

381. Need San Antonio/Bexar County S.O. Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: JD HAZEN <Fr8shakr@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FD8C40.3713@swbell.net>
Source record: 168242

If any body has the SA/Bexar freq's would you please send them to me.

Scanner freq books arent specific as to what ones they use ie: public works, dog catcher. I dont want them!!! NEED POLICE, FIRE, EMS, S.O.

382. Bearcat SC-150 Question??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tury8@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6djttosqe1@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168243

Are there any mods for this radio? Thanks. tury8@webtv.net

383. Descramble those cordless phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304171701.MAA10509@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168244

Cordless phones that employ speech inversion scrambling (typically 3300
3700 Hz), as well as some police communications (typically 3500 Hz)
can be descrambled utilizing a balanced modulator/demodulator circuit.

Posted by Matthew Bias
CTP - Descramblers http://members.aol.com/CTPDS49/index.html

384. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: JD HAZEN <Fr8shakr@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FD968D.1FF8@swbell.net>
Source record: 168245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace

SOME DEALS!!!! LMAO, selling a Cobra 29 LTD NO WARRANTY for $ 105.00, get real and get a life... I am a trucker and i can get the same radio new in the box WITH WARRANTY for $99.00 at any truckstop and thier prices are higher than any other retailer in the country. You better close your doors and look for a new line of work SPAMHEAD

385. Freq Database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: JD HAZEN <Fr8shakr@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FD940C.272D@swbell.net>
Source record: 168246

Check this site out..HUGE DATABASE
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm

386. Re: SC-150 Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fuck You Spammers <fuck@you.spammer>
Message-ID: <34FD9C09.7E0D@you.spammer>
Source record: 168247

I like my SC-150 scanner; the main advantage in my opinion is that
it will run a full 12 hours on a single battery charge. That's
a pretty long time compared to most handheld units.

In this case, having less RF electronics can be an advantage.
Now that I know which frequencies I want to listen to, birdies
aren't an issue at all.
I do my frequency searching on a different model.

387. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nomad <NOMAD@NOSPAM.COM>
Message-ID: <34FDA09F.7E591649@NOSPAM.COM>
Source record: 168248
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

This is the kind of thing that happens when you cross post.....nuff said.

joe wrote:

> Cam wrote:
> >
> > Mr. Fun wrote:
> >
> > > I in no way wish to minimize their deaths, but I fail to see any
> > > reason why it would warrant a memorial. All sorts of people get
> > > killed trying to help others. While it's certainly a tragedy it's no
> > > more tragic then 100s of other deaths that go pretty much un-noticed
> > > beyond their immediate area. If it had been Joe Blow who had been
> > > driving down that road to get back to his grandmothers farm to make
> > > sure she and the neighbors were alright would you be calling for a
> > > memorial to Joe Blow, responding to help his grandmother and friend in
> > > trouble and losing his life in such a tragedy?
> > >
> > > On Sun, 1 Mar 1998 00:02:29 -0700, "Harold Lines"
> > > <hlines@indirect.comxyzabc> wrote:
> >
> > Actually mr fun, if you have ever driven down a Texas highway you will notice
> > that there are white crosses erected along the roadside. This indicates that a
> > person has died in a car accident. So in answer to your question, yes the average
> > citizen does get a memorial put out in his memory.
> >
> > The problem is in the attitude that if a cop dies, that is his job, and we should
> > not recognize that fact unless he has done something 'heroic'. The fact is that
> > these officers did do something heroic that the majority of the public would ot
> > do. They got up that day and put on their uniforms and went into work.
> >
> > I can only hope that you can realize that your position only helps to distance
> > SOME officers from the public. If you post here that a family member died in an
> > accident, you won't find any of us telling you basically 'so what'.
> First of all what does this post have to do with a radio scanner news
> group? Nothing. The original poster is one of those people who suck up
> to th cops no doubt, you know th kind, they hsave a 100 club sticker in
> their rear window. thinking it will get them out of a ticket. We pay
> cops to do a job just like lawn boys and grocery checkers. If they get
> killed in the line of duty that's part of the game they sighned up for.
> The dumb ass driving a cab gets offed by a nigger crack head for his
> cigar box very seldem makes national news and hardly ever gets a
> memorial. Same thing goes for the retard woeking at Jack in the box who

> gets blown away for $47.
> Post this drivvel if you may but post it to the proper NG.

388. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <34fda025.705885@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 168249
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 4 Mar 1998 11:18:33 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>In article <6dio4n$8el@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>, sgambino@worldnet.att.net
>says...
>>
>>tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
>>
>>>
>>>OK, OK, I looked it up. You were right. (It kills me to say that) (I
>could
>>>have sworn you asked for money to copy the "instruction set") You didn't
>ask
>>>for money. But what did you do with the stamps on the envelope I sent? Did
>>>your "receiving department" take the stamps without you knowing?
>>>Come on, You know you got it.
>>>
>>>Do I still get ripped off?
>>>
>>>Tyler
>>>
>>>
>>>The article in question: Beta Testers Wanted for a Scanner Modification
>>>From: bcheek@cts.com
>>>Jan 30th, 1997
>>>
>>
>>Your stamps? You're worried about your stamps? You call a man a
>>thief and a liar then you find out you're wrong and you want your
>>stamps back? Maybe he should give you a stamp with the right foot
>>and then a stamp with the left foot for good measure too.
>>
>>/Sal
>
>It's not the stamps Sal, It's the point that I never got the instruction set.
>
>Tyler

You need to make up your mind Tyler.....
First he's screwed you out of dollars...now then it's stamps, and now
you say it's the lack of beta test literature that is your big
problem.
As one who has done a lot of beta testing for manufacturers, I can say
they usually look for someone who has a clue as to what they're doing
before they ask them to beta test it.

It has become obvious that you are a liar, (who astonishingly fessed up), and someone only interested in causing Mr Cheek trouble.
I don't see where you are worthy of his beta test material....you'd probably screw up your scanner and then get on here blaming Bill for breaking it.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

389. Re: Which is better the BC895 or BC9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Kilgore <kilgore@dev.tivoli.com>
Message-ID: <34FD9BA0.F13A24A5@dev.tivoli.com>
Source record: 168250

Yes, the 895 covers the mil air band.

Clear signals,
Jeff

KK4TL wrote:
>
> As for wider frequency coverage .. my 9000 covers the mil air band. Don't know
> if the 895 does or not. Worth checking into as part of the decision, tho.

390. Truck Tracking Scanner info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd4moj@kd4moj.org
Message-ID: <6dk8df$5td$1@news.supernet.net>
Source record: 168251

Howdy Folks:

Our local PD and city services are going 800 soon (they are testing
the rigs out now) so I would like to hear from anyone using one fo the
truck-tracking scanners to monitor 800. The system being used is the
Motorola Analog System 2.

...DOUG
kd4moj

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Doug Ferrell,KD4MOJ Voice (904) 575-7119
doug@tallahassee.net, http://kd4moj.org Fax (904) 575-6577
Amateur Radio & Television (ATV), APRS 145.790Mhz

391. Re: SC-150 *apology*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adam Lane <alane@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <34FDA3F6.4A92@thegrid.net>
Source record: 168252

F*** You Spammers wrote:
>
> I like my SC-150 scanner; the main advantage in my opinion is that
> it will run a full 12 hours on a single battery charge. That's
> a pretty long time compared to most handheld units.
>
> In this case, having less RF electronics can be an advantage.
> Now that I know which frequencies I want to listen to, birdies
> aren't an issue at all.
> I do my frequency searching on a different model.

WHOOPS Very, very, very sorry about that. I always try
to post to newsgroups with my real name, Adam Lane, but when not
posting, I always use a more vile name for those wonderful people
who lift e-mail addresses and sell 'em to mass-marketers.

Once again...very sorry!!! Ack! Perhaps I should run two separate
sets of browser software, as I can't always switch my e-mail name
reliably.

Adam _NOT interested in the pi**ing contest_ Lane...

392. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fdaba6.55412938@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168253

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> That means NOTHING, Bill.
>
> Hell, you were kicking 3 to 5 people off that ehco for about
> a month or so during your little "I am GOD" fiasco!

No, Smacksie, I evicted people off the
FidoNet SCANRADIO forum for bad behavior.

You know.....*failure* to follow the regularly
posted rules.

Not only that, but it was MY forum. You were
a guest in it....just as you'd be a guest in
my home.

And like anywhere the word "guest" implies, there
was a Size #13EE for those who just couldn't
abide the established, published, and well known
RULES.

Simply that, and nothing more, Smacksie, you
little bucktoothed, harelipped, zitfaced,
stuttering hermaphroditic idiot.

No go pack sand and stop your sniveling and
blowing great big snot bubbles.

393. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34feacd4.55714980@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168254

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:

> Lie about it all you want. It's what everyone expects.

If anyone's a liar, Hankie-baby, it's you.
Now go pack sand and snivel your problems
to your mammy.
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394. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34ffad30.55807131@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168255

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:

> Shut up, Mackey. This wasn't an invitation for you to open
> your goddamn mouth again.

But you and ol' Smacksie are goooood buddies.
So don't talk to the bucktoothed, harelipped
imbecile that way. You should be kind to
her so she will treat you sweetly and
comfortingly.
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395. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3500ada8.55926783@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168256

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

John Mackey KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> You kicked about 3-5 people off that echo every day for
> about a month.
>
> SO WHAT????

You are so wretchedly stupid and ignorant,
Smacksie.... you and your gooooooodbuddy Hankie.

Looks like you chapped his hide for 'im.

Heh heh heh....you sorry rascal, you.

Say, (reminds me), do you know what a "rascal" is?

A rascal is a gooooood buddy with chapped lips.

Heh heh heh......

396. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3501ae7b.56138299@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168257

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

**John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> The above is ANOTHER FAKE MESSAGE!!!!!

Yeah....ri--ght.
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397. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3502aef0.56254608@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168258

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>
> >And if you just insist on another wildcard, then
> >Strike 5 is that a couple of years ago, the little
> >stinkbait was bragging and whooping it up here on
> >the newsgroup about how he had monitored his local
> >cellular system so much that he had it "mapped".
>
> Why do you insist on making this up? I don't recall EVER saying I mapped
> the local cell system and even if I did is that illegal?

I didn't make it up. You said it. And yes,
it's illegal. Check the ECPA of 1986.

398. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3503af20.56303128@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168259

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tvine@teleport.com (bud powell) wrote:

> x-no-archive: yes 29485673532040
> In article <34fce6f4.5051117@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
>
> > Maybe. But it's plumb ignorant to send cash
> > through the mail. That's the first strike.
>
> It certainly is, especially to a wrong-o such as you. You better talk to
> your kid about tightening up your 'receiving department'..............

You already said you didn't send cash.

Looks like YOU need to tighten something
else up a little.........
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399. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3504afd5.56483984@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168260

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> >I don't ever know about the incoming mail unless it's
> >expressly for me.
>
> It WAS for you.

I run a business, Tyler. *All* mail is for me.
I don't open any of it. If the contents are
business-related, then they go to a department
that takes care of the proper bookwork. Only
purely personal mail comes straight to me.

And even I make a record of all mail to me.
You are not in my records nor in the business
records.

> >Did you use a fake name? A different name? Did you
> >write legibly? Did you write at all? We occasionally
> >just get a SASE and a stamp with no idea of what it's
> >for. In those cases, we usually send out product
> >literature.

> Yea, I used the name Bill Cosby and used the White House
> as a return address. COME ON!

Well, WHAT identification DID you use?

> >A dozen different things out of our control COULD have
> >happened to your SASE and 32-cent stamp, Tyler.

> I believe it was $1.50 or so because of the extra weight! It wasn't a run of
> the mill stamp.

I have no record of it so far. Not under anything
related to a "Tyler".

> >Why the hell would I rip you off for a stamp? What
> >possible sinister action could be associated with
> >32-cents, Tyler?
> >
> >You slip me a hundred thousand in cash and we'll see

> >what I do from South America. But 32-cents?
> >
>
> You STILL don't make any sense witht that argument.

You are calling me a cheat and a liar. Why
would I cheat and lie for a damn stamp?

Why don't you give me more information so I
can check on it to a greater depth?

400. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3505b15f.56877641@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168261

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> >Well, what name did you send it under?
>
> Why must you keep asking such a stupid question?
> You have my full name and address!

I don't have ANYTHING on you.

> >But give me a clue to WHO sent the money and I'll check
> >on it. A couple of bucks ain't beans, WingNut. You send
> >me a hundred-thousand and I just might rip you off. But
> >not a couple a bucks, liverlips.

> ?????? You don't make any sense.

Me? I'm trying to tell you I have NOTHING on
record from a "Tyler" that could possibly relate
to this matter.

You need to give me more information, else accept
the possibility your letter was lost in the mail.

Based on what I know so far, I have nothing from you.

401. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Wilcox <YAR509@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dkdk1$rej@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168262
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

sure is a lot of threatened egos on here!

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

402. Re: Wanted: Logic/cpu board for a 2006 !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Piero A. Sassu" <n3fvg@worldlynx.net>
Message-ID: <34FDBB3A.4D6621B2@worldlynx.net>
Source record: 168263
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Check out http://www.javation.co.uk
Jonathon is a very reputible person to deal with....and VERY helpful for
those "special" problems....

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Have a nice day!
Piero Sassu (N3FVG)
n3fvg@worldlynx.net

Life Member National Rifle Association
Life Member Philadelphia Area Repeater Association
Active Member Fraternal Order Of Police

Amateur Radio Callsign - N3FVG
Extra Class Accredited Volunteer Examiner - W5YI and A.R.R.L.

Favorite Amateur Frequencies
1.850 Mhz.
3.782 Mhz.
7.215 Mhz.
144.385 Mhz.
224.200 Mhz. (N3CVJ Repeater located at my QTH)
P.A.R.A. Repeaters

403. Re: New User New Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <abuse@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <34FDBE9A.5327@ma.ultranet.com>
Source record: 168264

Rich Wells wrote:
>
> mike wrote:
> > I'm looking for a scanner that covers most of everything there is or can
> > be easily modified to do so. I'm new to the "hobby" but I've used
> > several scanners over the years for fire police and weather monitoring.
> > I remember we had a scanner that could pick up everthing even FM radio.
> > We used it to monitor military aircraft on our airfield. I'm open to
> > hand helds and mobile/base units no base onlys need apply. Price range
> > is under $200 or close to. I know I can't afford the Farrari but I don't
> > need a Yugo either. Also availability and advice /experience will be a
> > help I'm not calling every RS with in 200 miles just for a close out
> > special. If it breaks I want an off the shelf replacement like
> > yesterday.
> > I know I'm dreaming and just another guy who wants the world for a dime
> > but you have to try.
>
> You are probably aware that very few radios cover the mil air band
> let alone the FM broadcast band. These are usually reserved for the
> top-of-the-line units which obviously command a top-of-the-line
> price.
>
> In today's market, the only radio which seems to fit your criteria
> is the PRO-26 which is being discontinued for $200. But if you're
> not willing to call a store or two, or simply go into one and have
> them look up where the closest store is with remaining units and
> ship it to them, then I don't think you want this radio too badly.
> Especially considering your price and desires. These type of radios
> are usually only gotten for $350+.
>
> You might also want to check with Grove Enterprises too as they were
> getting rid of remaining stock for $190 I believe.
>
> Good luck!
>
> Strong signals,
> Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
> New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
> Scanning USA columnist
I'm really interested in the usual bands I guess exotic to me is
unblocked cell I don't need mil air anymore or FM radio I have perfectly
good stereo. I was just interested in something around 50 to 100
channels with 800 mhz that could be modified. Ok so what about the pro
26 if it breaks and they can't fix it am I screwed or will they give me

something of equal value. I'm just looking for some suggestions. The most reliable easy to use dependable available scanner for under a couple of bills

404. Re: Those Were the Days- Was:Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3506bcb4.59779695@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168265

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

jnooney@albany.net wrote:

> > Before 1991, scanning was one friendly,
> > sociable group, dating back to the mid 70's.

> You done went and got me feeling nostalgic Bill. I can remember sending
> away for the old RCMA newsletter back in 1986,

Yup, me too. I was CO-038 of the RCMA. Nice
group before they went snooty and uppity. We
had a small fun group in the high country of
Colorado....and even tipped a few Molsons and
other fruits of the grains, vines, and trees.

> then getting involved
> with Northeast Scanning News and Les Mattson's crew shortly thereafter.
> I used to drive 5 hours to NJ every summer for the NESN Picnic. I even
> hosted the NESN Spring Meeting in NY for a few years (and the associated
> Friday Night Molson Drinking and Cellular Telephone Monitioring
> Session). Those were great days. I made a lot of friends through this
> hobby.

Yeah, and there were a lot of professional people
in those days....doctors, architects, engineers,
lawyers, CPA's, as well as the trades and such.
It was a common arena in which all were kind of
equals. But something happened..... many of the
decent people bailed out or went under wraps.

Someone birthed and reared a few placentas and
called them "John", "Tyler", "Petey", "Hankie",
and such..... No offense to these guys
as they probably can't help it, but someone
should have horsewhipped their parents, and
maybe even took 'em out and drowned 'em.

> Somehow I think computers helped to ruin this hobby. No one seems to
> want to take the time for a good old fashioned eyeball meeting anymore.

I think there is a little bit of that still going
on, but it is a lot less, that's for sure. I don't
know if that makes the difference, but the thing I

see is a whole new breed of people who have no regard
or respect for anything or anyone.

Seems their entire mission in life is to destroy,
degrade, denigrate, and dump all over everything.
Take the above mentioned four "offenders", for
instance.....okay, let's say they're on the money
and that I am "evil personified" and that they are
out to do the hobby a favor by doing me in.

Cool. That's fair if they truly believe in their mission.

But......who and what they are AGAINST is one thing.
The pregnant question is... who and what they are FOR?
You can't tell. 100% of their posts are vile,
nasty, and derogatory. They don't support anything,
especially scanners and scanning. Not a one of the
four has ever posted anything pertinent, useful, or
even supportive of scanners and scanning, with possible
exception of Tyler who used to shoot off his mouth
about how he tracked and mapped out his local cellular
system.

Okay....that's on topic....well meant, if not kind of
ignorant. But Boe, Mackey, and Hampton, not to mention
that IWSTIRN dude.....absolute zeroes in terms of being
FOR something. Clearly they're for themselves and
any honor they hope to achieve by doing me in. Psssst,
I hate to clue those snakes, but you don't just take
over someone else's wave. You catch your own and ride
it all the way in.

And they wonder why I call 'em low-lifes and sleaze.

Hah! They earned their mo nickers......

But anyway.... you've been around....and if you stick
very long, they'll come after you, too....or their
proteges... I'm pretty well convinced that a bad seed
got planted in the radio hobby some time ago and that
it has sprouted into a stout, pervasive fungus now.

I hope I'm wrong.

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| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |

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405. Re: Truck Tracking Scanner info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FDD395.256A@usa.net>
Source record: 168266

I think you intend to refer to "trunk tracker" rather than
"truck tracking".

Doug Ferrell, KD4MOJ wrote:
> Our local PD and city services are going 800 soon (they are testing
> the rigs out now) so I would like to hear from anyone using one fo the
> truck-tracking scanners to monitor 800.

406. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FDD3E5.46DB@usa.net>
Source record: 168267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hey, thanks for your support Bill!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Yeah....ri--ght.

407. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FDD45C.366D@usa.net>
Source record: 168268
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Yea right Billy! (NOT)

If I am so stupid, then how come YOU are once again the one in trouble here?

Bill Cheek wrote:
> You are so wretchedly stupid and ignorant,

408. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FDD4B1.1131@usa.net>
Source record: 168269
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mr. Hampton,

You need to learn manners & common sense.

Hank Hampton wrote:
> Shut up, Mackey. This wasn't an invitation for you to open
> your goddamn mouth again.

409. PRO-26 Memory question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6dkld2$53h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 168270

Yesterday I was looking through my Pro-26 Service Manual and noticed that there are 5 IC's on the Logic Board, numbered 501 through 505. I know the IC-505 is the main CPU since it has 100 pins and comes in different versions for the US and the UK. What do the other IC's do and which one holds the scanner's memory? Is there a mod to increase the scanner's memory capacity? Thank You for any information.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

410. Re: Future of police scanning as more cops use computers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <bhilden@isd.net>
Message-ID: <34FD35A4.957@isd.net>
Source record: 168271

Charles McCallister wrote:
>
> Ken,
>
> Did he have his credit card swipe unit and cash register with him,
> too? <G>
>
> Soon enough I suspect most states will do away with citations all
> together and just allow the officer in the field to collect for the
> violation(s) charged on the spot. No trial, jury or administrative
> hearing. Isn't it going to be wonderful when this scenario plays out?
>
> Charles
>
> To reply, remove the "x" in my address

Ever driven in Wisconsin? Don't get a speeding ticket there if you don't
live in the state. Non-Residents have to pay their tickets on the spot
to the troopers.
--
Brian

If somoeone with multiple personalities threatens to kill himself,
is it considered a hostage situation?

411. Re: Future of police scanning as more cops use computers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <bhilden@isd.net>
Message-ID: <34FD36F0.F4F@isd.net>
Source record: 168272

Ken Johnson wrote:
>
<Snipped>

In all the years I've been listening to scanners and police communications, which dates back before MDT's and Laptops in the cars, I constantly hear them calling in saying they need to be logged off and back on again because the system is down or not working properly. This also goes for warrant and license checks. Alot of times they try their terminals and also call it in to make sure it is right.
--
Brian

If somoeone with multiple personalities threatens to kill himself, is it considered a hostage situation?

412. Looking for San Antonio/Bexar 800mhz Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: JD HAZEN <Fr8shakr@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FDCEA4.57C5@swbell.net>
Source record: 168273

Looking for a clean list of S.A./Bexar POLICE, FIRE, EMS ONLY.
Published listings really dont discern what is what and I really dont
care what the damned dog catcher is doing.

413. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FDD8F9.21FE@usa.net>
Source record: 168274

Yes Bill, we ALL know. Hell, you talk about it every chance you
get on this NG.

What you fail to mention is that YOU broke to VERY SAME RULES
you created by making trouble & instigating bad behavior. YOU
did the exact conduct that you were kicking people out for. Except,
YOU WERE WORSE, as once the person was GONE, we saw no more of them
but you kept on posting to that echo with your poor behavior.

YOU WERE PATHETIC!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> I evicted people off the
> FidoNet SCANRADIO forum for bad behavior.
>
> You know.....*failure* to follow the regularly
> posted rules.

414. TT for Hoffman Estates/Streamwood Ill

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Colombo <colombo@eat.spam.fnal.gov>
Message-ID: <34FDCFA3.41C6@eat.spam.fnal.gov>
Source record: 168275

TT freqs: 855.4625, 855.7125, 857.2125, 859.2625

Talk Groups (and what I think they represent):

1648 Combined PD dispatch (HEPD units: 6000's, SPD: 9000's)
1680 PD Channel 2 (heard only HEPD)
48 FD dispatch
80 FD
112 FD
1712 (heard activity, but not enough to ID it)
1744 (heard activity, but not enough to ID it)
1776 Covert-ch5 (heard SPD surveilance)
3248 PW
3280 PW
3632 PW

Additional talk groups that I picked up one day, seemed like a test
because
they walked through every talk group one at a time (including the
above).
144, 176, 208, 240, 1808, 1840, 1872, 1936, 4816, 4976, 64176, 64720

Misc points:
I presume there are Admin and ISPERN channels, but I can't ID them.

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--> To reply, remove "eat.spam." or use this address: Colombo@fnal.gov

415. Re: uniden sportcat 150 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Smileys@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dkg62$1p5$1@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168276

how about both

416. HR 2369 (Tauzin) Bill

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Bloom <jbloom@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <34FDD002.F290D34B@arrl.org>
Source record: 168277
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

[Posted for Steve Mansfield. Please don't email me about this! -- Jon]

Some radio enthusiasts are reacting to an incorrect message posted on some internet news groups regarding HR 2369, the Wireless Privacy Enhancement Act of 1998.

This bill WAS amended as promised by the House Telecommunications Subcommittee, and also approved by the full Commerce Committee. The version that was approved and that will go to the floor of the House is the version worked on by ARRL, scanner groups, the volunteer fire association and others. Mr. Tauzin and the committee staff were very helpful and accomodating to our concerns. Indeed, they allowed us to review and comment on the bill language before both subcommittee and full committee markups, as well as to let us review the accompanying report language.

The version of the bill appearing on the THOMAS web site is the OLD version of the bill, before it was marked up. The new, amended bill will not appear on THOMAS until the full committee report is published in the next few weeks.

This amended bill and the accompanying report go to great lengths to protect legitimate recreational radio users including amateurs, scanner enthusiasts and SWLers. The new language does NOT include the old CMRS proscription.

Please, please call ARRL, the House Commerce Committee or some other reliable source of information before reacting to postings about this issue on internet newsgroups.

Steve Mansfield, N1MZA
Manager, Legislative & Public Affairs

American Radio Relay League
phone: 860 594 0240
e mail: smansfield@arrl.org

417. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304223801.RAA00246@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168278

>Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
>From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
>Date: Wed, Mar 4, 1998 17:23 EST
>Message-id: <34FDD45C.366D@usa.net>
>
>Yea right Billy! (NOT)
>
>If I am so stupid, then how come YOU are once again the one in trouble
>here?
>
>

Er, excuse me, but did you not post something to the effect yesterday that we should all stick to topic and you would do the same? Oh, that must have been another forgery since you are obviously continuing your vendetta. Do you have an end to your agenda or will you continue it forever?

418. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: beyondnow@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304223800.RAA25178@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168279
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>*John Mackey** KA0SSF wrote:

>

>>I just wanted to let everyone know that I am gay. I've been a really bad

>>mood these last few months, as I broke up with my long time lover. Don't

>>worry, I'll be much less abusive now since I've found a brand new boytoy

>>to pump my asshole into a bloody mess nightly again! I'm really sorry

>>about any problems I've caused in the newsgroup! Gotta run, as I have

>>10'' of manhood calling me right now!!!

No one asked for all that detail.Now talk about something that belongs to this newsgroup, sex is not the topic.Be it hetro-,homo, or bi-.

419. Re: Truck Tracking Scanner info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304224301.RAA01108@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168280

>Subject: Re: Truck Tracking Scanner info
>From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
>Date: Wed, Mar 4, 1998 17:20 EST
>Message-id: <34FDD395.256A@usa.net>
>
>I think you intend to refer to "trunk tracker" rather than
>"truck tracking".
>

Well, here it is for the world to see. The Great Mackey's contribution to this newsgroup is to say, "trunk tracking." Gosh, this is so profound, that I think I will slaughter a lamb and celebrate. The relevation is astounding and certainly worth of special observance.

420. Re: IRIDIUM Satellite Personal Communications System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6dkod1$k3g$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 168281
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.cable.tv,alt.radio.scanner,alt.cable-tv

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>
>YOU GUYS ARE NOT THINKING! All of these satellite based systems are
>going to cost far more than any terrestrial system! WAKE UP!
> MARK LEVIN

Right! Then satellite TV (DSS) won't be able to compete with terrestrial
systems either? HA HA

Ed

REPLY INFO:
============================================================
Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
============================================================
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421. Re: Truck Tracking Scanner info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@iswt.no-spam.com
Message-ID: <34fde89f.3654218@news.iswt.com>
Source record: 168282

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 14:20:05 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>I think you intend to refer to "trunk tracker" rather than
>"truck tracking".
>
>
>
>Doug Ferrell, KD4MOJ wrote:
>> Our local PD and city services are going 800 soon (they are testing
>> the rigs out now) so I would like to hear from anyone using one fo the
>> truck-tracking scanners to monitor 800.
What is a truck tracker?

422. Re: Is the still the last word on Pro 2021 mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Phipps <sphipps@NOSPAM.clandjop.com>
Message-ID: <34fde9c3.0@206.102.184.13>
Source record: 168283

I don't know which mod you tried for the 2021, but if it was for the 800MHz band you probably won't ever get it to work since the 2021 has no receive circuits for that band range. The CPU might enter and scan freqs for that band, but no simple mod fix will make it work right...

SP

Buzz wrote in message <34FCE6A1.1918@my.house>...
>I found this on the net after I modified my pro 2021 and it didnt
>work. I was wondering if a fix for the mod is out yet?

423. Over 250 Mailing Lists

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <shortckt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <34FDF89D.A5A93A1F@primenet.com>
Source record: 168284

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Over 250 Mailing Lists

There are over 250 email mailing lists (reflectors)
available at QTH.Net and you can subscribe online
via the new interactive interface: http://www.qth.net

Other free internet services, see: http://www.qsl.net

While there, check out my personal web page, too:
http://www.qsl.net/k7on

Lastly, if you would like to start your own mailing
list (for your specialized interest or radio club etc)
just let me know: mailto:k7on@qsl.net

73, Brian

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Brian Short k7on@qsl.net http://www.qsl.net/k7on
1994 E Laguna Dr Tempe, Az 85282 (602)839-3484
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424. EARPIECE RECEIVERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: TACTICAL-COMMAND <tac-com@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6dktha$b01@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168285

Hello:

We offer quality Earpiece Receivers that are used my the military, police, security personnel and members of the media. You may view the available option at http://www2.netcom.com/~bumper09/earpiece.html

Kindly,
TACTICAL-COMMAND
Email: TacticalCommand@pemail.net

425. STILL SEEKING A DAVIES INDUSTRIAL COMMS. and/or RACAL DISTRIBUTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: TACTICAL-COMMAND <tac-com@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6dktlh$b4c@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168286

We are looking for representative of the manufactures for possible re-sale world-wide. Anyone with information should email me @ TacticalCommand@pemail.net

Kindly,
TACTICAL COMMAND
WEB @ http://www.cop-spot.com/~TacticalCommand

426. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: TACTICAL-COMMAND <tac-com@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6dkuk6$bnj@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168287
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Hello:

I agreed. Officers that die in the line of duty should be memorialized. As with military personnel.... We should memorialize officers not necessarily because of what they were doing when they died, but because of their contributions and actions when the rest of society was sitting in front of the television watching "Married with Children" (no slam on this program intended).

Being an officer, I hear this often.... "You guys get paid to sit on your $%%". The dollars are modest anyway, but officers are paid for what they might have to do as opposed to what they do....

Kindly,
Don

Cam wrote in message <34FB6AD1.DC7BD620@earthlink.net>...
>
>
>Mr. Fun wrote:
>
>> I in no way wish to minimize their deaths, but I fail to see any
>> reason why it would warrant a memorial. All sorts of people get
>> killed trying to help others. While it's certainly a tragedy it's no
>> more tragic then 100s of other deaths that go pretty much un-noticed
>> beyond their immediate area. If it had been Joe Blow who had been
>> driving down that road to get back to his grandmothers farm to make
>> sure she and the neighbors were alright would you be calling for a
>> memorial to Joe Blow, responding to help his grandmother and friend in
>> trouble and losing his life in such a tragedy?
>>
>> On Sun, 1 Mar 1998 00:02:29 -0700, "Harold Lines"
>> <hlines@indirect.comxyzabc> wrote:
>
>Actually mr fun, if you have ever driven down a Texas highway you will
notice
>that there are white crosses erected along the roadside. This indicates
that a
>person has died in a car accident. So in answer to your question, yes the
average
>citizen does get a memorial put out in his memory.
>
>The problem is in the attitude that if a cop dies, that is his job, and we
should

>not recognize that fact unless he has done something 'heroic'. The fact is
that
>these officers did do something heroic that the majority of the public
would ot
>do. They got up that day and put on their uniforms and went into work.
>
>I can only hope that you can realize that your position only helps to
distance
>SOME officers from the public. If you post here that a family member died
in an
>accident, you won't find any of us telling you basically 'so what'.
>
>
>

427. SEEKING A QUALITY THROAT MICROPHONE MANUFACTURER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: TACTICAL-COMMAND <tac-com@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6dkumt$bpa@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168288
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

We are in the final stages of our development of a Throat Microphone System (for tactical applications). Thus far, we have been unable to find a quality Throat Microphone that will suit our specifications.

Anyone with experience in this area of communications should contact us @ TacticalCommand@pemail.net .

You may view a mechanical drawing of our kit at http://www2.netcom.com/~bumper09/tactical.html

Kindly,
TACTICAL COMMAND

428. SEEKING A QUALITY THROAT MICROPHONE MANUFACTURER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: TACTICAL-COMMAND <tac-com@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6dku23$bdi@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168289

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Kindly,
TACTICAL COMMAND

429. Re: Truck Tracking Scanner info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd47d5$384209a0$4ddd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168290

MAlexder,
We had better check to see if hell`s frozen over yet, Mackey came close
to a scanning topic.
Good job John, keep trying.
Charlie

MAlexder <malexder@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980304224301.RAA01108@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> >Subject: Re: Truck Tracking Scanner info
> >From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
> >Date: Wed, Mar 4, 1998 17:20 EST
> >Message-id: <34FDD395.256A@usa.net>
> >
> >I think you intend to refer to "trunk tracker" rather than
> >"truck tracking".
> >
>
> Well, here it is for the world to see. The Great Mackey's contribution to
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> newsgroup is to say, "trunk tracking." Gosh, this is so profound, that I
think
> I will slaughter a lamb and celebrate. The relevation is astounding and
> certainly worth of special observance.
>
>

430. Mackey Does it Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd47d7$70ea83c0$4ddd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168291

MAlexder,
It was just a matter of time before Mackey took keyboard in hand and proved to the world that he is a bitter old man and senile as hell. He can`t even remember what he posted an hour ago, much less yesterday. It does seem funny that all he can remember is piddly little crap and half-truths from a few years back tho. I wonder if it`s to late for a doctor. Maybe Jack Korvorkian?
:-)
Charlie

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> >From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
> >Date: Wed, Mar 4, 1998 17:23 EST
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> should all stick to topic and you would do the same? Oh, that must have been
> another forgery since you are obviously continuing your vendetta. Do you have
> an end to your agenda or will you continue it forever?

431. New to scanners...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Niels Henrik Harboe <Vielus@deepthought.armory.com>
Message-ID: <34FE0487.A8E8387F@deepthought.armory.com>
Source record: 168292

I have just purchased an new Uniden BC 550A. I have never worked
with a scanner before, and I am having trouble understanding the codes
that the police and firemen use. I have had my son look on the
internet, but he was not able to find anything. I was hoping that
someone out there could help me with this little problem. I live in
Santa Barbara, Ca. I don't know if the codes are different in the other
parts of the country.
Thank you for any help that you might be able to give me,
Kate

Please send e-mail back to katehar@hotmail.com

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Things change, that is the nature of the beast...
E-Mail vielus@deepthought.armory.com
Page me on ICQ at http://wwp.mirabilis.com/630455
E-mail express at 630455@pager.mirabilis.com

432. Re: Looking for San Antonio/Bexar 800mhz Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd47d9$86e87ae0$4ddd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168293

JD,
Check your mail box. Good Luck & Happy Scanning,
Charlie

JD HAZEN <Fr8shakr@swbell.net> wrote in article
<34FDCEA4.57C5@swbell.net>...
> Looking for a clean list of S.A./Bexar POLICE, FIRE, EMS ONLY.
> Published listings really dont discern what is what and I really dont
> care what the damned dog catcher is doing.
>

433. FS PRO 2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommis <tommis@matrix.uti.com>
Message-ID: <34FE0650.A471A23F@matrix.uti.com>
Source record: 168294

The radio is in very good shape. Used very little. Receives signals great! 200 channel with owners manual.$175 Email me if you need to know more about this unit. Thanks Tommis

434. Re: New to scanners...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul and jacki <jackid@gwis.com>
Message-ID: <34FE076F.5040@gwis.com>
Source record: 168295

Niels Henrik Harboe wrote:
>
> I have just purchased an new Uniden BC 550A. I have never worked
> with a scanner before, and I am having trouble understanding the codes
> that the police and firemen use. I have had my son look on the
> internet, but he was not able to find anything. I was hoping that
> someone out there could help me with this little problem. I live in
> Santa Barbara, Ca. I don't know if the codes are different in the other
> parts of the country.
> Thank you for any help that you might be able to give me,
> Kate
>
> Please send e-mail back to katehar@hotmail.com
>
> --
> ~~~~~~
>
> ~~~~~~
>
> Things change, that is the nature of the beast...
> E-Mail vielus@deepthought.armory.com
> Page me on ICQ at http://wwp.mirabilis.com/630455
> E-mail express at 630455@pager.mirabilis.com

Try this page. It should help. Good Luck!!

435. Re: FS PRO 2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommis <tommis@matrix.uti.com>
Message-ID: <34FE0BFA.FED9C26@matrix.uti.com>
Source record: 168296

Make Me A Offer!

Tommis wrote:

> The radio is in very good shape. Used very little. Receives signals
> great! 200 channel with owners manual.$175 Email me if you need to know
> more about this unit. Thanks Tommis

436. Re: Truck Tracking Scanner info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <34fde278.94082753@news2.penn.com>
Source record: 168297

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 19:00:07 GMT, kd4moj@kd4moj.org (Doug Ferrell, KD4MOJ) wrote:

>Howdy Folks:
>
> Our local PD and city services are going 800 soon (they are testing
>the rigs out now) so I would like to hear from anyone using one fo the
>truck-tracking scanners to monitor 800. The system being used is the
>Motorola Analog System 2.
>

I use a conventional scanner to monitor a trunked system with 40 talk groups and 6 to 8 output frequencies.
It's not much of a problem for me to monitor the police with my Pro 51.
I advise you to try to monitor the new 800 system with the scanner you already have first , unless
you live in a large city.

437. WTB: Bearcat BCT-7 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Walker <lwalker@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dl3p6$7n@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168298
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Wanted to buy: Bearcat BCT-7 scanner. Please reply by email. -Thank you

438. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE13F2.1242@usa.net>
Source record: 168299
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler wrote:
>
> >And if you just insist on another wildcard, then
> >Strike 5 is that a couple of years ago, the little
> >stinkbait was bragging and whooping it up here on
> >the newsgroup about how he had monitored his local
> >cellular system so much that he had it "mapped".
>
> Why do you insist on making this up? I don't recall EVER saying I mapped
> the local cell system and even if I did is that illegal?
>
> Tyler

I remember Tyler, you are such an asshole. How can you come on here and
make up lies
about Bill?

439. Re: PRO-64 Trunk tracking scanner???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE1573.3643@usa.net>
Source record: 168300

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~ wrote:
>
> merrypaws wrote in message ...
> >Pro-64 owners , can u tell me if the pro-64 is a trunk tracking scanner???.
> >I have call 2 Radio shack stores and I got two different answers. Pro64
> >are on sale this month $149.00 good deal???
> >
> >
>
> Yes *and* yes. I've got a horrible eye infection.
>

You must be as stupid as the moron asking the question.
You should not get the cum from your partner in your eye, it
will cut down on the red eye
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440. Re: PRO-64 Trunk tracking scanner???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE150D.1A44@usa.net>
Source record: 168301

merrypaws wrote:
>
> Pro-64 owners , can u tell me if the pro-64 is a trunk tracking scanner???.
> I have call 2 Radio shack stores and I got two different answers. Pro64
> are on sale this month $149.00 good deal???

Can't you read the fucking radioshack catalog? It clearly spells it out,
even for someone as stupid as you.
The pro-90 is the trunktracker, and 149 is a killer price for the pro-64

441. Re: Receiving satellites???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE174E.7D15@usa.net>
Source record: 168302

Jonny Shinfield wrote:
>
> Hello,
> Does anyone know if it`s possible to receive ameteur
> satellites,Inmarsat,Meteorsat etc using the AOR-8000 receiver ?
> Any information would be apreciated --types of
> antennas/parabolics,frequencies etc.
>
> Thanks. Jonny.

Hell yeah! I get every satellite out there on my aor-8000!

442. Re: Problems with my RS-2036

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE16F4.4BE4@usa.net>
Source record: 168303

Christian Ricci wrote:
>
> Hey all,
>
> I'm having some problems with my 2036, maybe one of you will recognize
> the problem and can help me decide what to do with this beast.
>
> A little while ago, I lost a good two-thirds of the functionality of my
> scanner:
>
> I can tune (key or dial) to specific active frequencies but won't hear
> anything. I can scan between two frequencies but it won't pick anything
> up. Also, my WX scan doesn't work.
>
> However, if I program a frequency (any of the frequencies that should've
> worked, above) into a bank and scan my banks, the scanner works just
> fine (as fine as a 2036 will....). I think that I may have also lost
> some of the range as well. Frequencies that once came through loud and
> clear only break squelch now.
>
> I had tapped the discriminator for some digital stuff but none of these
> behaviors seem (to this idiot) to be related to a fried discriminator.
> There is no evidence of a short circuit (of the smoky kind) on the
> board....
>
> Does anybody have any ideas of how to further isolate the problem (and
> maybe get it fixed)? I'm open to suggestions.

Sounds like you better take that piece of shit over to radioshack and
have the morons
over there fix it for your sorry ass. Its quite obvious you know nothing
about radio
repair and will most definatly fuck it up worse trying to fix it.

>
> ~chris
>
> PS - I'm also looking for antenna ideas (indoor, apartment building,
> near computer equipment..... hmmmm... sound's like a lost cause...).

Alot of guys in the group have reported execelent results attaching the
antenna to
the shower encloser in the bathroom. Reports of +18db gain when
listening to both
cordless phones and satellites!

443. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE1826.79DD@usa.net>
Source record: 168304

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu> wrote:
>
> > Would anybody like to place a wager? I bet the original Mackey post was a
> > forgery! We all know what he's made of...
>
> I wouldn't even bet that YOUR post isn't a forgery!
>
> You just can't tell anymore these days.

You are a piece of work, half of the people in this group are your
alteregos fighting a flame war in your head.

444. FS:PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE1793.4677@usa.net>
Source record: 168305

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title says it all first $200 takes it!
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445. Re: handheld trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlambo55@tir.com
Message-ID: <6dl7da$3v9$1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 168306

What's the matter with you people?? Why buy a Pro 90 from Rat-Shack
for $299 when it's made by Uniden and is EXACTLY the same as a BC235XLT
which sells for just over $200????? Plus you get an extra battery with the
Uniden.

Dean
****
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** Anti Spam (junk mail) Measures In Effect **
****

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http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/4484/index.html
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Adam Lane wrote in message <34FCEDE4.14BF@thegridANTISPAM.net>...
>HazMat910 wrote:
>> If you want info on the
>> Pro 90, go to RS their prices are the same everywhere. Last I saw RS
wanted
>> $275.
>
>I walked into Rat Shack yesterday...I asked about the trunktracker, said
>that
>$299 was just too darn much to spend to listen to the Fremont Fire
>Department,
>but I might consider it when it's on special.
>
>I believe the salesman said, after consulting their computer, that it
>would
>go on special in October. Perhaps by then, the current state of trunked
>systems will settle down a bit. The salesman said that Fremont Police

>went
>on a trunked system for a little while, then went right back to a
>standard
>system.

446. Re: trunktracking and changes to the data stream (?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlambo55@tir.com
Message-ID: <6dl6uo$3n7$1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 168307

gknox@mindspring.com wrote in message
<34fba573.3214691@news.mindspring.com>...
>On 3 Mar 1998 02:37:22 GMT, smith145@hotmail.com (d) wrote:
>

>
>If the revision includes a change to the software of the mobile and
>handheld units then anything is possible, and obviously the
>Trunktrackers could be easily thwarted. But this is highly unlikely.
>Few organizations would be willing to sit still for that aggravation.
>
>If they are going to just tack some superfluous bits on to the data
>stream then the Trunktrackers will just ignore them and won't be
>fooled. Basically, any change made to the data stream that doesn't
>confuse a current Motorola trunked radio won't confound the
>Trunktrackers.
>
>What you may be referring to is a problem some TT users have reported
>regarding chopping out of certain talkgroups. The problem seems to be
>caused by noise in the subaudible range of the audio spectrum on the
>voice channels. The radio thinks it's seeing the disconnect sequence
>and jumps back to the control channel, finds the conversation still in
>progress and returns to the voice channel where the process is
>repeated. There are probably a number of things that could cause this
>noise or distortion. The problem with it is that some of the actual
>subscriber units seem to have been confused too so it's not likely a
>viable technique. Besides, Uniden has a fix for it that will be
>incorporated in future versions which causes the Trunktrackers to be
>oblivious to the distortion.
>
>Greg Knox
>

If your TT is experiencing the problem outlined above try this keypad trick,
it works !!:

Hold the SVC, #2 & #9 keys down simultaneously while turning the unit on.
This puts the radio in a diagnostic mode. While the characters in the
window are blinking, hit the #5 key, then enter the key that has your
trunked system programed. Now scan your trunked system normally. If this
doesn't totally eliminate the dropping out then start over but instead of
the #5 key try #6 and so on, progress upward until you acheive the desired
operation.

One word of caution though. Doing this will erase all frequencies programed
into banks 6, 7 and 8. But it may be worth it if your system is rigged to
screw with TrunkTrackers.

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447. Re: Truck Tracking Scanner info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlambo55@tir.com
Message-ID: <6dl7gh$426$1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 168308

If you're interested in listening to these people the TT is worth
every cent. Buy the Uniden version, not the Rat-Shack...save yourself a few
$$, the Rat Shack model is made by Uniden.

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Doug Ferrell, KD4MOJ wrote in message <6dk8df$5td$1@news.supernet.net>...
>Howdy Folks:
>
> Our local PD and city services are going 800 soon (they are testing
>the rigs out now) so I would like to hear from anyone using one fo the
>truck-tracking scanners to monitor 800. The system being used is the
>Motorola Analog System 2.
>
>
>...DOUG
>kd4moj
>
> +---+
> Doug Ferrell,KD4MOJ Voice (904) 575-7119
> doug@tallahassee.net, http://kd4moj.org Fax (904) 575-6577
> Amateur Radio & Television (ATV), APRS 145.790Mhz

>
>

448. SC-150B Discriminator question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd Poole <poole.56@osu.edu>
Message-ID: <34FE22D9.45D1@osu.edu>
Source record: 168309

Hello..

I have a SC-150B. Sorry to those who dislike this unit, I have enjoyed it completely! I have one problem though. I am trying to tap into the discriminator output but don't even know where to start! Has anyone done this or knows where documentation is available? Info is much appreciated!

-Todd

449. Re: NEXT !!!!! HELP HELP HELP!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Simmont <simmont@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <34FE378C.7618@extremezone.com>
Source record: 168310

THu8496 wrote:
>
> OK so I did the Sportcat thing to get into it and I bought a pro2030
> but my pasion is Air shows !! is there a scanner (handheld) to get the
> 200 to 300 mhz range Someone said there was one that would go from 25
> too 1000 mhz .Anyone know what they were talkin about ? Help help help
> Also can a base like the pro2030 get 200 mhz (Im stupid when it comes
> to this) Thanks

Bearcat 3000xlt will cover the range okay

--
CHARLES SIMMONT ICP509/DISPATCHER
INCIDENT COMMAND PAGE OF ARIZONA
ARIZONA'S PUBLIC SAFETY INCIDENT NOTIFICATION SYSTEM
http://www.axtek/~n7qyk/icp.html

OTHER NOTIFICATION SYSTEMS
http://www.axtek/~n7qyk/icp/other.html

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450. Re: NEXT !!!!! HELP HELP HELP!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Simmont <simmont@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <34FE37CC.3DD0@extremezone.com>
Source record: 168311

THu8496 wrote:
>
> OK so I did the Sportcat thing to get into it and I bought a pro2030
> but my pasion is Air shows !! is there a scanner (handheld) to get the
> 200 to 300 mhz range Someone said there was one that would go from 25
> too 1000 mhz .Anyone know what they were talkin about ? Help help help
> Also can a base like the pro2030 get 200 mhz (Im stupid when it comes
> to this) Thanks

Bearcat 3000 will cover that range okay

--
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451. Scanner Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmoore@texasinternet.com
Message-ID: <6dl7n9$o09$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 168312

This is a BC model 855 XLT Uniden/Bearcat scanner.
Has been modified to receive all the Cell phone freq.
800mhz. complete coverage.The new scanners out there
will not get these Cell phone conversations. See why
"They" do not want us to listen in.
Like new still in box,manual,ant. and ac. adapter.
30-956mhz. coverage.
$300.00 John Moore,jmoore@texasinternet.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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452. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <34FE2D5F.592F3C0E@primenet.com>
Source record: 168313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

John "Gawd, I love Richard Simmonds" Mackey KA0SSF whined:
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > After considerable research of my own I have
> > to conclude that Bill Ewald, KD4EUW, of the
> > EPA in Research Triangle Park, NC, is the
> > infamous "iwstirn@bigfoot.com".
>
> So what???
>
> YOU, BILL CHEEK, have been caught using alias ID's on this
> NG MANY times! (usually, to start trouble!)
>

Let's see, according to WhoWhere? <http://www.whowhere.com>, you've used
no less than sixteen obviously fictitious Internet addresses. These are
just the ones where you were stupid enough to use your callsign. You
might
plausibly claim one or two were used by someone impersonating you, but
you can't claim all of them Toilet Boy.

In light of the abuse you've managed with fraudulent address, your
ragging
on Bill Cheek about the WinRadio issue in the manner you have been,
makes
YOU the hypocrite here, as usual.

anyplace@nowhere.mil no-place@anywhere.com
No-place@anywhere.org
nowhere@anyplace.net jomackey@hotmail.com mackey@idiots.org
nothing@anywhere.edu nowhere@anyplace.net
no_adress@anywhere.com
no.address@anywhere.gov No-address@No-where.vom
no_place@any-where.com
no--place@any__where.com no-place@anywhere.net
No--place@any-where.org
no-where@no-place.com

> > The sick thing is that a Deja News search
> > on "iwstirn@bigfoot.com" discloses over 1400
> > posts by this guy over a short period of time.
>
> The SAME search for YOU shows over 50,000!

That's an apples and oranges comparison. The time periods are not equal.
But, you're too stupid to understand such simple concepts, Toilet Boy.

453. Re: IWSTIRN'S REAL IDENITY is John Mackey In Drag

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <34FE2E30.946F3AB0@primenet.com>
Source record: 168314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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*-John "Im such a liar" Mackey-* KA0SSF blathered:
>
> Mr. Hampton,
>
> You need to learn manners & common sense.
>
> Hank Hampton wrote:
> > Shut up, Mackey. This wasn't an invitation for you to open
> > your goddamn mouth again.

Gee, Toilet Boy, your hypocrisy is showing AGAIN.
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454. AR1500 Opinons? Advice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tudedog@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dlbcc$37n$1@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168315

I am used to a BC200XLT and Pro2006. Will i end up disliking the 1500?
It's not in my possession yet. Thanks.

455. Re: NEXT !!!!! HELP HELP HELP!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Morisseau <dpm3@seanet.com>
Message-ID: <34FE3BDA.8C294DDC@seanet.com>
Source record: 168316

THu8496 wrote:

> Someone said there was one that would go from 25
> too 1000 mhz .Anyone know what they were talkin about ?

AOR Ar-8000 would work, but if it is the 200 and 300 mHz stuff you
are really interested in a used PRO-43 will do just fine.

--
National Headquarters: Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
Dan Morisseau, N7ZXL - N 47ï¿½ 16' 45" / W 122ï¿½ 30' 00"
Watkins Johnson HF-1000: 60' Random Wire & Palomar Loop
ICOM R-7000: Discone

456. Re: James Bacheldor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE3BD4.7D41@usa.net>
Source record: 168317

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
>
> Missed your call this evening from 248-960-7860. Leave a message if you
> like.
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

I'm sure he will call you back Bill!

Search results for "KD4EUW" on http://www.qrz.com/

Callsign: KD4EUW
Name: WILLIAM G EWALD
Addr1: RT 2 DEER RUN 9
Addr2: APEX NC 27502
Country: USA
Class: Tech Plus
Effective: 17 Sep 1991
Expires: 17 Sep 2001
Location: 35.713 N 78.821 W Wake County
Email: EWALD.WILLIAM@EPAMAIL.EPA.GOV

457. Re: "Bill Parnell"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE3C31.4C84@usa.net>
Source record: 168318

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
>
> Returned your call today at 615-228-4914 as you requested, but no one knew
> of you at that number.
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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458. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE3DAE.2901@usa.net>
Source record: 168319

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
>
> In article <34FA6153.2A32@usa.net>,
> jmackey@usa.net wrote:
> >
> > Let's keep the on topic messages ON TOPIC. Let's keep the off
> > topic messages, OFF. Let's stay accurate to our subject
> > & if it is off subject then let's NOT post it!
> >
> > Thus our newsgroup reading will be more enjoyable for all!
> >
> > thanks
> >
>
> Unfortunately, John, this will have the same effect as taping a "kick me"
> sign on your back.
>
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Yeah, Right Bill!

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459. Re: Repost: Newsgroup Virus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE3DFC.2D67@usa.net>
Source record: 168320

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
>
> [First one was cancelled by unknown means.]
>
> In article <6dbube$5la$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
> >
> > The following is posted as a service to public health, specifically to
> > advise of a serious outbreak of the virus *Herpes cheeksiensis*, and of a
> > sub-strain called *Herpes cheeksiensis mackyii*. These pathogens cause a
> range
> > of symptoms in their victims. Some symptoms can lead to a misdiagnosis of
> > Tourette's Syndrome; however, other victims can display dementia, paranoid
> > delusions (e.g., of government persecution), and inappropriate displays of
> > belligerence. Some victims seem to temporarily lose their identities
> > altogether, and exclusivly display the personality of the primary source and
> > reservoir of the pathogen. Some seem relatively immune to the organism, but
> > even they are subject to uncontrolled fits of laughter occasionally.
> >
> > Recently there was an attempt to quarantine the source, but the effort
> > was unfortunately not sustained long enough to bring about total remission.
> > (As a side note, some Viral Rights advocates, who believe that every form of
> > life is equal, even those that cause human disease, objected to the
> > therapeutic regimen applied here.)
> >
> > There remains only one way to deal with the infection, which is to apply
> > the appropriate filter to message traffic to which one is exposed, although
> > this may not be 100% effective. The outbreaks of *Herpes cheeksiensis" seem
> to
> > be cyclic, and at this time the best we can hope for is short periods of
> > remission and relief, save for the eventual demise of the primary source.
> > Further information may be obtained by monitoring the frequencies of the
> > Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta, Georgia.
> >
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> >
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I don't think so Bill!

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460. Re: SC-150 Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Photoboy Leroy <ldickson@zebra.net>
Message-ID: <34FE3F06.1A93514A@zebra.net>
Source record: 168321

The SC-150 is a very good radio, for what you pay for it. I've had mine for about 3 years. It's been submerged in water and dropped from a moving car, but it keeps on ticking. One suggestion, get a better antenna, the duckie that comes with it, couldn't pick up a gigawatt transmitter two feet away from it.

Charles Simmont wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> >
> > tury8@webtv.net wrote:
> >
> > > Are these radio a good buy?
> >
> > If you like a lot of sizzle and not much steak....sure.
> > Otherwise, no.
>
> Ahhh, I see Mr Cheek does not approve of the Sportcat 150, must be
> becouse there aren't any cellular mods for it and thus cannot profit
> from it in anyway by selling more books. Of course this is just my view,
> I could be wrong.
>
> --
> CHARLES SIMMONT ICP509/DISPATCHER
> INCIDENT COMMAND PAGE OF ARIZONA
> ARIZONA'S PUBLIC SAFETY INCIDENT NOTIFICATION SYSTEM
> http://www.axtek/~n7qyk/icp.html
>
> OTHER NOTIFICATION SYSTEMS
> http://www.axtek/~n7qyk/icp/other.html
>
> *** THE VIEWS EXPRESSED HERE ARE MY OWN AND NOT THAT OF ICP ***

461. Re: Cellular coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Moore <m.moore@utoronto.ca>
Message-ID: <34FDE997.412BC5F7@utoronto.ca>
Source record: 168322

There is lots to pick up on the cell band -- regular folk with all
their "private" conversations. There is nothing like it on the other
bands. If that is your main interest, then the cheapest 800 Mhz scanner
that is cell unblocked will fit the bill. The PRO-26 comes to mind. I
think Durham Radio is selling them cell unblocked.

PS. Don't forget about those frequencies for cordless phones.
Listening to these frequencies will give you conversation like those on
cells, but the callers may actually be your neighbors.

Larry Baker wrote:
>
> Here in Canada we can buy 800MHz scanners with and without cell coverage.
> The price 'though is about $250 more for the cell-phone capability.
> Is the extra price worth what you 'hear'? Is there that much to pick up
> when scanning cell calls? What's the most sensitive unit available?
> Or should I stick with the cheaper and more available basic scanners?
> Any personal experience would be welcomed. Thnx.

--

Michael Moore
Toronto, Canada
m.moore@utoronto.ca

462. Drowned CHP Officers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <998_9803042229@warpgate.com>
Source record: 168323

gribble@primenet.com (Mr. Fun) spewed this garbage:

MF> I in no way wish to minimize their deaths,

Just how many NG's did you pour your venim into?
___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

463. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Special

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: red.dwarf@global.dyn.ml.org
Message-ID: <889374834@global.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 168324

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-> The Cb Guy wrote:
->
-> > On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 21:27:16 -0500, Charles Adkins
-> > <chuck@chucks2way.com> wrote:
-> >
-> > >Check out these HOT SPECIALS! If you wanna order call US at
-> 1-313-389-7189, > >Don't delay! as these prices won't last forever!
-> > >
-> > >Take Care,
-> >
-> > Business so bad ya gotta start spamming now Chuckie?...geez
-> >
->
->
->
-> Define the WORD spam for me.
->
->
-> Spam is the advertising of anything that is NOT related to the
-> subject of the Newsgroup, I posted my ad in the all the newsgroups
-> related to what I carry, which is NOT SPAM but advertising in
-> related newsgroups. so, go read your newsgroup articles and come
-> talk to me what I'm doing is no defferent when what Gene is doing or
-> lou franklin is doing or anyone else, it's just tha you have a hard
-> on for me. and I basically am getting sick of it, an
-> to be forwarding a copy your message to your ISP along with this
-> reply to your isp... and see who's doing what to whom.
->
-> have a nice day, asshole
->
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I would also define SPAM as ANY AD that is crossposted in 3 or more
newsgroups at the same time.
With the way that you replied to him, it really helps me in making
sure that I DON'T visit your web site to buy anything. I perfer dealing
with business people who act in a PROFESSIONAL manner.
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 wcECHO 4.2 A Board Of SmegheadsRed Dwarf BBS (510)261-3966 Oakland, Calif

464. HR2369 (Tauzin's bill)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304064001.BAA21785@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168390

All,

Someone is posting inaccurate information regarding H.R.2369. While I believe the posting was an honest error, I do feel it's necessary to offer a correction.
The version of H.R. 2369 located on the Thomas server - as alluded to in the inaccurate posting - is the original, and not the amended version that is to be voted on this week. I have confirmed this by contacting the Thomas web site staff. If you go to the commerce committee site and download the Acrobat version you will see the amended text.
I won't go into the details of the bill here. If you are not familiar with it check out the Popular Communications magazine web site at http://www.popcomm.com and read the synopsis there.
H.R. 2369 is not problem free, and despite our best arguments, we have not gotten all the changes we wished for. Specifically, H.R. 2369 may have unintended effects on the public's ability to monitor certain shortwave utility communications transmitted on frequencies below 30 MHz.
While the Chapter 119 exemptions protect 99 percent of what scanner listeners monitor above 30 MHz from this provision, they may not be broad enough to cover all categories of shortwave utility communications. Allowing H.R. 2369 to prohibit interception of these shortwave utility communications could cause virtually all current shortwave radios on the market to become illegal.
We still need to defeat this bill, and I would encourage you to familiarize yourself with it and CALL or FAX your local Congressman TODAY and urge him to vote against it. However, the amended version to be voted on is not the danger to scanning that the original bill was, and Tauzin has not double-crossed us.

John Ward

465. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fdea0e.5845023@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168391

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> GIVE ME A BREAK! shipping department? Receiving department?

Yes? You don't like shipping and receiving departments?
Come by sometime, and I'll give you the 50-cent tour.

> You know... why don't you just admit you took my money and be done with it?

How much money?

> Why must you boldface lie to us like Clinton?

Who is "us"?

> You KNOW you received my cash,

No, I didn't. Not under any name or clue that I
can trace to you, Bucktooth.

> just admit it and I'll drop this whole thing!

All you can drop is a load in your britches, harelip..

> Is there a law against mapping a cell system? or a listening to a data
> channel?

Yes. Try the ECPA of 1986, you dipstick.

> For someone who makes his living from selling books on how to convert a
> scanner to receive cell calls, you're pretty stupid for ripping on me for your
> livelyhood.

Geezus, Tylerena....you really are horney for me, huh?
You're wanting some of me real bad, I see. Sorry,
but I can't accommodate you other than to slap a
booger outa your juvenile schnoz and feed it to you.

> >*You* ought to know enough to not send MONEY in the
> >mail. And if you sent a check or M.O., then you have
> >the means to trace it and *prove* your claim.
> >
> >So prove it. Tylerena.....

> Aparently you've got me. I sent cash. It was only a couple of dollars.

Well, what name did you send it under? I don't
give a hang for "a couple of dollars". But we do
make a record of everything that comes in and goes
out. So give me your name that you sent it under,
or even the damn Zip Code and either your first or
last name....if it ain't Tyler. I can check.

But the thing is, dipstick, postal workers steal
cash out of the mail.... that's one possibility.
Another is that it was simply lost. Another is
that we got it and didn't know what to do with it
if you didn't provide a return address and a name
and say what you wanted. And lastly, Wingnut, we
don't charge money for beta tests. Occasionally
we ask for a SASE and an extra stamp. THAT'S IT.

> It's too much of a damn pain in the ass to send a
> check or a money order for that much.

Horsefeathers! A check couldn't be easier. And it
offers PROOF. And it's safe, too.

> That's where you are ripping people off!

Who are "people"? You're the only one claiming that,
and the only one who ever claimed it. Reason being
is that it doesn't happen.

> Of course there's no way I can prove I sent you
> a few dollars.

Sure there is!!! Give me the name or other clues as
to WHO sent it so I can look it up. If I find a record
of it, I'll send it back to you plus a damned buck for
your time and trouble.....and I'll report it here.

Mistakes do happen....on BOTH sides. Plus in the
middle. Like damaged mail, fer instance. If your
return address was ripped off, we might not know who
and what for. A hundred things could have happened.

But give me a clue to WHO sent the money and I'll check
on it. A couple of bucks ain't beans, WingNut. You send
me a hundred-thousand and I just might rip you off. But
not a couple a bucks, liverlips.

> I could probably look up your add for PRO-43 beta testers on
> deja-vue, but that's been over a year ago! It's your word against mine Bill,
> and of course you would never lie..... everyone knows that.

That's right, birdbrain....anyone who has ever dealt with
me knows I don't lie. Now what's this PRO-43 "beta test"
you're talking about? There's another disparity in the
crap you're spouting. You go right ahead and look it up
and post it here, prick. DO IT!!

> Go ahead, fess up. If you admit it, I'll drop this whole thing right now and
> NEVER, say another bad thing about you.
>
> You have my word.

You gotta be pulling my leg? Or you don't understand.

First of all, your word ain't worth the gunk in
your belly button.

Secondly, I don't deal with snotballs, cheats, and liars.
And you're looking for a deal. No way, Jose.

Thirdly, your story is full of holes. So YOU prove
the case.......OR.....give me enough information to
check my records...and let me prove the case.

Fourth....I don't process or even handle the incoming
mail. All I have to go on is: tyler@nospam.com and
there are no records of receipts of "a couple of bucks"
from anyone named Tyler anywhere within the last couple
of years.

Fifth.....I don't CARE if you go on badmouthing me. In
fact, you have my blessing to step up the pace and up
the ante a little. Do it, Tylerena, don't talk about it.
Don't threaten me. Don't intimidate me. I don't respond
favorably to foul play. And you are a foul, fetid, fairy.

Your only choice is to play it straight with me. If you
won't do that, then go snivel to Petey Joe Boe, Johnny
Mackey, and whoever else will listen to you. And watch
me give a hoot.

Go ahead, Tylerena, test me.

466. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fef326.8173812@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168392

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> OK, OK, I looked it up. You were right. (It kills me to say that) (I could
> have sworn you asked for money to copy the "instruction set") You didn't ask
> for money.

Well, well, well......

> But what did you do with the stamps on the envelope I sent? Did
> your "receiving department" take the stamps without you knowing?
> Come on, You know you got it.

I don't ever know about the incoming mail unless it's
expressly for me. And as for the beta stuff, the SASE
and extra stamp are usually required for the overweight
materials.

> The article in question: Beta Testers Wanted for a Scanner Modification
> From: bcheek@cts.com Jan 30th, 1997
> Do I still get ripped off?

I don't have a clue other than YOU are not on my beta list.
Why aren't you on it? I don't know, other than your
name was not passed to me from the mail room. If they
had received your SASE and extra stamp, I would have
received your name and you would have been put on
the beta tester list.

Did you use a fake name? A different name? Did you
write legibly? Did you write at all? We occasionally
just get a SASE and a stamp with no idea of what it's
for. In those cases, we usually send out product
literature.

A dozen different things out of our control COULD have
happened to your SASE and 32-cent stamp, Tyler.

Why the hell would I rip you off for a stamp? What
possible sinister action could be associated with
32-cents, Tyler?

You slip me a hundred thousand in cash and we'll see
what I do from South America. But 32-cents?

467. Re: Keypad for Pro-43?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <34fcf725.401626@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168393
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 3 Mar 98 23:18:43 GMT, chuckiex@ibm.net (Charles McCallister)
wrote:

>Wiggie,
>I couldn't resolve the tandy.com website. Would you try again?
>Thanks.
>
>Charles
>
>To reply, remove the "x" in my address
>
Charles,
The website, that I mentioned is correct. Sometimes Radio
Shack's server seems to be on the brink once in a while. You might
just wait and give it a try at a different time or possibly a
different day. I will post the url again though...

http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/2849.htm

Wiggie

468. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fffe32.11001954@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168394

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

sgambino@worldnet.att.net (Salvatore Gambino) wrote:

> tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> >OK, OK, I looked it up. You were right. ....
> >.........Do I still get ripped off?
> >
> >Tyler

> Your stamps? You're worried about your stamps? You call a man a
> thief and a liar then you find out you're wrong and you want your
> stamps back? Maybe he should give you a stamp with the right foot
> and then a stamp with the left foot for good measure too.

Aw, let 'im go, Sal. It was pretty big of him
to check on what he was talking about and then
'fess up he didn't have it exactly right.

I'd have done it, too. I was waiting for him
to give me a zip code and a name I could check,
and if I saw we had a couple of unexplained
bucks, I'd have sent 'em back with an extra
one for interest, and would've mentioned it here.

Anyway, all's well that ends well, and if it's
a matter of a stamp or two, I'm sure that can
resolve itself in a short time. Ain't nobody
rips off a couple of stamps. More'n likely we
didn't know what it was for and sent 'im some
product literature. That kind of thing happens.
And sometimes the dern post office eats things.

Later....

469. Re: RS323 codes for OS535? Where?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <34fdfa74.1248815@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168395
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 15:15:36 GMT, no.spam@for.me (Dave Smith) wrote:

>Anyone know where to find the codes to interface with a Optoelectronics OS535 from
>the computer?
>
You can get the listing from Optoelectronics....OR you can run over to
a page on Steve Hancock's website that give the CI-V specifications
needed to operate the OS456 or the OS535. Go to
http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006/os456.html and that should get you
started.

Wiggie

470. MODS FOR BC235XLT CELL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tmoore@mymail.net
Message-ID: <6dj1e0$f89$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 168396

need info to open cell freq?

471. Re: IRIDIUM Satellite Personal Communications System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FD0A9F.2777@swbell.net>
Source record: 168397
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.cable.tv,alt.radio.scanner,alt.cable-tv

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Lost Soul wrote:
>
> What is the IRIDIUM System?
>
> The Iridium System is a satellite-based, wireless personal
> communications
> network designed to permit any type of TELEPHONE transmission--
> Voice, Data, Fax, or Paging, to reach its destination--
> Anywhere on Earth!
>
> The Iridium constellation will consist of 66 interconected satellites
> orbiting 420 nautical miles above the earth.
>
> For further information, click these icons:
>
> http://www.iridium.com/systm/systm.html
>
> http://www.iridium.com/welcome.html (home page)
>
> Welcome to the future of telecommunications!
> How does this affect our Cellular and PCS mobile phones?
>
> The radio frequecies used by Iridium can be found in the
> Glossary and Fast Facts icon at the homepage.
>
> What is your opinion of Iridium?

YOU GUYS ARE NOT THINKING! All of these satellite based systems are
going to cost far more than any terrestrial system! WAKE UP!
MARK LEVIN
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472. PRO-2009 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FD16B9.424A@usa.net>
Source record: 168398

What is the IF Frequency of a Pro-2009? I am would think it is 10.7 MHz, can someone confirm that for me please?

thanks!

473. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FD17BB.7F5E@usa.net>
Source record: 168399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The above is ANOTHER FAKE MESSAGE!!!!!

John Mackey KA0SSF wrote:
>
> I just wanted to let everyone know

474. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FD1AAA.3103@usa.net>
Source record: 168400
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hank Hampton wrote:

> BULLSHIT!! There were several posts that examined the
> "coincidence" of you posting domains. This went on
> for about 2 days before you "made it clear".

That's TRUE, Bill only admitted several days after it had been
made EXTREMELY clear my everyone else on the NG. Even some
of Bill's supporters had to admit it!

> It's kinda sad that you truly think your version
> is the truth. I guess if you lie enough you start
> to convince yourself of it.

That is a constant problem for Bill Cheek.

> Hey, at least you didn't deny your own obsession with
> that quadrasexual crap you made up as well as being
> excited with furry little animals!

That is another constant problem for Bill Cheek.

x

475. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FD1B0F.59B3@usa.net>
Source record: 168401
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Typical Smart assed Bill Cheek comments, after someone confronts him & he has nothing to defend himself with, he starts crap like below to avoid the main issue.

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Tell ya what, Hankie Spankie.....we can settle
> all this, you and me.
> I will send you a pair of my crustiest skivvy
> shorts and you can have 'em for dinner.

476. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35010196.11870066@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168402

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Valued Customer <Natas@onmaps.com> wrote:

> This is the most hostile NG ive ever seen.

Ho ho....you ain't seen many ng's, eh?
There's some cyber groups where they'll
take off your head and dump raw sewage
down your neck and then send in a couple
of sewer rats to "clean up".

But you are right about the hostility in
general. I never encountered much of it
before about 1991. Something happened
that year - I dunno what exactly, but the
first flame wars I ever really experienced
happened then.

Before 1991, scanning was one friendly,
sociable group, dating back to the mid 70's.
1980-90 were just too cool.....we didn't
network by computers much in those days, but
via letters, CB, Freeband, and ham radio,
and local pizza club meetings, we sure had
us a hell of a nice time.

But in 1991, something happened. And it kind
of happened simultaneously on a number of
different fronts, from the FidoNet BBS scene,
to the GEnie Ham forum to the Compuserve
scanner forum...and even AOL...which was called
Apple On Line back then.

People.....a few at first....just turned snippy.
Since then, it's more and more....they hide
behind their keyboards and monitors knowing
good and well they're omnipotent and that no one
can spit tobacco juice in their eyes.

And so they unload at any prime target. The
result is you don't see too many "prime targets"
around anymore. They've headed for the hills or
somewhere else that's safe.

I've been inclined to go find me some better
things to do, too.....except that I handle
things a little differently. I sort of like
"excitement" where there's an element of fear
or intimidation. It turns me on instead of off.
Hell, I went to Vietnam, not because I wanted
to, but because it scared me. I do lots of
things because they scare me.

Like computers. Good grief, back in '83 I was
publishing from an electric typewriter. Then
it crapped out and I was faced with buying another
one or getting a computer. I was afraid of
computers, so I got one. That was an Apple IIe.
I stayed with it until 1990 when I realized I was
afraid of MS-DOS.

So I snagged an XT....followed by some 386's,
and then 486's and now Pentiums. I was scared
of BBS's so I set up one of my own in '91.....
blah.....blahhhh.....blah.... point being these
imbecile jerkoffs who'd ruin the hobby for everyone
ain't about to run me off. The more they try,
the more it kind of adds gasoline to my fires.

But that's the thing....these snotballs are used
to zeroing in on a "mark" and watching 'em run
for dear life. Me, I sort of raise a leg and
rear up and dose 'em a little and they don't
understand what hit 'em. I was supposed to run;
not break wind.

Ahhhh, but life is neat with its little surprises.
And we'll break these twits of sucking eggs yet.

Heh heh heh.........

Anyway, the hostility comes from a noisy minority
and until the majority tire of them, they'll stick
around to do their thing. We probably should laugh
at them more, actually. Once they learn they're
just providing FREE entertainment, they'll go find
'em something else to do where the pickings are
more serious......and rewarding.

477. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FD1CA0.5FF8@usa.net>
Source record: 168403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Cheek wrote:

> After considerable research of my own I have
> to conclude that Bill Ewald, KD4EUW, of the
> EPA in Research Triangle Park, NC, is the
> infamous "iwstirn@bigfoot.com".

So what???

YOU, BILL CHEEK, have been caught using alias ID's on this
NG MANY times! (usually, to start trouble!)

> The sick thing is that a Deja News search
> on "iwstirn@bigfoot.com" discloses over 1400
> posts by this guy over a short period of time.

The SAME search for YOU shows over 50,000!

So WHAT?

> He certainly gets around, this Ewald does.....
> and using our dollars, no less, since fairly
> conclusive evidence shows that he posts from:

Yea, & YOU live off the tax payers ALSO CHEEK!

SO WHAT?????

> 3. I evicted Bill Ewald from the FidoNet SCANRADIO
> forum a couple of years ago for much the same

You kicked about 3-5 people off that echo every day for
about a month.

SO WHAT????

All you have given here is BULLSHIT, you have given
NOTHING that makes any difference. YOu simply are
mad that someone has taken you to task for YOUR
behavior & you don't like it. TOOOOOOO BAAAAAD!!!!

x

478. Re: TBA 641 pinout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: grohe@galaxy.nsc.com
Message-ID: <35000ad0.5639298@139.187.81.1>
Source record: 168404

On 3 Mar 1998 19:58:30 GMT,
in the newsgroup rec.radio.scanner,
"Robert " <rschijnd@worldonline.nl>
from World Online thoughtfully posted:

> can someone give me the pinout for the obsolete TBA 641 LF-stage
> used in older bearcat scanners?

It is an old Fairchild 2W Audio Amplifier from the late 70's.
There are no equivelents.

1 OUT
2
3 GND
4
5 GND
6 Compensation
7 Input
8 Feedback
9
10 Ripple Bypass
11
12 Bootstrap
13
14 V+

Unnamed pins are No Connection ("NC").

Good Luck!

Cheers,
Paul Grohe

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479. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FD2319.6330@usa.net>
Source record: 168405

That means NOTHING, Bill.

Hell, you were kicking 3 to 5 people off that ehco for about
a month or so during your little "I am GOD" fiasco!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> He is more widely known as "Bill Ewald",
> and certainly has an axe to grind. He was
> one of those who I booted off the FidoNet
> SCANRADIO forum.

480. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6djcid$s2h$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168406
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>And if you just insist on another wildcard, then
>Strike 5 is that a couple of years ago, the little
>stinkbait was bragging and whooping it up here on
>the newsgroup about how he had monitored his local
>cellular system so much that he had it "mapped".

Why do you insist on making this up? I don't recall EVER saying I mapped
the local cell system and even if I did is that illegal?

Tyler

481. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6djcuh$s2h$2@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168407
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>Well, what name did you send it under?

Why must you keep asking such a stupid question? You have my full name and address!

>But give me a clue to WHO sent the money and I'll check
>on it. A couple of bucks ain't beans, WingNut. You send
>me a hundred-thousand and I just might rip you off. But
>not a couple a bucks, liverlips.
>

?????? You don't make any sense.

Tyler

482. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6djd67$s2h$3@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168408
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>I don't ever know about the incoming mail unless it's
>expressly for me.

It WAS for you.

And as for the beta stuff, the SASE
>and extra stamp are usually required for the overweight
>materials.
>
>> The article in question: Beta Testers Wanted for a Scanner Modification
>> From: bcheek@cts.com Jan 30th, 1997
>> Do I still get ripped off?
>
>I don't have a clue other than YOU are not on my beta list.
>Why aren't you on it? I don't know, other than your
>name was not passed to me from the mail room. If they
>had received your SASE and extra stamp, I would have
>received your name and you would have been put on
>the beta tester list.
>
>Did you use a fake name? A different name? Did you
>write legibly? Did you write at all? We occasionally
>just get a SASE and a stamp with no idea of what it's
>for. In those cases, we usually send out product
>literature.
>

Yea, I used the name Bill Cosby and used the White House as a return address.
COME ON!

>A dozen different things out of our control COULD have
>happened to your SASE and 32-cent stamp, Tyler.

I believe it was $1.50 or so because of the extra weight! It wasn't a run of
the mill stamp.

>
>Why the hell would I rip you off for a stamp? What
>possible sinister action could be associated with
>32-cents, Tyler?
>
>You slip me a hundred thousand in cash and we'll see
>what I do from South America. But 32-cents?
>

You STILL don't make any sense witht that argument.

Tyler

483. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6djda9$s2h$4@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6dio4n$8el@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>, sgambino@worldnet.att.net says...
>
>tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
>
>>
>>OK, OK, I looked it up. You were right. (It kills me to say that) (I could
>>have sworn you asked for money to copy the "instruction set") You didn't ask
>>for money. But what did you do with the stamps on the envelope I sent? Did
>>your "receiving department" take the stamps without you knowing?
>>Come on, You know you got it.
>>
>>Do I still get ripped off?
>>
>>Tyler
>>
>>
>>The article in question: Beta Testers Wanted for a Scanner Modification
>>From: bcheek@cts.com
>>Jan 30th, 1997
>>
>
>Your stamps? You're worried about your stamps? You call a man a
>thief and a liar then you find out you're wrong and you want your
>stamps back? Maybe he should give you a stamp with the right foot
>and then a stamp with the left foot for good measure too.
>
>/Sal

It's not the stamps Sal, It's the point that I never got the instruction set.

Tyler

484. Re: Pro 51 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Alan, VE3NNM" <nomail@nosite.com>
Message-ID: <6djev6$25t$1@newsbell.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 168410

Ken Atkinson <klajr@swbell.net> wrote:
>
> Just found group, have been hearing about "Mods", can anything be done
> to my 51?
> Frequency additions, etc..
> Thanks, Ken
>
Try the following URL:
http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/handheld.html#pro51

485. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jnooney@albany.net
Message-ID: <34FD4D39.B21CE7A@albany.net>
Source record: 168411
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

> Aparently you've got me. I sent cash. It was only a couple of dollars.
> It's too much of a damn pain in the ass to send a check or a money order for > that much.

Normally, I don't weigh in on the flame wars but I have to say Tyler that if you sent cash you have no one to blame but yourself. Blaming Cheek is way out of line. How can you prove your money even got there? Who's to say it didn't get lost in the mail or stolen by some crooked Post Office clerk? You're the one who goofed Tyler and calling Cheek a crook and an asshole does not change that fact.

If I were Bill Cheek, right now I'd be consulting my lawyer about suing you.

Joe

486. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jnooney@albany.net
Message-ID: <34FD4E8F.5C8082DA@albany.net>
Source record: 168412
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Now that you have admitted that Cheek did NOT ask for money, you're whining and bitching about some stamps? Email me your address and I'll send you a friggin' book of stamps just to shut you up. If I were Cheek I would definitely be consulting my lawyer now.

I think you should stay off this NG for at least a month Tyler. Go sit in the corner and think about what you've done.

Joe

487. Pro2022 $175.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: d308@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <34FD4ECD.28DE@pacbell.net>
Source record: 168413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Pro-2022 with full 800 coverage. Very good condition $175.00 shipped
CONUS.

488. Re: MODS FOR BC235XLT CELL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Some Guy <1someguySPAM@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6djjck$2lc$1@news.sunflower.com>
Source record: 168414

tmoore@mymail.net wrote in message <6dj1e0$f89$1@gte2.gte.net>...
>need info to open cell freq?

Sorry.....cant be done.

489. Those Were the Days- Was:Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jnooney@albany.net
Message-ID: <34FD53EA.EB771A17@albany.net>
Source record: 168415
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

> Before 1991, scanning was one friendly,
> sociable group, dating back to the mid 70's.
> 1980-90 were just too cool.....we didn't
> network by computers much in those days, but
> via letters, CB, Freeband, and ham radio,
> and local pizza club meetings, we sure had
> us a hell of a nice time.
>

You done went and got me feeling nostalgic Bill. I can remember sending away for the old RCMA newsletter back in 1986, then getting involved with Northeast Scanning News and Les Mattson's crew shortly thereafter. I used to drive 5 hours to NJ every summer for the NESN Picnic. I even hosted the NESN Spring Meeting in NY for a few years (and the associated Friday Night Molson Drinking and Cellular Telephone Monitioring Session). Those were great days. I made a lot of friends through this hobby.

Somehow I think computers helped to ruin this hobby. No one seems to want to take the time for a good old fashioned eyeball meeting anymore.

Joe

490. Jamaican Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Barnes <jdbarne@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34FD5765.50F3@ibm.net>
Source record: 168416

I will be visiting Montego Bay, Jamaica in the near future, and was wondering if scanning is legal, and if so, if anyone has a list of frequencies for that area.

Thanks,

Jay

491. Bearcat 895XLT discriminator output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald W. Chapman" <dwc@mallsurfer.com>
Message-ID: <34FD4B59.DBC8ADC@mallsurfer.com>
Source record: 168417

I am looking for the discriminator output on my BC895XLT so I can use a Hamcom interface to demodulate digital signals. Thanks in advance for any help.

don

492. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <34fd5b41.429922@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 168418
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace

On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 18:06:57 -0500, Charles Adkins
<chuck@chucks2way.com> wrote:

>
>
>The Cb Guy wrote:
>
>> On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 21:27:16 -0500, Charles Adkins
>> <chuck@chucks2way.com> wrote:
>>
>> >Check out these HOT SPECIALS! If you wanna order call US at 1-313-389-7189,
>> >Don't delay! as these prices won't last forever!
>> >
>> >Take Care,
>>
>> Business so bad ya gotta start spamming now Chuckie?...geez
>>
>
>
>
>Define the WORD spam for me.
>
>
>Spam is the advertising of anything that is NOT related to the subject of the
>Newsgroup, I posted my ad in the all the newsgroups related to what I carry,
>which is NOT SPAM but advertising in related newsgroups. so, go read your
>newsgroup articles and come talk to me what I'm doing is no defferent when what
>Gene is doing or lou franklin is doing or anyone else, it's just that fact that
>you have a hard on for me. and I basically am getting sick of it, and I am going
>to be forwarding a copy your message to your ISP along with this reply to your
>isp... and see who's doing what to whom.
>
>have a nice day, asshole
>
>
>
>> The Cb Guy
>>
>> http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

You posted your commercial ad in this ng. To me that is Spam.
I'm sure the folks at my ISP will get a chuckle out of your letter,
since all I did was post a non-profane reply to your spam, and you
couldn't write a letter without a cuss word in it if your life

depended on it.
I'm calling your bluff.
You Sir are a buffoon.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

493. Re: MODS FOR BC235XLT CELL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: DoctorsAreTooGreedy@ShaftThem.net
Message-ID: <34fd5ba9.67092626@news1.lig.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 168419

On Wed, 4 Mar 1998 06:58:49 -0600, "Some Guy" <1someguySPAM@usa.net>
wrote:

>
>tmoore@mymail.net wrote in message <6dj1e0$f89$1@gte2.gte.net>...
>>need info to open cell freq?
>
>
>Sorry.....cant be done.
>
Surfdom responds:

Not yet,but just wait a while nothing is quote "un modifiable" and
then we can tell our fascist or communist legislators to KISS OFF!

494. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304140500.JAA22784@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168420

>Subject: Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>
>From: tyler@nospam.com (tyler)
>Date: Tue, Mar 3, 1998 22:29 EST
>Message-id: <6dihr6$nv8$1@news3.microserve.net>

>OK, OK, I looked it up. You were right. (It kills me to say that) (I
>could >have sworn you asked for money to copy the "instruction set") You
didn't ask for money. But what did you do with the stamps on the envelope I
sent? Did your "receiving department" take the stamps without you knowing?

This is rich. tyler slanders and profanes the guy over a couple nonexistent
bucks and now whines about the lousy stamp. Why is that you can't apologize as
loudly as you so falsely accuse?

495. Re: Which is better the BC895 or BC9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304141000.JAA23277@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168421

>Subject: Re: Which is better the BC895 or BC9000?
>From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com (Bob Parnass, AJ9S)
>Date: Tue, Mar 3, 1998 19:06 EST
>Message-id: <6di5ur$hn9@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>

>As I wrote the original poster, both models are attractive.
>However, I prefer the BC9000XLT
>--
He didn't say, but if all he's planning to do is listen to police and fire, the
BC 895 is a much better deal.

496. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <34FD64BA.1BE2@c-com.net>
Source record: 168422
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Cam wrote:
>
> joe wrote:
>
> > > >I had heard that they died, but didn't know the circumstances. I am so
> > > >sorry to hear of this, but I do appreciate the post very much - thanks, Big
> > > >Daddy. I hope that those who like to bash all cops will stop and think
> > > >about these two brave men, responding to help someone in trouble, and losing
> > > >their lives in such a tragedy. I hope there is a memorial erected at the
> > > >spot where they died.
> > > >
> > > >In sorrow,
> > > >
> > > > - Harold
> > It'll just get paved over when they rebuild th road.
> > Now speaking of memorials what happened to the Lee Harvey Oswald
> > memorial? Don't hear too much about it any more. Guess the nation
> > lost interest.
>
> Yes indeed, lets minimize the deaths of the people that try to save lives and
> glorify the lives of those who take them. Good point, now if you let your hair grow
> it might get covered up.
And one other thing what does it have to do with a scsnner news group?

497. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <34fd5725.4944098@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 02:16:14 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

><snickering>

(like a little school girl playing with mom's vibrator)

>I will send you a pair of my crustiest skivvy
>shorts and you can have 'em for dinner.

Of course, Cheek, why stick with the subject? Is it because
you've been EXPOSED YET AGAIN AS A LIAR?

You're the one who brought up the annoyance of someone else
using a fake e-mail and being exposed. You just seem
to forget how YOU were exposed for the very same thing
with your stupid winradio stunt.

You acknowledged it was you only AFTER a few days of
posts came out pointing out the similarities between
your "real" posts and the winradio ones.

Lie about it all you want. It's what everyone expects.

Get over it, old man, you've been bagged again.

>Comprende?

More than you'll ever understand you senile old bastard.

498. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <34ff5839.5219244@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168424
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:19:28 -0800, **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
wrote:

>Bill Cheek wrote:
>
>> After considerable research of my own I have
>> to conclude that Bill Ewald, KD4EUW, of the
>> EPA in Research Triangle Park, NC, is the
>> infamous "iwstirn@bigfoot.com".
>
>So what???
>
>YOU, BILL CHEEK, have been caught using alias ID's on this
>NG MANY times! (usually, to start trouble!)

Oh, you're quick. Real quick.

499. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <34fe57fb.5157416@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:11:06 -0800, **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
wrote:

>Hank Hampton wrote:
>
>> BULLSHIT!! There were several posts that examined the
>> "coincidence" of you posting domains. This went on
>> for about 2 days before you "made it clear".
>
>
>That's TRUE, Bill only admitted several days after it had been
>made EXTREMELY clear my everyone else on the NG. Even some
>of Bill's supporters had to admit it!

Shut up, Mackey. This wasn't an invitation for you to open
your goddamn mouth again.

500. Re: New User New Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <34FD4115.7E05E35D@vnet.com>
Source record: 168426

mike wrote:
> I'm looking for a scanner that covers most of everything there is or can
> be easily modified to do so. I'm new to the "hobby" but I've used
> several scanners over the years for fire police and weather monitoring.
> I remember we had a scanner that could pick up everthing even FM radio.
> We used it to monitor military aircraft on our airfield. I'm open to
> hand helds and mobile/base units no base onlys need apply. Price range
> is under $200 or close to. I know I can't afford the Farrari but I don't
> need a Yugo either. Also availability and advice /experience will be a
> help I'm not calling every RS with in 200 miles just for a close out
> special. If it breaks I want an off the shelf replacement like
> yesterday.
> I know I'm dreaming and just another guy who wants the world for a dime
> but you have to try.

You are probably aware that very few radios cover the mil air band
let alone the FM broadcast band. These are usually reserved for the
top-of-the-line units which obviously command a top-of-the-line
price.

In today's market, the only radio which seems to fit your criteria
is the PRO-26 which is being discontinued for $200. But if you're
not willing to call a store or two, or simply go into one and have
them look up where the closest store is with remaining units and
ship it to them, then I don't think you want this radio too badly.
Especially considering your price and desires. These type of radios
are usually only gotten for $350+.

You might also want to check with Grove Enterprises too as they were
getting rid of remaining stock for $190 I believe.

Good luck!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

501. Re: FS- Unblocked Yaesu FRG-9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: djw@unlinfo.unl.edu
Message-ID: <6djnu3$fg82@iac7.navix.net>
Source record: 168427
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

>Remember that a brand new '65 Mustang sold for $1795. Try
>to find one for that little today.
>But it's not really relevant to this discussion.
>The FRG9600 ain't no Mustang...more like an Edsel. :-)

It ain't THAT bad...(;->!!!

>If anybody really wants a $500 FRG9600, I could be
>persuaded to make mine available...

I have one in absolutely marvelous condition,with all accessories and
the TV if module that I will sell for $400 shipped (conus)...e-mails
for details (hey...that rhymes!!)...take care es

73 de Dan -- WA0JRD ..
djw@unlinfo.unl.edu
Lincoln,Nebraska

502. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <34FD68BB.5520@c-com.net>
Source record: 168428
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Cam wrote:
>
> Mr. Fun wrote:
>
> > I in no way wish to minimize their deaths, but I fail to see any
> > reason why it would warrant a memorial. All sorts of people get
> > killed trying to help others. While it's certainly a tragedy it's no
> > more tragic then 100s of other deaths that go pretty much un-noticed
> > beyond their immediate area. If it had been Joe Blow who had been
> > driving down that road to get back to his grandmothers farm to make
> > sure she and the neighbors were alright would you be calling for a
> > memorial to Joe Blow, responding to help his grandmother and friend in
> > trouble and losing his life in such a tragedy?
> >
> > On Sun, 1 Mar 1998 00:02:29 -0700, "Harold Lines"
> > <hlines@indirect.comxyzabc> wrote:
>
> Actually mr fun, if you have ever driven down a Texas highway you will notice
> that there are white crosses erected along the roadside. This indicates that a
> person has died in a car accident. So in answer to your question, yes the average
> citizen does get a memorial put out in his memory.
>
> The problem is in the attitude that if a cop dies, that is his job, and we should
> not recognize that fact unless he has done something 'heroic'. The fact is that
> these officers did do something heroic that the majority of the public would ot
> do. They got up that day and put on their uniforms and went into work.
>
> I can only hope that you can realize that your position only helps to distance
> SOME officers from the public. If you post here that a family member died in an
> accident, you won't find any of us telling you basically 'so what'.
First of all what does this post have to do with a radio scanner news
group? Nothing. The original poster is one of those people who suck up
to th cops no doubt, you know th kind, they hsave a 100 club sticker in
their rear window. thinking it will get them out of a ticket. We pay
cops to do a job just like lawn boys and grocery checkers. If they get
killed in the line of duty that's part of the game they sighned up for.
The dumb ass driving a cab gets offed by a nigger crack head for his
cigar box very seldem makes national news and hardly ever gets a
memorial. Same thing goes for the retard woeking at Jack in the box who
gets blown away for $47.
Post this drivvel if you may but post it to the proper NG.

503. Scanners FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Marsh <nickwb4sqi@wwd.net>
Message-ID: <34FD69B3.2C10@wwd.net>
Source record: 168429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Cleaning shack need to move out:

PRO2006, VGC, cell/speedup/IF output mods, with manual, box and service manual. $300 + shipping.

Bearcat BC350A-50 channel, GC, no manual. $50 shipped.

Regency Informant-preprogrammed for police all states, with mag mount antenna, $35 shipped.

Midland 16 channel uhf HT with 13.2v 1000mah battery, keyboard programmable, same as Icom u-16, like new conditon. $200 + shiping. Includes box, manual and copy of Service Manual, no charger. Uses Icom accessories, batteries.

Money Order or bank check over $75 only. COD via Fedx only.

Some trades acceptable, I need:

EIDE hard drive 800+ mb and controller, VLB or ISA bus only.
16mb Simms, 72 pin.
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73
Nick Marsh
WB4SQI

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504. Re: Cordless Phones(Part2)????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <34fd7693.2534053@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 168430

charly@xmission.com (charl9) wrote:

:On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 14:26:08 GMT, barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au (Barry
:O'Grady) wrote:
:
:>marc_k@walrus.com (marc_k) wrote:
:>
:>:Chevy69SS (chevy69ss@aol.com) wrote:
:>:: are cordless Phones in the 32.000MHz???
:>:: becuase in HollyWood, CA i picked up 2 cordless phone in the 32MHz range
:>:: is this normal or are they violating FCC rules??
:>:
:>:: the FREQ's are 30.2700MHz & 32.1300MHz
:>:
:>:Sounds like "export" phones(some countries use 30Mhz or so)
:>:These are indeed against the FCC rules
:>
:>Australian cordless uses 30 and 39 Mhz. I had a long distance cordless
:>that used 31 and 51 Mhz.
:>
:>Barry
:>
:
:You can also get 3. to 5 miles on these phones.......
:Buy the booster,,,,,, and get 30 miles.........
:But if you did ????? what would you do with the
:money,,you give the cell phone people????

The best I got was 12 miles with an inefficient base antenna setup.

I got it from an auction and it came with boosters.
A standard cordless phone puts out milliwatts. My long distance
unit put out 4.5 watts and the booster raised that to 30 watts.

:Boy,,,,,the things the FCC doesn't want you to have....
:I wonder who buys them off????

Is there any need to ask? But can you imagine the mess with everybody
wanting their own exclusive two frequencies for 30 miles around?
Ordinary cordless can reuse the same frequencys every half mile or so.
I do think there is a case for something inbetween for people with
larger properties.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the Xs from my
return address.

505. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <34fe5f2b.1431973@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 168431
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 4 Mar 1998 03:29:42 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>
>OK, OK, I looked it up. You were right. (It kills me to say that) (I could
>have sworn you asked for money to copy the "instruction set") You didn't ask
>for money. But what did you do with the stamps on the envelope I sent? Did
>your "receiving department" take the stamps without you knowing?
>Come on, You know you got it.
>
>Do I still get ripped off?
>
>Tyler
>
>
>The article in question: Beta Testers Wanted for a Scanner Modification
>From: bcheek@cts.com
>Jan 30th, 1997

Ut oh, now it looks like this Federal Crime is totalling up to a
whopping 64 cents!!
Call the postmaster general!

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

506. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <34fd6ed4.1254059@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 168432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Don't you mean the "below"?
Lying again eh Mackey?

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 00:58:35 -0800, **John Mackey** KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>The above is ANOTHER FAKE MESSAGE!!!!!
>
>
>**John Mackey** KA0SSF wrote:
>>
>> I just wanted to let everyone know

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

507. Re: Orange County, CA 800Mhz Public Safety Radio System: WNSS311

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Robertson <"Jason Robertson"@idt.com>
Message-ID: <34FE1D1C.22DD@idt.com>
Source record: 168433

Orange County's new 800MHz. system is a Motorola type II digitial trunked system. Astro Sabers and STX-3000's will be the portables and Astro Spectas will be the mobiles. The system is very 'cellular' in design and no radio will need more that 7 watts RF output to make it

Most systems will be digital and render scanners useless - even trunktrackers. All city police and fire and county agencies will also be on this system.

Cutting agencies over to the new 800MHz system has been pushed back a few months. Possibly late 1998 for the south Orange County area - fire services first, patched into the existing system until full cut-overs occur in all fire agencies.

Because of recent legal activity by a neighboring city in LA County, the south county area should be completed ahead of north county (Some people just don't think that a 150 foot tower is a beautiful thing.

"Backbone" equipment (repeaters etc) is installed and powered up at several remote radio sites including controlling equipment at the Loma Ridge communications facility.

Full cut-over should be within the next 2 years.

508. FS: BC760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Garry W. Woods" <kb8sgo@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#icXMU4R9GA.258@upnetnews03>
Source record: 168434

BC760XLT, 800 Mhz, like new and not use mobile.
$150+shipping

Garry (423) 457-8961

509. Baja Sur Mexico Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Fowler <dsfowler@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FD7B26.10AD@swbell.net>
Source record: 168435

I am looking for frequencies in the LaPaz, Cabo San Lucas areas of Baja Sur. Does anyone have any info for this area. I can't find anything. Any and all help would be greatly appreciated. Police, fire, ham, marine, anything.

510. FS: Welz 1000e scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rreider@pop500.gsfc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <6dju9a$6e1@post.gsfc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 168436
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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Forsale
Welz 1000e scanner
unblocked
$425 shipped.
in original packaging
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511. FS: 2 TRC-207 handheld CBs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rreider@pop500.gsfc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <6djuf2$6e1@post.gsfc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 168437
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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Forsale
2 TRC-207 40ch handheld CBs,
in original packaging
with cig plugs and wall chargers,
$80 for both , or $45 each shipped.
radios are in excellent condition.
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512. FS TRS-80 model 100 laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rreider@pop500.gsfc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <6djunq$6e1@post.gsfc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 168438
Cross-posted to: gsfc.forsale,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

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Collectors awake !
Forsale TRS-80 model 100 laptop
with all manuals and cables,
100/obo or trade for scanner/transceivers ???
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513. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Special

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: red.dwarf@global.dyn.ml.org
Message-ID: <889024533@global.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 168439

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-> The Cb Guy wrote:
->
-> > On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 21:27:16 -0500, Charles Adkins
-> > <chuck@chucks2way.com> wrote:
-> >
-> > >Check out these HOT SPECIALS! If you wanna order call US at
-> 1-313-389-7189, > >Don't delay! as these prices won't last forever!
-> > >
-> > >Take Care,
-> >
-> > Business so bad ya gotta start spamming now Chuckie?...geez
-> >
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->
->
-> Define the WORD spam for me.
->
->
-> Spam is the advertising of anything that is NOT related to the
-> subject of the Newsgroup, I posted my ad in the all the newsgroups
-> related to what I carry, which is NOT SPAM but advertising in
-> related newsgroups. so, go read your newsgroup articles and come
-> talk to me what I'm doing is no defferent when what Gene is doing or
-> lou franklin is doing or anyone else, it's just tha you have a hard
-> on for me. and I basically am getting sick of it, an
-> to be forwarding a copy your message to your ISP along with this
-> reply to your isp... and see who's doing what to whom.
->
-> have a nice day, asshole
->
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I would also define SPAM as ANY AD that is crossposted in 3 or more
newsgroups at the same time.
With the way that you replied to him, it really helps me in making
sure that I DON'T visit your web site to buy anything. I perfer dealing
with business people who act in a PROFESSIONAL manner.
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 wcECHO 4.2 A Board Of SmegheadsRed Dwarf BBS (510)261-3966 Oakland, Calif

514. Re: Which is better the BC895 or BC9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6di5ur$hn9@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 168466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <34FC9CE2.2C9F@extremezone.com>,
Charles Simmont <simmont@extremezone.com> wrote:

>Ignoring the BC9000's Alphanumeric display and capable CTCSS, 500
>channel memory, and the 895's Trunking feature they are both about the
>same....

As I wrote the original poster, both models are attractive.
However, I prefer the BC9000XLT.

In addition to an alpha display and more channels,
the BC9000XLT affords:

twice as many channel banks,
wider frequency coverage,
selectable AM/FM/WFM modes,
hit counter,
an additional 50 kHz step size,
and a per-channel attenuator.
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515. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6di83kadj0@207.18.224.80>
Source record: 168467
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 3 Mar 1998 12:49:32 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>I REALLY DON'T CARE IF YOU CHEEK LOVERS DON'T BELIEVE ME. I KNOW I SENT MONEY
>TO THIS IDIOT AND HAVEN'T SEEN A DAMN THING.
>

Surely you have a copy of the cancelled check, or money order stub....

516. AOR 2001 Discriminator output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matthew Bonser <mb@dove.mtx.net.au>
Message-ID: <01bd4708$fb950600$3b1e0fcb@mtx.net.au.dove.net.au>
Source record: 168468
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Does anyone have any info on modifying the AOR 2001 scanner for data
decoding ???
Which pin do I need to tap ??

Thanks any help appreciated.

517. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEKS ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fcb48b.167917076@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168469

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tvine@teleport.com (bud powell) wrote:

>
> x-no-archive: yes In article <35001644.127392297@news2.cts.com>,

> Ahem.......please, Cheeks, don't embarrass yourself. Shipping dept.?
> Receiving dept.? Lets see......Oh! The wife and kids, I get it!

Ha ha ha ha ha ha...... Your Prozac and Depo Provera
dreams are deceiving you again, my dear Petey Joe Boe.
Whatthehellsthematter with you, anyway?

> Hmmm. Very interesting. A guy who has made what (bad) name he has for
> himself by selling tinker-toy plans for making scanners receive cell calls
> threatening someone for same. Talk about shooting yourself in the foot....
> What an idiot......

You're looking in a mirror, Prozac Boy. Cellular hacks
were a fractional part of my business *when* they were
legal. Zero now. You go with the flow, Petey Boe,
or you don't go.

You, who don't know a scanner from beans have no
business shooting off your mouth anyway. Now get back
with your lawyer and get those molestation charges
cleared up so you can stay out of the slammer.

518. Re: A really stupid problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6didvv$r6p$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 168470

Jack Anderson <jander@home.com> wrote:

>You could also use a #2 pencil to reapply the carbon contacts, work's
>great.

Yes, I have repaired them this way.... and they have lasted from about 2 days to 2 weeks for me. It is difficult to make the carbon (pencil lead) dense enough to be a trouble-free contact for a long period of time without adding some sort of binder which in itself has to be conductive or at least somewhat inert.

Just trying to grind up a #2 pencil, mixing the graphite with rubber cement and spreading on a paste doesn't work any better than just "writing" onto the rubber directly. Something in between is called for... like the original deposition.

I have found that an emergency repair of this type can typically get you by for a long enough period until the new keypad shows up to solve the problem for real!

I would love to hear if there is a better way to do this type of repair...

Steve

519. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6die8dmtl1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168471
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>If we received anything, it will be on record. My
>receiving department keeps different records - -
>separate from the shipping department...so if we
>received anything from you, we'll be able to tell.

GIVE ME A BREAK! shipping department? Receiving department?

You know... why don't you just admit you took my money and be done with it?
Why must you boldface lie to us like Clinton? You KNOW you received my cash,
just admit it and I'll drop this whole thing!

>> I VOW TO SPREAD THE TRUTH ABOUT YOUR LYING ASSHOLE WAYS
>> TO EVERY SCANNER I KNOW!
>
>Oh my. Are you aware of libel and slander laws?
>Probably not since YOU also publicly confessed to
>listening to your local cellular system and even mapping
>it out.

Is there a law against mapping a cell system? or a listening to a data
channel?

For someone who makes his living from selling books on how to convert a
scanner to receive cell calls, you're pretty stupid for ripping on me for your
livelyhood.

You should get to be more familiar with the
>laws, though.
>

I don't believe there is any law against spreading the truth is there?

> If you
>sent money, it was your own stupidity, then.
>
>*You* ought to know enough to not send MONEY in the
>mail. And if you sent a check or M.O., then you have
>the means to trace it and *prove* your claim.
>
>So prove it. Tylerena.....

Aparently you've got me. I sent cash. It was only a couple of dollars. It's
too much of a damn pain in the ass to send a check or a money order for that
much. That's where you are ripping people off! Read your above paragraph and
see how you rip everyone off! Of course there's no way I can prove I sent you
a few dollars. I could probably look up your add for PRO-43 beta testers on

deja-vue, but that's been over a year ago! It's your word against mine Bill, and of course you would never lie..... everyone knows that.

Go ahead, fess up. If you admit it, I'll drop this whole thing right now and NEVER, say another bad thing about you.

You have my word.
Tyler

520. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fdb889.168938932@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168472

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:

> BULLSHIT!!

Tell ya what, Hankie Spankie.....we can settle
all this, you and me.

<snickering>

I will send you a pair of my crustiest skivvy
shorts and you can have 'em for dinner.

Comprende?

Good. I will approve of your continued existence.

521. Re: Pro-43 Memory chips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6diekumtl2@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168473

In article <34fc299f.81108921@news.niagara.com>, pturton@niagara.com says...
>
>Has anyone found a direct replacement or alternate supplier for the Pro-43
>serial EEPROMs - AK93C66M8 ?
>
>The closest I've found is a Microchip 93LC66BX but have not found a retail
>supplier of these.
>
>Tandy Canada wants $48 CDN + 15% tax for 2 of these $1 chips.
>
>Cheers,
> Paul
>

I ordered a set of the originals for $25 each from Rat Shack, but that's been about a year ago. I was going to order a whole ton of them and put 1000 channels in my PRO-43 until I found out the eeproms would cost $200 for that many.
I've been looking for replacements too. The closest I've come is the 93LC67. I have a few of them, but haven't had the time to do the mod and try them out. I can't see why they want $25 and $35 for them. They are very cheap parts. You could probably even get some samples of them if you called your local parts distributer. (other than Rat Shack)

I'll have to get around to that mod.. maybe this weekend and see if they work. The 67's are under $2 !!!!!!

Tyler

522. Re: Which is better the BC895 or BC9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304024701.VAA16313@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168474

As for wider frequency coverage .. my 9000 covers the mil air band. Don't know if the 895 does or not. Worth checking into as part of the decision, tho.

523. Re: A really stupid problem..keypad repair...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dif0lmtl3@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168475

In article <6didvv$r6p$1@news1.teleport.com>, prografx@teleport.com says...
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>Jack Anderson <jander@home.com> wrote:
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>>You could also use a #2 pencil to reapply the carbon contacts, work's
>>great.
>
>Yes, I have repaired them this way.... and they have lasted from about
>2 days to 2 weeks for me. It is difficult to make the carbon (pencil
>lead) dense enough to be a trouble-free contact for a long period of
>time without adding some sort of binder which in itself has to be
>conductive or at least somewhat inert.
>
>Just trying to grind up a #2 pencil, mixing the graphite with rubber
>cement and spreading on a paste doesn't work any better than just
>"writing" onto the rubber directly. Something in between is called
>for... like the original deposition.
>
>I have found that an emergency repair of this type can typically get
>you by for a long enough period until the new keypad shows up to solve
>the problem for real!
>
>I would love to hear if there is a better way to do this type of
>repair...
>
>Steve
>

Someone has probably mentioned this already, but I read a while ago that there are repair kits for rear window defrosters. In these kits, there is a tube of conductive stuff that is used as the actual repair agent. The goop is placed on the keys(NOT THE PC BOARD) to make a new conductive area. (I've never tried this, so it would be interesting to hear results)

Anyone?

Tyler

524. Decatur, Georgia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kegan30317@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304033001.WAA28636@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168476

Could someone send me the 800 mhz freq's Decatur (GA) PD uses. I understand they only have two in use, and it is not a trunked system. Thanks....

525. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dihr6$nv8$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

OK, OK, I looked it up. You were right. (It kills me to say that) (I could have sworn you asked for money to copy the "instruction set") You didn't ask for money. But what did you do with the stamps on the envelope I sent? Did your "receiving department" take the stamps without you knowing?
Come on, You know you got it.

Do I still get ripped off?

Tyler

The article in question: Beta Testers Wanted for a Scanner Modification
From: bcheek@cts.com
Jan 30th, 1997

526. Re: FS: Modified Pro 43 W/Leather Case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304043401.XAA09792@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168478

$299 for you Dennis

527. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dio4j$8el@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168479

tvine@teleport.com (bud powell) wrote:

>x-no-archive: yes 2957236718457
>In article <34FC455E.EBF40895@usa.net>, G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net> wrote:
>
>> tvine@teleport.com wrote:
>
>>RESPOND! NOW!!
>
>And GleenWeenie did again, as ordered.! Good boy......
>BTW, the drug posts were part of a research project I did for a social
>sciences center. You were a laugh riot in the class room. In fact, you're
>something of a legend! You'd be amazed at how many people hang on your
>every word. HA!
>RESPOND RIGHT NOW!!!!!!

Project my ass! I seen plenty of what drugs do to people and how they
lie when they use them. I don't believe a damn thing you say.

/Sal

528. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dio4h$8el@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

>On 3 Mar 1998 12:49:32 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
>
>
>>I REALLY DON'T CARE IF YOU CHEEK LOVERS DON'T BELIEVE ME. I KNOW I SENT MONEY
>>TO THIS IDIOT AND HAVEN'T SEEN A DAMN THING.
>>
>
>Surely you have a copy of the cancelled check, or money order stub....
>

Hey, maybe the guy don't want to leave no paper trail. I can relate
to that.

/Sal

529. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dio4l$8el@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>
>>If we received anything, it will be on record. My
>>receiving department keeps different records - -
>>separate from the shipping department...so if we
>>received anything from you, we'll be able to tell.
>
>GIVE ME A BREAK! shipping department? Receiving department?
>
>You know... why don't you just admit you took my money and be done with it?
>Why must you boldface lie to us like Clinton? You KNOW you received my cash,
>just admit it and I'll drop this whole thing!
>
>
>>> I VOW TO SPREAD THE TRUTH ABOUT YOUR LYING ASSHOLE WAYS
>>> TO EVERY SCANNER I KNOW!
>>
>>Oh my. Are you aware of libel and slander laws?
>>Probably not since YOU also publicly confessed to
>>listening to your local cellular system and even mapping
>>it out.
>
>Is there a law against mapping a cell system? or a listening to a data
>channel?
>
>For someone who makes his living from selling books on how to convert a
>scanner to receive cell calls, you're pretty stupid for ripping on me for your
>livelyhood.
>
>You should get to be more familiar with the
>>laws, though.
>>
>
>I don't believe there is any law against spreading the truth is there?
>
>> If you
>>sent money, it was your own stupidity, then.
>>
>>*You* ought to know enough to not send MONEY in the
>>mail. And if you sent a check or M.O., then you have
>>the means to trace it and *prove* your claim.
>>

>>So prove it. Tylerena.....
>
>Aparently you've got me. I sent cash. It was only a couple of dollars. It's
>too much of a damn pain in the ass to send a check or a money order for that
>much. That's where you are ripping people off! Read your above paragraph and
>see how you rip everyone off! Of course there's no way I can prove I sent you
>a few dollars. I could probably look up your add for PRO-43 beta testers on
>deja-vue, but that's been over a year ago! It's your word against mine Bill,
>and of course you would never lie..... everyone knows that.
>
>Go ahead, fess up. If you admit it, I'll drop this whole thing right now and
>NEVER, say another bad thing about you.
>
>You have my word.
>Tyler
>

Don't like to leave no paper trail huh kid? I like to pay cash for
stuff myself. How much does this guy owe you? Maybe I just
pay you myself so you quit crying.

/Sal

530. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dio4n$8el@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168482
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>
>OK, OK, I looked it up. You were right. (It kills me to say that) (I could
>have sworn you asked for money to copy the "instruction set") You didn't ask
>for money. But what did you do with the stamps on the envelope I sent? Did
>your "receiving department" take the stamps without you knowing?
>Come on, You know you got it.
>
>Do I still get ripped off?
>
>Tyler
>
>
>The article in question: Beta Testers Wanted for a Scanner Modification
>From: bcheek@cts.com
>Jan 30th, 1997
>

Your stamps? You're worried about your stamps? You call a man a
thief and a liar then you find out you're wrong and you want your
stamps back? Maybe he should give you a stamp with the right foot
and then a stamp with the left foot for good measure too.

/Sal

531. Any Info on BC220XLT and/or DX-394

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Benoist <jbenoist@koyote.com>
Message-ID: <01bd472e$d2d53de0$486a98d0@ns1.koyote.com>
Source record: 168483

If anyone has ANY useful or interesting information on a BC220XLT and/or a DX-394, please email me. Looking foe any type of modification or tips and tricks.

John Benoist
www.koyote.com/users/jbenoist/home.htm
jbenoist@koyote.com

532. AOR 1000 repairs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <shooter2@spamicide.vol.com>
Message-ID: <34FCEC59.E57BCBA9@spamicide.vol.com>
Source record: 168484

Who repairs the AR 1000XLT? Mine has a broken case, and needs some
tuning?

Thanks in advance,
Jim

533. Globalstar vs. Iridium: CDMA vs. TDMA Satellite Phone Frequency list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Carr <"Kevin Carr"@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FD95E6.6C47@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168485
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.video.satellite.tvro,alt.cellular.tec,alt.cellular.motorola

Gary Gadwa wrote:
>
> Does Anyone Know the Fequencies or block of Frequencies used for the
> Satellite Telephones some folks are now using. The users in my area
> have a little white Dome Shaped antenna on top of their cars. Size and
> shape of Antenna doesn't help me much in guessing at the Frequency.
>
> Anybody have any Knowledge on this???
>
> GARY GADWA
> WA7FSI / NNN0ISD
> ggadwa@cyberhighway.ne

Radio spectrum utilized by Iridium services include the L-band
(1616-1626.5 MHz) for voice communication with Iridium subscribers:
and the Ka-band (19.4-19.6 Ghz for downlinks; 29.1-29.3 Ghz for uplinks)
for gateway and earth terminal transmissions.

The frequency plan for Globalstar
Terminal to satellite: L-band (1610-1626.5 MHz)
Satellite to terminal: S-band (2483.5-2500 MHz)
Gateway to satellite: C-band (5091-5250 MHz)
Satellite to gateway: C-band (6875-7055 MHz)

source: Globalstar and Iridium websites.

534. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fce6f4.5051117@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168486

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

sgambino@worldnet.att.net (Salvatore Gambino) wrote:

> >Surely you have a copy of the cancelled check, or money order stub....

> Hey, maybe the guy don't want to leave no paper trail. I can relate
> to that.

Maybe. But it's plumb ignorant to send cash
through the mail. That's the first strike.

Strike two is that the little peckerwood has
been on a hate campaign against me for the last
couple of years. If he hates me so much, why
the hell does he send me cash? Yeah ri--ght.

Strike three is that we don't charge money
for the kind of thing he was sniveling about.

And if any of them strikes is a wildcard, then
Strike 4 is that I don't have a record of him
doing anything with us.....not even requesting
product information.

And if you just insist on another wildcard, then
Strike 5 is that a couple of years ago, the little
stinkbait was bragging and whooping it up here on
the newsgroup about how he had monitored his local
cellular system so much that he had it "mapped".

Now Strikes 1 and 2 are plumb gross ignorance, and
Strike 5 is even worse....'fessing up to committing
crimes right here in public.....and that doesn't
agree with the theory that he doesn't like to leave
"trails" because anything you write to a newsgroup
leaves a trail....and 'fessing up to a crime right
here on the trail suggests that he doesn't give
a hang about who sees what.

The point is, the guy is lying through his buckteeth
and/or isn't making a lick of sense on any account.
Hell, the little prick won't even say HOW MUCH
bucks I cobbed off him.

He just got a new window pane put in his belly button,
so that probably explains everything, if you get down
and think about it.

Later......

535. Re: FS: Modified Pro 43 W/Leather Case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: DCLIFF@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6diotn$s76$1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168487

$299. for Dennis, WHAT A DEAL!!!

DENNIS in GA.

536. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jake Schmidt <shmjr@netins.net>
Message-ID: <888992587.601216@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 168488
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace

Charles Adkins wrote in message <34FC8D09.63D19581@chucks2way.com>...
>
>
>The Cb Guy wrote:
>
>> On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 21:27:16 -0500, Charles Adkins
>> <chuck@chucks2way.com> wrote:
>>
>> >Check out these HOT SPECIALS! If you wanna order call US at
1-313-389-7189,
>> >Don't delay! as these prices won't last forever!
>> >
>> >Take Care,
>>
>> Business so bad ya gotta start spamming now Chuckie?...geez
>>
>
>
>
>Define the WORD spam for me.

Using the newsgroup as your advertising department.

>Spam is the advertising of anything that is NOT related to the subject of
the
>Newsgroup, I posted my ad in the all the newsgroups related to what I
carry,
>which is NOT SPAM but advertising in related newsgroups. so, go read your

Maybe not technically, but it's in poor taste...

>newsgroup articles and come talk to me what I'm doing is no defferent when
what
>Gene is doing or lou franklin is doing or anyone else, it's just that fact
that
>you have a hard on for me. and I basically am getting sick of it, and I am
going
>to be forwarding a copy your message to your ISP along with this reply to
your
>isp... and see who's doing what to whom.

Well let's see...whoever posted right before you asked a simple question. I
doubt their ISP would give a hoot about it.

>have a nice day, asshole

On the other hand, YOUR ISP might have a little more to say about directing obscenities towards other people. Go ahead and forward my message to my ISP if you want.

<snip>

Jake

537. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <34FF2CEE.2586@accesscom.com>
Source record: 168140
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

John Smith wrote:
>
> This is rather vague, but the actions taken here could be on either
> the transmitter end or the receiver. It really doesn't specify.
>
> Hopefully more will develop on this soon.
>
> WASHINGTON, March 5 (UPI) - The House (Thursday) voted 414-1 to pass
> a bill to strengthen privacy protections for wireless telephone users.
> The legislation was proposed after a Florida couple intercepted and
> taped a car phone conference call between House Speaker Newt Gingrich
> and other members of the Republican leadership.

Who is the guy that voted against it? We should all send $20 to his
re-election fund!

538. Re: Long Live Anarchy!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ramjet <Ramjet@noway.com>
Message-ID: <6dn9sf$240@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168141

Sounds OK with me....

MAlexder <malexder@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980305213800.QAA12006@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
> Let's see... .IWStirn is really Bill Ewald; ***John Mackey*** is not the
real
> Mackey, who is **John Mackey**; and Bill Cheek really isn't the ***John
> Mackey*** who is cancelling posts made by Bill Cheek; and George
Vetterle, Hank
> Hampton and the CB Guy really are Tyler Hansen (but on different days);
The
> only thing we know for sure is that Brian is off whining that this
newsgroup is
> full of meanies.
>
> Hey, people can't we just get along? It's gotten to the point that it is
> impossible to know who's who and what's what. Anyone want to declare a
truce?
> Nothing ambitious...say 24 hours no one will post anything that does not
have
> anything to do with scanning. Violators will be exposed as people who
really
> are only interested in making trouble and then roundly, universally spat
upon
> or some such thing.
>
> I vote that Saturday, March 7 be Armistice Day. After that, anarchy
prevails
> and we won't bother talking about scanning any more. Okay?
>
>
>

539. F.S. Bearcat 4/6 Thinscan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmurray407@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305224600.RAA27931@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168142

F.S. Bearcat model 4/6 Thin Scan Hand Held scanner.
The scanner is in new mint condition.
It is a 6 channel crystal controlled. COmes with leather case and charger.
It runs on 4 AAAA batteries. I also have original users manual.
Price $150 plus shipping
If interested email jmurray407@aol.com

540. Re: Scanner Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: leec71@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305225300.RAA24597@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168143

>This is a BC model 855 XLT Uniden/Bearcat scanner.
>Has been modified to receive all the Cell phone freq.
>800mhz. complete coverage.The new scanners out there
>will not get these Cell phone conversations. See why
>"They" do not want us to listen in.
>Like new still in box,manual,ant. and ac. adapter.
>30-956mhz. coverage.
>$300.00 John Moore,jmoore@texasinternet.com
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>
>
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>
>
>
>

Why don't you do the mod for the extra 50 channels? That oughta make it worth $600.

HAR HAR HAR...Good luck buddy.

541. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dname$4jj@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168144

For sale: One mint condition Icom R7000 with DC power option, all boxes
and manuals including a service manual, has the discriminator tap
already installed to one of the spare RCA jacks. $1000, was $800, will
be $1200 soon. Thanks Uncle Sam.

Ira Chineson wrote:
>
> WASHINGTON (AP) ï¿½ The House decisively passed a measure
> Thursday to make it illegal for people to use scanners to
> intentionally eavesdrop on cellular phone calls.
>
> By a 414-1 vote, the House approved a bill that would prohibit
> people from modifying scanners to "intentionally intercept or
> divulge the content of radio communications.'' The bill, which
> would clarify and expand current prohibitions, would also eliminate
> the current $2,000 cap on penalties for violations.
>
> The bill arose after a Florida couple used a scanner to listen and
> tape-record a 1996 cellular telephone conversation that Rep. John
> Boehner, R-Ohio, was having with House Speaker Newt Gingrich,
> R-Ga., and House Majority Leader Dick Armey, R-Texas.
>
> "Little did I know that my words and my expressions were being
> recorded and end up as part of public relations campaign to try to
> destroy the speaker,'' Boehner, No. 4 in the GOP leadership, said
> during House debate.
>
> The tape made its way from Florida to the House ethics committee
> and was published by The New York Times.
>
> "I speak from personal experience about the outrage and sense of
> powerlessness one feels when they learn that their expectation of
> privacy has been destroyed,'' Boehner said.
>
> In addition to restrictions on individuals trying to eavesdrop, the
> bill
> would also extend current restrictions on scanner manufacturers to
> prohibit new machines that would intercept new conversations on
> the new generation of digital cellular telephones. And it would
> extend the Federal Communications Commission's ability to
> investigate and enforce violations.
>
> The bill's sponsor, Rep. Bill Tauzin, R-La., said it would expand
> the right to privacy in the digital age.

>
> "We in government ought to do everything we can to protect that
> expectation of privacy. That is what this bill is about,'' he said.
>
> The Senate has not yet passed a similar bill.

542. Pro-26 full coverage cpu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: phorse@nym.nospam.alias.net
Message-ID: <6dncec$bd6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168145

I have heard that there is a full coverage cpu available for the pro-26 hand held scanner. Could someone tell me where the cpu can be purchased and for about how much. Thanks.

543. Icom PCR1000 control codes anybody?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Campbell <ccampbell@intonet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6dnckn$cf2$1@rockcake.bt.net>
Source record: 168146

Hi and thanks for reading this. I'm trying to find the control codes for the Icom PCR1000. I heard Icom were not releasing them but see alternative software appearing so it must be out there somewhere. Do you know where?
Colin Campbell GM1LUZ

544. Touch tone decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: DerrikS@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dna4q$5k3$1@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168147
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I purchased a TT-7 Touch Tone Decoder from Ramsey Electronics, and assembled it exactly as specified in the instructions. The only problem is that in one part of the directions it says it can decode from an audio output from a radio, simply by connecting it to the audio input of the TT-7, that is what I did and it didn't work.

Then just below that it says to construct a circuit for use with a radio!? These instructions are messed up. The circuit is only described in a diagram and I haven't the foggiest on how to construct it. If anyone out there has one of these devices and knows how to get it working properly please let me know.

Derrik

545. Re: Long Live Anarchy!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4892$136d57c0$37dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168148

I`m in. Call the day.
Charlie

MAlexder <malexder@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980305213800.QAA12006@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
> Hey, people can't we just get along? It's gotten to the point that it is
> impossible to know who's who and what's what. Anyone want to declare a
truce?
> Nothing ambitious...say 24 hours no one will post anything that does not
have
> anything to do with scanning. Violators will be exposed as people who
really
> are only interested in making trouble and then roundly, universally spat
upon
> or some such thing.
>
> I vote that Saturday, March 7 be Armistice Day. After that, anarchy
prevails
> and we won't bother talking about scanning any more. Okay?

546. Re: Can Pro-46 with Date Code 5A4 take cell mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirtmeat@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305235301.SAA09640@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168149

IT WILL DO THE "KEYPAD TRICK" CELL RCV. AFTER THE INTERNAL MOD IS DONE. THIS
IS ADIFFERENT INTERNAL MOD THAN THE PREV. DATECODE VERSIONS & COMPLETE MOD
INFO IS DETAILED IN THE "RADIO TECH MODIFICATIONS VOL B" BOOK .
(AVAILABLE THRU ADVANCED SPECIALTIES 1-800-926-9426) GOOD LUCK.

547. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4894$ea8227c0$37dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168150

George,
A picture of Mackey in the dictionary? No wonder some groups burn books!
:-)
Charlie

George Vetterle <geovet@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<34ff1f6a.7906673@nntp.ix.netcom.com

> I looked up "pathetic" in my dictionary and it had a picture of John.

548. Best Home Antenna??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <msf853@spamfree.erols.com>
Message-ID: <6dnf4d$593$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 168151

I want to recieve a distant 46.30 Mhz on a dedicated reciever. What is the best rooftop antenna for this?

549. Re: Touch tone decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd489d$28f126c0$28dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Derrik, Check your E-mail.
Charlie

DerrikS@webtv.net wrote in article
<6dna4q$5k3$1@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...

550. Re: PRO-2009 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Stanton <mstanton@centuryinter.net>
Message-ID: <01bd488b$341fdf80$65a541ce@cen11212>
Source record: 168153

I believe the Pro-2009 had a 7.10 Mhz IF and the Pro-2013 had a 69.71 Mhz
IF....

John Mackey KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote in article
<34FD16B9.424A@usa.net>...
> What is the IF Frequency of a Pro-2009? I am would think it is 10.7
> MHz, can someone confirm that for me please?
>
> thanks!
>

551. Re: Long Live Anarchy!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6dnmgq$ph1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168154

MAlexder wrote in message <19980305213800.QAA12006@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
>Let's see... .IWStirn is really Bill Ewald; ***John Mackey*** is not the
real

<snip>

>I vote that Saturday, March 7 be Armistice Day. After that, anarchy
prevails
>and we won't bother talking about scanning any more. Okay?

That's just great. The one day you pick, I will be out in the woods away
from civilization and my computer. Thanks a lot!

552. Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Iluv2way <bednark@garden.net>
Message-ID: <6dno07$h03$1@news2.ispnews.com>
Source record: 168155
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Could someone please post the procedure to field program the Vertex VX-10? It would make it much easier for OEM use than lugging a laptop around. TIA all.

KB

553. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Duff <td@pixar.com>
Message-ID: <34FF5410.3F54@pixar.com>
Source record: 168156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hank Hampton wrote:
> >If you really don't know know the meanings of
> >`bogus' and `fraudulent', then you're an idiot.
>
> Are you going to throw some lame dictionary definitions
> at me? Or are you going to accept the words for their
> common and practical usage?

Thank you very much. I see I got it right on the first guess.

554. Re: Top secret frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ziggy <death@bykumba.com>
Message-ID: <01bd47d0$45610dc0$667391a4@PSmalley95.iac.honeywell.com>
Source record: 168157

n1lsw@ncia.net wrote in article <6d85lpicc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> (((((((((((((((((((TOP SECRET RADIO FREQUENCIES))))))))))))))))))
ALL
> THE ONES YOU WANT TO KNOW. ALL THE GOOD STUFF YOU CAN'T GET!!!! WELL NOW
YOU
> CAN ON THIS 3.1/2 DISK. YOU WILL BE SHOCKED!!!!. $5.00 SHIPPED IN THE US.
> Thanks Jack.

OK everyone, let's all chip in and get one copy which we can then post
here. I'll donate a penny. If we get 499 more people in on this, it could
work... ;-)

-Phil

555. Bearcat 700A Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: SKYHAWK <sky444@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dnpvk$mra@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168158

Any 800mhz mods for this one??

556. BC860xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fred S." <mrfred@proaxis.com>
Message-ID: <34FF79AB.369@proaxis.com>
Source record: 168159

looking for any mods for a Uniden BC860xlt.
Please e-mail me with any. Thanks, mrfred@proaxis.com

Fred

557. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <34FF84FE.C00B983@primenet.com>
Source record: 168160
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

*-John "Richard Simmonds "fills" me up more than any other man has
ever done." Mackey-* KA0SSF tried to lie some more:

> DICK - what a FOOL you show yourself to be again!!!

Not really. Read on, Toilet Boy. I typed it real slow so you can
keep up. Be careful your lips don't hurt you as they move when you
read. Your doctor has warned you before that your harelip can bounce
around and hurt you when you read the truth. Don't forget the bib, you
know how you drool and froth.

> About 18 months ago I was in a work situation where I had internet
> (T1) access but NO internet address.

A transparent lie to cover up the fact that you were stealing access to
the internet. And, that your employer caught you stealing access and
terminated you for theft of services.

> This was for a special project regarding digital communications accross
> the internet. I expained the situation MANY times back then.

You never "expained" anything. You did start the lie about not having
a real internet address to cover up your theft of services.

> Eventually, we did get access to a mail server & then I started using
> an internet address

You got caught stealing access and had to find another way onto the net.

> I had to enter a bogus address into the Netscape mail program to post
> to newsgroups. All the no-place, no-where, no-address listings
> were MINE, & I CLEARLY IDENTIFIED MYSELF WITH NAME & CALLSIGN!!!!
> Eventually I used the hotmail address for a short time then got
> the USA.NET address for a permanent mail address. (which I still
> use today)

So, we're going to ride the elliptical ferris wheel regarging the
definition of "bogus" now. It comes down to one unescapable fact:
You stole access to the net and HAD to use phony addresses to hide
your thefts and illegal access.

> The idiot.org address I did not use. That was a forged post.

Plausible, as I stated in my original post.

> I never gave any fraudulent address.

Your admittance at using the phony addresses contradicts your statement.
You're still a liar and a fraud.

> I always stated I did not have an e-mail address!

True, you had to hide your theft of services and your ego forced you
to brag about it by flaunting your name and callsign.

> You hero, BILL CHEEK, used fraudulent addresses & DID NOT give his
> real identity, WHEN HE DID INDEED HAVE A INTERNET ADDRESS!

I've never publicly or privately proclamed Bill Cheek a hero. Your
delusional reality sees anyone who doesn't worship your pitiful
existence as a Cheek sympathizer. However, the issue here is not
Cheek's use of, to quote you "a fraudulent address" when he had a
real address. It is your use of fraudulent addresses in lieu of a
valid account and address. It is your lies and theft of services.

> What a fool you are!

Let's see, you admit to theft of services after I confronted you with
the evidence. You admit to using fraudulent addresses as well. As
usual, Toilet Boy, your prozac abuse and Richard Simmonds pumping you
silly has made you dizzy and confused. It is you who is the fool.

558. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <34FF8571.6BF14CD4@primenet.com>
Source record: 168161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:
>
> > Are you on drugs, Mackey?
>
> Of course he's on drugs, dummy.
>
> 1. Prozac
> 2. Depo Provera
> 3. Lithium chloride
> 4. Potassium chloride
> 5. Tetrahydracannabinol
> 6. Lysergic acid diethylalimide
> 7. Trichloroethane
> 8. Methamphetamine
> 9. fecalmethane

You forgot AZT.

559. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Younker <dougy@ruraltel.net>
Message-ID: <34FF0BFE.3E32@ruraltel.net>
Source record: 168162

Hello,

It's kinda scary that some would think being prohibited from
eavesdropping on private conversations, "is a dark day for freedom".
Restrictions on listening to others telephone conversations is as old as
party-line telephones. Tes the original Tauzin bull was broad in it's
restrictions. It is my understanding the ARRL along with other
interests was able to get the billrewritten in a more favorable form.

--
73, Doug Younker, N0LKK
near Plainville, KS
dougy@ruraltel.net
++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++
Ira Chineson wrote:
>
> WASHINGTON (AP) ☐ The House decisively passed a measure
> Thursday to make it illegal for people to use scanners to
> intentionally eavesdrop on cellular phone calls.
>
> By a 414-1 vote, the House approved a bill that would prohibit
> people from modifying scanners to "intentionally intercept or
> divulge the content of radio communications." The bill, which
> would clarify and expand current prohibitions, would also eliminate
> the current $2,000 cap on penalties for violations.
>
> The bill arose after a Florida couple used a scanner to listen and
> tape-record a 1996 cellular telephone conversation that Rep. John
> Boehner, R-Ohio, was having with House Speaker Newt Gingrich,
> R-Ga., and House Majority Leader Dick Armey, R-Texas.
>
> "Little did I know that my words and my expressions were being
> recorded and end up as part of public relations campaign to try to
> destroy the speaker," Boehner, No. 4 in the GOP leadership, said
> during House debate.
>
> The tape made its way from Florida to the House ethics committee
> and was published by The New York Times.
>
> "I speak from personal experience about the outrage and sense of
> powerlessness one feels when they learn that their expectation of
> privacy has been destroyed," Boehner said.
>
> In addition to restrictions on individuals trying to eavesdrop, the

> bill
> would also extend current restrictions on scanner manufacturers to
> prohibit new machines that would intercept new conversations on
> the new generation of digital cellular telephones. And it would
> extend the Federal Communications Commission's ability to
> investigate and enforce violations.
>
> The bill's sponsor, Rep. Bill Tauzin, R-La., said it would expand
> the right to privacy in the digital age.
>
> "We in government ought to do everything we can to protect that
> expectation of privacy. That is what this bill is about," he said.
>
> The Senate has not yet passed a similar bill.

560. Re: The end of a great hobby??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <bhilden@isd.net>
Message-ID: <34FFA89D.6CD0@isd.net>
Source record: 168163

Bryan K. Schmidt wrote:
>
> I found out that the frequencies I most often listen to might no
> longer be available for me to listen to.Hennipen county Minnesota is
> considering a new 800Mhz trunked network to replace thier conventional
> radio system most cities in the county use the Hennipen County system
> for Fire dept's, local police dept's, and sherriffs dept..These have
> been my favorite channels to listen to since I was about 5 years old
> I've lived in the area all my life.I've talked to a local radio dealer
> about purchaseing a Trunk Tracker Scanner and he told me it wouldn't
> help because the new system being proposed was a digital system made
> by either motorola, Errickson, or EM Johnson, useing the APCO
> protocal.I found some info on this at
> http://www.apcointl.org/project25/information.html#commit
> but its been many years since I've taken a communications class could
> anybody Shed some light on this for me
>
> My question is, are there any scanners out there capable of recieving
> this type of system, if not are there any in the works by any
> manufacturers?
>
> is there any way short of swiping a radio from someone, to listen to
> these systems?
>
> any comments would be appreiciated
>
> bryschmidt@mindspring.com

2 things about this:
A) I doubt it will happen anytime soon. They have been talking about this for a few years here in Ramsey County too but nothing has happened yet. These systems are good but from what I've heard are unreliable. Getting them to work properly sounds like a nightmare.
B) Cost. They are expensive and would require all the units to be refitted with new radios. I would estimate Hennepin County has about 5,000+ vehicles (police, fire, emergency, highway workers, etc...) adding up all the cities and towns they work with. Last I heard, Hennepin County had a little funding problem (just a rumor but could be true) and might not have the money. I did notice they have some 800mhz freqs already in use. Minnetonka and Bloomington already run trunked systems, Eden Prairie might be too.

Bottom line, it could happen but I doubt anytime soon. St.Paul and Ramsey County have been discussing this since I started listening to scanners 15years ago.

--
Brian

If somoeone with multiple personalities threatens to kill himself,
is it considered a hostage situation?

561. Re: Motorola Spectra Scan Ques. - Limitations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Christensen <radiopro@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6doa2u$7jh$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 168164
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner

You have to remember that this is a _REAL_ WORLD_ 2_way_ radio, not a scanner as such! If you are a working radio user, be it public safety-taxi driver-lineman-delivery driver- et al.... can you do your primary job AND monitor more than 16 separate channels at the same time? I can't! Now if my job is to LISTEN to the radio, I can do maybe 25-50 depending on what the normal traffic is per channel, but I cannot do that well with ONE radio..... there will ALWAYS be a situation that requires "locking" on one channel or more for a reason... and there is NO scan priority system that can ever be dynamic enough to deal with that...!

Sure, maybe the Kenwood can have a bigger scanlist... but see which one you will find in the majority of fire apparatii and patrol cruisers....

--
Keith Christensen .... radiopro@BAMBIgte.net [309093]
(Kill ..(delete..<g>) BAMBI for email.... the spammers are wise to NOSPAM!)

A: Hi Tech is a Pain in the)(!
B: I deal with Fast Electrons,
call a lineman for problems with the slow ones!

Dr. Radio wrote in message <6dmgtu$h90$1@nnrp2.crl.com>...
|I have a UHF A5 Spectra and although the unit has 128 possible modes,
|apparently, you can only have 16 channels at a time defined in the scan
|list....major problem. If one sets up zones, then you can have 16 per
|zone, but only one zone can be scanned at a time.
|
|Anyone know if the A7 and A9 models have the same limitations?
|
|Mot. glossy spec sheets "forgot" to mention these limitations (an honest
|mistake????). No other radio I have ever used has such limitations -
|especially when one pays the price they want for these units.
|
|About ready to go back to my commercial Kenwood equipment...
|--
|_____________________________
|The Doctor
|DrRadio@NOSPAMhotmail.com
|Remove the NOSPAM when replying
|
|

562. PRO 43 question, please help! ;)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: FX1 <fx1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6do9pb$5lo@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168165

I just got the scanner and I need to know what type of diode, (the one that enables keylock features etc, ex. "d1, d2, d3, d4") is it. I am heading to radio shack, but I feel they wouldn't know what I'm talking about (no offense, just from previous experiences) I am in need of getting this diode, if you can e-mail me or post the part number I will be forever thankful. Thanks to all in this group who have helped me with a lot of my scanner problems.

Oliver

563. Re: SEEKING A QUALITY THROAT MICROPHONE MANUFACTURER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: autumn@mit.edu
Message-ID: <mhe1zwg1uym.fsf@contents-vnder-pressvre.MIT.EDU>
Source record: 168166
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

I've seen "ear microphones" that work on the premise that if you can hear yourself talk, so can a microphone. I haven't played with them very much, but a bunch of tech weenies I know seem to like them. The nice thing is that you end up with both parts of your radio in your ear.

I always wondered if they would make good emergency service equipment...

Barbara C. Manganis, 1LT, USAF
Volunteer Firefighter/EMT
Bernalillo County Fire Department
New Mexico

564. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick <surfbear@ptialaska.DIESPAM.net>
Message-ID: <6dq308$s6m$1@news.ptialaska.net>
Source record: 168167

Sorry but I couldn't resist. I'll admit I have been lurking the group for about six months now, and I just have one question. How long HAS this flame war been going on now?

Patrick
<He who lurks in the shadows holds the power in the kingdom>

565. Rogue Cancels coming from Sprint Net in Portland, OR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sharon Hines <sharonhi@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34FE9198.4EE@erols.com>
Source record: 168190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
>
> In article <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>,
> **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com> wrote:
> >
> > This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
> >
>
> Is this forged or real?
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

This is a FORGED CANCEL from John Mackey on Sprint Net at the
Portland, OR dialup POP.

NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31

The NNTP-Posting-Host IP address resolves to:

sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net.

X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

indicates that it was cancel from Netscape Gold 3.01 under
Windows 3.1 (16 Bit)

Path:
moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!nntp3.cerf.net!news.sdsc.edu!newshub.csu.net!newshub.sd
su.edu!news.sgi.com!news-peer.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.net!newsfeed.internetmci.com!205.13
7.196.70!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Control: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>
References: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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This is a message that John Mackey posted throught the same
Sprint Net dialup POP out of Portland, OR! 5 minutes earlier!!!

NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31

The NNTP-Posting-Host IP address resolves to:

sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net.

X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

indicates that it was cancel from Netscape Gold 3.01 under
Windows 3.1 (16 Bit)

It appears that the Third Party cancel of Bill Cheek's post
originated from the same News Server and posting Host as the
following post that John Mackey posted 5 minutes earlier!!!

Path:
moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!peerfeed.ncal.verio.net!newsfeed.wli.net!su-news-hub1.b
bnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: My confession.
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 00:58:35 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Lines: 6
Message-ID: <34FD17BB.7F5E@usa.net>
References: <34FB4FB1.2568@usa.net>
Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

The above is ANOTHER FAKE MESSAGE!!!!!

John Mackey KA0SSF wrote:
>
> I just wanted to let everyone know

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566. Re: I"VE BEEN SHOT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305124401.HAA08331@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168191

Call 911

567. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <34fe9e31.2490676@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 168192

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 02:26:30 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Once again, BILL CHEEK can find NOTHING REAL to defend himself
>with so he responds with BULLSHIT like below!
>
>How pathetic!
>
>
>Bill Cheek wrote:
>> No, hermaphrodite Smacksie..... you just got a
>> case of very sour grapes and a very sore pooper.

You, MACKEY, are the Legal definition of PATHETIC.
'nuff said.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

568. Re: AOR 1000 repairs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <7YHf7hAB8p$0EwGd@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 168193

In article <34FCEC59.E57BCBA9@spamicide.vol.com>, Jim
<shooter2@spamicide.vol.com> writes

Hi Jim,

>Who repairs the AR 1000XLT? Mine has a broken case, and needs some
>tuning?

ACE Communications were the Importers of the AR1000 at the time is was a
current receiver so they may still have some parts you might require.

EEB/EDCO are the current AOR distributors so they would also be the
place to check but whether they will have a spare case etc you would
have to check.

G&G Communications are one comapnay who have a good reputation for
repairs although I don't know how keen they will be to look at the AOR.

Hope that helps.

Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, U.K.	AOR AR5000/7000/7030/8000, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Realistic PRO-26/2042, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627	Uniden UBC-3000XLT/UBC-9000XLT, Icom IC-R10
Clough@Javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
PGP Key available on request \ http://www.javiation.co.uk/
\--/

569. FS: Uniden BC3000XLT handheld scanner LNIB - $285 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bodoh@dakota.net
Message-ID: <6dm6ic$kr0$1@server2.dakota.net>
Source record: 168194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

For sale: Uniden BC3000XLT handheld scanner (current Uniden top-end model);

Coverage 25 Mhz to 1.3 Ghz (minus cellular and 550-760)
400 channels in 20 banks
300 ch/sec search, 100 ch/sec scan
10 priority channels
automatic search and store
selectable (AM/FM/WFM) modes (receives TV and FM broadcast audio)
selectable attenuator
data skip (skips over data channels)
WX key
typical features such as lockout, battery saver, selectable search steps
built in nicad
triple conversion

This radio is in 'mint - like new' condition, with; box, manual, duck, AC adapter - even packing materials! Also included is the optional leather case. Note that for those hung up on cellular reception,it reportedly receives cellular images clearly from 1005 to 1030 Mhz. This radio is one of the best at rejecting overload and intermod. The 20 banks, search store feature, TV and FM broadcast reception and leather case make it ideal for travel. Reason for selling: Have two and need cash.

My price is $285, paid in advance by postal money order, I pay your choice of UPS or USPS shipping. No trades. Lower 48 USA only. Please Email with questions...

Tom, N0YGT

570. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <34ff983e.1537228@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168195
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 02:09:25 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
wrote:

>About 18 months ago I was in a work situation where I had internet
>(T1) access but NO internet address. This was for a special project
>regarding digital communications accross the internet. I expained the
>situation MANY times back then. Eventually, we did get access to a mail
>server & then I started using an internet address
>
>I had to enter a bogus address into the Netscape mail program to post
>to newsgroups.

Note this last sentence. John clearly admits using a bogus e-mail.

Now....let's snip away to the end here....

[snip]

>I never gave any fraudulent address. I always stated I did not have
>an e-mail address!

Are you on drugs, Mackey?

571. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <350098a0.1635669@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 19:37:46 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:
>
>> Shut up, Mackey. This wasn't an invitation for you to open
>> your goddamn mouth again.
>
>But you and ol' Smacksie are goooood buddies.

What's wrong? Did he drop you as his ass buddy?
You aren't trying to take some heat off your
sorry, lying ass and make some sort of lame connection
to me with that asswipe? Are you ?

Do try, old man. Do try.

>So don't talk to the bucktoothed, harelipped
>imbecile that way.

No need. That's ALL you do. Sometimes quite well, but
usually it's very redundant. I just assume that's
because of the senility, and you keep forgetting.

572. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <34fe97b6.1401323@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 19:35:51 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:
>
>
>> Lie about it all you want. It's what everyone expects.
>
>If anyone's a liar, Hankie-baby, it's you.
>Now go pack sand and snivel your problems
>to your mammy.

Nice to see you can't take the heat, old man.

What's wrong, slick willie? Getting all flustered now that
you been exposed UNQUESTIONABLY as a damn liar?

Looks like you're the one with problems. You'd like
to take them to your mammy, but she's probably
been dead for the last 30 years....you old senile bastard.

573. Re: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sharon Hines <sharonhi@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34FE97F5.47D1@erols.com>
Source record: 168198
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

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iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
>
> In article <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>,
> **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com> wrote:
> >
> > This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
> >
>
> Is this forged or real?
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

This is a FORGED CANCEL from John Mackey on Sprint Net at the
Portland, OR dialup POP.

NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31

The NNTP-Posting-Host IP address resolves to:

sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net.

X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

indicates that it was cancel from Netscape Gold 3.01 under
Windows 3.1 (16 Bit)

Path:
moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!nntp3.cerf.net!news.sdsc.edu!newshub.csu.net!newshub.sd
su.edu!news.sgi.com!news-peer.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.net!newsfeed.internetmci.com!205.13
7.196.70!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Control: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>
References: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

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moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!peerfeed.ncal.verio.net!newsfeed.wli.net!su-news-hub1.b
bnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: My confession.
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 00:58:35 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Lines: 6
Message-ID: <34FD17BB.7F5E@usa.net>
References: <34FB4FB1.2568@usa.net>
Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

The above is ANOTHER FAKE MESSAGE!!!!!

John Mackey KA0SSF wrote:
>
> I just wanted to let everyone know

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574. Ft Gordon, GA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Ziegler <eziegler@csranet.com>
Message-ID: <34FEB94E.7D90@csranet.com>
Source record: 168199

Can anyone provide me with the freqs for the Military Police at
Ft. Gordon...seems that some of the published ones are no longer
in use...thanks,

Ed Ziegler

575. Motorola Spectra Scan Ques. - Limitations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Radio" <drradio@NOSPAMhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6dmgtu$h90$1@nnrp2.crl.com>
Source record: 168200
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner

I have a UHF A5 Spectra and although the unit has 128 possible modes, apparently, you can only have 16 channels at a time defined in the scan list....major problem. If one sets up zones, then you can have 16 per zone, but only one zone can be scanned at a time.

Anyone know if the A7 and A9 models have the same limitations?

Mot. glossy spec sheets "forgot" to mention these limitations (an honest mistake????). No other radio I have ever used has such limitations - especially when one pays the price they want for these units.

About ready to go back to my commercial Kenwood equipment...
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The Doctor
DrRadio@NOSPAMhotmail.com
Remove the NOSPAM when replying

576. FS/trade - Alinco ELH-7400 UHF Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dmi0s$ck8@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168201
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>Please make an offer for this item, I have no idea what its worth:
>
>Its in mint cosmetic condition; however, operational condition is
>unknown. Sorry, no box, no manual. It requires a 13.8 VDC power
>source which is not included. It did power up when I put a power
>supply on it. I purchased this at an estatee sale with a box of other
>electronics stuff. I am not a ham, and therefore have no need for
>this.
>
>The unit is all metal, approx 4" X 6" X 1"
>A tag on the bottom of it says "rated input 10W"
>The front of it has an "on-air" led, and three push buttons:
>
>1. Mode - SSB/FM
>2. RX - On/Off
>3. TX - On/Off
>
>I would be interested in trading this for a basic hand held scanner.
>Please let me know brand and model # on your scanner for trade. If
>necessary, I will add money to even up the trade.

577. FS - Photocopy of Sony CRF-1 Service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dmhtg$ck8@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

>Complete photocopy of service manual with circuit board layouts and
>pictorials. $30 + $2 shipping to lower 48 States.

578. WTB-Shortwaves & Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dmhpv$ck8@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168203
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk

>Looking for the following specific units, or what have you:
>
>Panasonic RF-9000 large table top shortwave radio
>
>Phillips AE-3905 copmact portable digital shortwave receiver
>
>Sony WA-8000 or 8800 portable shortwave w/built-in cassette
>
>Sony SW-100s
>
>Sony SW-1s; even without the accessory kit, which I already have.
>
>Shinwa SR-001 mobile scanning receiver w/remote control
>
>Kenwood RZ-1 mobile scanning receiver
>
>ESKA - Any of their hand held or portable scanning receivers
>
>Please e-mail with description. condition, and price of your item.
>If you are in the UK, I have friends that can pick up the item on my
>behalf. I'm located in California.

579. Radio Shack scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John McCoy Jr <jbjr@itol.com>
Message-ID: <34FEC9C4.336F@itol.com>
Source record: 168204

I have a pro 2004 scanner that needs to be repaired where do I send it??? Please e-mail me if you can help me

Thanks JOHN

580. Re: alabama

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Warren Whitby III <wwhitby@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dmj0q$9vr@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168205

James Foster wrote:
>
> need freq's for the birmingham area
> hoover?
> bessemer?
> midfild?
> homewood?
> and others.
> fire/cops/jails

Go to the Birmingham/Jefferson County Frequency Page at
http://members.aol.com/ke4oyn/scanner.html

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Warren Whitby
Trunked Radio Systems Users Page: members.aol.com/wwhitby2/trs.html
Trunked Radio Communications columnist - Scanning USA Magazine
Communications Officer - Maxwell Composite Squadron 01032 CAP
wwhitby@worldnet.att.net
<><

581. Re: alabama

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd481d$1c455840$13dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168206

Jim, Check your mail.
Good Luck & Happy Scanning,
Charlie

James Foster <dartmaster@webtv.net> wrote in article
<6dljqd$3dj$1@newsd-164.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...
> need freq's for the birmingham area
> hoover?
> bessemer?
> midfild?
> homewood?
> and others.
> fire/cops/jails
>
> help and thanks alot
>
> J M Foster
>

582. Re: Mackey Does it Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4821$a845a8a0$13dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168207

George, Put me down for Twenty. Anyone else?
:-)
Charlie

George Vetterle <geovet@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<34fe5725.8069855@nntp.ix.netcom.com>...
> On 4 Mar 1998 20:37:40 -0800, "Charlie Dwenger"
> <cdwenger@hsonline.net> wrote:

> It's sad but true; Mackey's gotten so addled that he can't remember
> anything. Maybe we can take up a collection here in rec.radio.scanner
> to pay for a house call from the good Dr. Kevorkian.
>
> I didn't used to believe in euthanasia but poor Mackey has made me
> reconsider. <sniff, sniff>
>
>
> George L. Vetterle
> geovet@ix.netcom.com
> geovet@worldnet.att.net
>
> "Badges? We ain't got no badges!
> We don't need no badges! I don't
> have to show you any stinking badges!"-
> Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
> OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.
>

583. Re: TV TRANSMITTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <6dmm1j$hn0@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 168208

THE expert on HAM TV eauipment is PC Electronics c/o W6ORG, Tom O'Hara,
Arcadia Calif. He has been building and selling ATV (amateur televison)
equipment for over TWENTY YEARS!

de N7AOU/ATV founding president of the Phoenix AZ ATV club (1980).

Bil in Prescott AZ
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Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. Check soc.culture.esperanto
for Esperanto in daily use by folks from dozens of countries.
Dial 1-800-ESPERANTO in the US for more info by mail.

584. Re: IWSTIRN'S REAL IDENTITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kuzen001@acpub.duke.edu
Message-ID: <6dmmal$4cd$1@news.duke.edu>
Source record: 168209

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
: Whatever the "true facts" of the case, Bill Cheek has asked me to stop my
: "campaign of vengeance" against him, and I agreed.

It's about time you quit picking on that poor little dipsnort!

Ya big HARELIP!

Ken Kuzenski AC4RD kuzen001@acpub.duke.edu
jkk@galactose.mc.duke.edu ac4rd@juno.com

All disclaimers apply; this is just MHO, not Duke's

585. More Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner from Sprint Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sharon Hines <sharonhi@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34FEED83.5EB8@erols.com>
Source record: 168210
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

More rogue cancels in rec.radio.scanner from John Mackey at Sprint Net!!!

NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31 IP address resolves to:

sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net.

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The following post was cancelled by John Mackey atn Sprint Net from
the Portland, OR dialup POP

NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31 IP address resolves to:

sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!peerfeed.ncal.verio.net!207.12.55.133.MISMATCH!ne
ws-peer-west.sprintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Sprint!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-fo
r-mail
From: Cheek haters club <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
Control: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:40:43 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD219B.D31@primenet.com>
References: <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

This is a copy of the original post from that was cancelled!

Subject: Re: More abusive cancels in [alt|rec].radio.scanner
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Date: 1998/02/27
Message-ID: <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
References: <tweekEot7Jx.4A7@netcom.com> <6crvknmsl1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
<34F49AF9.731D@usa.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0

Reply-To: wa7twi@primenet.com
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Organization: Primenet Services for the Internet
X-Posted-By: @206.165.23.58 (wa7twi)
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

John Mackey - KA0SSF lied:
>
> That's true because I would NOT have put a message on the
> Ng with such foul language. I have more respect for the
> NG than that!

You are a liar, but we knew that. I can post over a dozen
examples where your mouth runs off with gratuitous obsenity.

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The following post was cancelled by John Mackey on Sprint Net at
the Portland, OR dialup POP

NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31 IP address resolves to:

sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!nntp3.cerf.net!news.sdsc.edu!newshub.csu.net!news
hub.sdsu.edu!news.sgi.com!news-peer.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.net!newsfeed.internetmci.com!
205.137.196.70!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Control: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>
References: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

This is a copy of the original post from that was cancelled!

Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
From: bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
Date: 1998/03/03
Message-ID: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Cache-Post-Path: wagasa.cts.com!unknown@dt020nd6.san.rr.com
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

References: <34FB4DC4.7E4@somewhere.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
X-CTS-Authuser: bcheek
@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

someone@somewhere.com wrote:

> Most of the posts from "iwstirnm@bigfoot.com" originated from the EPA site
> in the Research Triangle area of NC.

Nice! Damn nice piece of work....even if
you missed the target....which it doesn't
appear you did right now.

Excellent! Good show! Way to go!

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This is a cancel of one of John Mackey's own posts that was cancelled
5 minutes earlier than the Bill Cheek's Post from the same Sprint
Net dialup in Portland, OR!

NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31 IP address resolves to:

sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!newsfeed.direct.ca!news-peer-west.sp
rintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Sprint!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34FB4FB1.2568@usa.net>
Control: cancel <34FB4FB1.2568@usa.net>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 00:59:46 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD1802.2E37@usa.net>
References: <34FB4FB1.2568@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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586. Fire/Rescue/EMS Agency Info Profiles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rifdinfo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305172200.MAA13101@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168211

Need info on that Fire, Rescue, or EMS agency??

Let us create an information profile for you.

Profile includes Station Info(units,locations), apparatus info, and radio frequencies and codes.

Price $20

We have FDNY, Providence FD, and Boston FD Ready to go.

E-Mail us at RI FD Info@aol.com

587. Austin Texas Area Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Summers <bmxphoto@onr.com>
Message-ID: <6dmmm2$o45$1@news.onr.com>
Source record: 168212

Any Austinites interested in sharing local frequency databases?

588. Re: Bearcat SC-150 Question??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: DerrikS@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dmkqg$4m3$1@newsd-163.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168213

I'm looking for more memory and coverage.

589. new law passed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave kay <arrowroof@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4873$077ccbe0$2d0dd8cd@arrsat>
Source record: 168214

it is now illegal to convert scanners to cell freqs.

law passed today.

590. A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ira Chineson <irac@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dmqgj$fd0@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168215

WASHINGTON (AP) ï¿½ The House decisively passed a measure Thursday to make it illegal for people to use scanners to intentionally eavesdrop on cellular phone calls.

By a 414-1 vote, the House approved a bill that would prohibit people from modifying scanners to "intentionally intercept or divulge the content of radio communications.'' The bill, which would clarify and expand current prohibitions, would also eliminate the current $2,000 cap on penalties for violations.

The bill arose after a Florida couple used a scanner to listen and tape-record a 1996 cellular telephone conversation that Rep. John Boehner, R-Ohio, was having with House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., and House Majority Leader Dick Armey, R-Texas.

"Little did I know that my words and my expressions were being recorded and end up as part of public relations campaign to try to destroy the speaker,'' Boehner, No. 4 in the GOP leadership, said during House debate.

The tape made its way from Florida to the House ethics committee and was published by The New York Times.

"I speak from personal experience about the outrage and sense of powerlessness one feels when they learn that their expectation of privacy has been destroyed,'' Boehner said.

In addition to restrictions on individuals trying to eavesdrop, the bill
would also extend current restrictions on scanner manufacturers to prohibit new machines that would intercept new conversations on the new generation of digital cellular telephones. And it would extend the Federal Communications Commission's ability to investigate and enforce violations.

The bill's sponsor, Rep. Bill Tauzin, R-La., said it would expand the right to privacy in the digital age.

"We in government ought to do everything we can to protect that expectation of privacy. That is what this bill is about,'' he said.

The Senate has not yet passed a similar bill.

591. Can Pro-46 with Date Code 5A4 take cell mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nakman8@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305183700.NAA17338@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168216

I heard that 4- 94 was the cut off date for cell mods.
Has anyone tried mod to a radio with date code past this date?
Don't want to do the surgery if its a waste of time.

Please E-mail with response.

Thanks, Dennis

592. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Duff <td@pixar.com>
Message-ID: <34FEEC33.1CFB@pixar.com>
Source record: 168217
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hank Hampton wrote:
> >I had to enter a bogus address into the Netscape mail program to post
> >to newsgroups.
>
> Note this last sentence. John clearly admits using a bogus e-mail.
> Now....let's snip away to the end here....
>
> >I never gave any fraudulent address. I always stated I did not have
> >an e-mail address!
>
> Are you on drugs, Mackey?

Does your father know you're using his netnews account, little boy?

If you really don't know know the meanings of
`bogus' and `fraudulent', then you're an idiot.
If you do know the difference, and you're deliberately
baiting Mr. Mackey, you're a scumsucker.

`Bogus' means `wrong, not corresponding to any actual situation'.
`Fraudulent' means `intended to deceive.'

If I said `Remember last week when you admitted you were a
moron on the CBS Evening News?' that would be bogus. It wouldn't
be fraudulent, because only an idiot would think that I intended
people to believe it.

Same thing here.

593. MDT kicks ass

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: MDTman <rhundt@fcc.gov>
Message-ID: <34FEF3FC.6CD4@fcc.gov>
Source record: 168218

This is for any losers out there not using mdtw1234:

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FISHERMAN'S SA447. 6 044 TRANSPORT
SA578- SD373. 094 WHISKEY
CREEKï¿½ï¿½ï¿½uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.I..J 343 . 066 353 + 22D
51 001 000703 FISHERMAN'S 363 - 22D 51 000 000703 FISHERMAN'S
SA447. 6 044 TRANSPORT SA578-
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HERMAN'S 363 - 22D 51 000 000703 FISHERMAN'S SA447. 6 044
TRANSPORT SA578- 000
SD373. 094 WHISKEY CREEKï¿½ï¿½ï¿½uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.hBï¿½TX H .*** Console: 09
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- 018 313A . 024
323 . 6 017 10-42 333 :
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10-42 333 : 042
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53-ALARM .8024487 03/04 D: 21:26:30 C: 21:38:25. PALM
BEACH BL/PALMETTO AV . 52-REQUEST OFFICER

.8024473 03/04 D: 20:59:58 C: 21:19:45. 1971 FRENCH S
. 14-Fï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.Y.ï¿½ï¿½ NAME
STAUDER,SCOTT P#
PORTABLE NAME
RIDERï¿½ï¿½pï¿½uï¿½.Fï¿½ï¿½ï¿½..Ç□ï¿½TX H . 37-DISTURBANCE
.8024386 03/04 D: 17:46:27 C: 18:14:48. 3800 MICHIGAN
AV . 04-TRAFFIC ACCIDENT .8024375
03/04 D: 17:20:07 C: 17:29:25. SECOND ST/EVANS AV .
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: TYPE: 22D BLD: APT:
10 ADDR: 000703 FISHERMAN'S WHARF XST : 711
FISHERMAN'S W HARF CNAM: KOSSICK, IRENE
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REPLY.NO HIT QV.LIC/SHM94N.LIY/98 NO.RECORD LIC/SHM94N -- END --
ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½uï¿½.Fï¿½ï¿½TX H . TRAFFIC STOP .8024063 03/04 D:
00:22:02 C: 00:38:46. FIRSï¿½ ST/CRANFORD AV .
TRAFFIC
.----------.8024055 03/03 D: 23:46:23 C:
23:52:34. P.ï¿½.....uï¿½.Fï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.I...AULDO0ST/WILLARD S . TRAFFIC
STOP .8024022 03/03 D: 22:11:26 C: 22:38:18.
4224 MICHIGAN AV . 37-DISTURBANCE
.8024017 03/03 D: 21:57:14 C: 22:07:52ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½. Bï¿½ï¿½.INC :
LSO980304038795 TM: 2332 LOC :
TYPE:
22D BLD: APT: 10 ADDR: 000703 FISHERMAN'S
WHARF XST : 711 FISHERMAN HARF CNAM: KOSSICK,
IRENE jï¿½.....#.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½.Fï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.i..ï¿½4
JEANIE LN . 37-DISTURBANCE .8023999
03/03 D: 21:22:33 C: 21:34:57. BUS BARN ON FORD ST .
TRAFFIC STOP .8023986 03/03 D: 20:57:53 C:
21:12:56ï¿½ï¿½uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½. Bï¿½ï¿½TX H .INC : LSO980304038795 TM: 2332 LOC
: TYPE: 22D BLD: APT: 10 ADDR:
000703 FISHERMAN'S WHARF XST : 711 FISHERMAN'S W
HARF CNAM: KOSSICK, IRENE jï¿½.....uï¿½.Fï¿½ï¿½ï¿½...@ï¿½0
PECK ST . ADMIN .8023965
03/03 D: 19:59:31 C: 20:39:40. 1115 MARSH AV .
04-TRAFFIC ACCIDENT .8023960 03/03 D: 19:50:15 C:
21:42:41ï¿½.uï¿½.Fï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½.Fï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.I.&ï¿½7 HIGH ST
. 35-CHECK UP REQUEST .8023913 03/03 D: 17:46
:19 C: 18:21:40. 4175 PALM BEACH BL . TRAFFIC
STOP .8023904 03/03 D: 17:30:00 C:
17:39:25_.....#.ï¿½ï¿½>ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.xB.□TX H .23:39:27
Complete Message Sentï¿½ï¿½ï¿½uï¿½#.ï¿½ï¿½>ï¿½.....uï¿½.Uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.hÇ□ï¿½TX H .8024546
UNIT A24 .2210 PECK ST .2047 HENDRY
ST/BROADWAY .23:25 INFORMATION

.R/ .H/ TP LN
HT .ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½_ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½. Bï¿½ï¿½TX H .INC
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FISHERMAN'S W HARF CNAM: KOSSICK, IRENE
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FISHERMAN'S W HARF CNAM: KOSSICK, IRENE
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BEDROOM (04MMarea i.N HOUINDOW - MALENSID.E (04MMON - 4
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MAP: PU: 353 STATUS:
A ZONE: 35
RPTNUM:ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½cï¿½uï¿½.R0ï¿½.....#.ï¿½#ï¿½s.....uï¿½ï¿½#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.`Bï¿½.
UFO 0 uï¿½ï¿½#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.y.ï¿½ï¿½ NAME
COLLINS,TERRY P#
PORTABLE NAME ï¿½
RIDERï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.9..o CADD: 000703 FISHERMAN'S WHAR F
MAP: PU: 353 STATUS:
A ZONE: 35
RPTNUM:ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½cï¿½#.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.9..o CADD: 000703 FISHERMAN'S
WHAR F MAP: PU: 353 STATUS: A ZONE:
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pï¿½Ò¤.980 4 23394 2339 DMVR REH/LIC/PART RESPONV.LIC/UGP=4C.LIS/FL DHSMV
RECORD -.LIC/UGP94C . . UGP94C.1G3HY6938GW430460 OLDS 4D127 .JUGGER
MARY - COLOR: BRO 413 BALTIMORE.AVE FT MYERS FL 33905-0000 COUNTY
REï¿½".....uï¿½.Uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½....ï¿½ .ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....T
STAT.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....
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X
H .MESSAGE FROM DIS1(6456), SENT 03/04/98.23:43:07.YES HE DID
VACATION.....
ï¿½Fï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½."□.ï¿½.Y.<ï¿½MBW)
SIG 0 IN VEH.. REQUESTING BACK .UP TO STEP IT UP
(01MBW).H/
.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½.Sï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½.4Ð¶ï¿½.@ï¿½p.TX L .980 4 234356 0040
0304 2343 DHSMV REPLY.VEH/LIC/PART RESPONSE .QD.OLN/P412540686790
.P-412-540-68-679-0 MALISA,,PHILLIPS .359 FAIRVIEW AVE FORT MYERS FL
33916 .TY
PE LIC: CLASS E OPERATOR DOB:.05/19/68 HT: 504 RACE: B SEX: F
CURRENT.Lï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½.Sï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½.4Ð¶ï¿½.Y.&ï¿½CENSE ISSUED:
04/05/1996 EXPIRES :.05/19/2002 SOC SEC:261656445 LICENSE.NOT VALID - DO

NOT ISSUE 30 DAY PERMIT . 11/18/97 SUSP-INDEF FAILED TO PAY.TRAFFIC
FINE(PENALTY) 820117T CO:18+?ï¿½uï¿½.4Ð¶ï¿½.hï¿½ï¿½ï¿½TX L ..CT:1 END OF DDL/DHSMV
RESPONSE PAGE:.01 OF 01
ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½>uï¿½.Sï¿½ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½ï¿½4.:TX H
.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½..BT.TX H .23:45:03 Complete Message
Sentï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Gï¿½uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½..BT.TX H .23:45:03 Complete Message
Sentï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Gï¿½#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½..u4ï¿½...ï¿½ï¿½TX H .NEW EVENT INFO - USE
RECALL DISPATCH COMMANDï¿½
ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#..Rï¿½Y.....#.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½u.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.
Bï¿½ï¿½TX H .UNIT STATUS FOR AREA UNIT F TYPE ST
TM.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½W+ï¿½.9.Aï¿½ 143 - 004
153 . 036 163 -
033 164 - 009 N03
- 146 S
A859- 008ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....#.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½u.....uï¿½..u4ANDï¿½
ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.9.Aï¿½ 143 -
004 153 . 036 163
- 033 164 -
009 N03 - 146
SA859- 008ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.HBvï¿½TX H .UNIT STATUS FOR
AREA UNIT F TYPE ST
TM.....ï¿½.PGï¿½A/HOWAR.....uï¿½.R0ï¿½.l.ï¿½VS D21 EN
ORTIZ/HOWARD TRAFFIC S A22 EN ORTIZ/HOWARD TRAFFIC S
D22 OS 2325 CRAWFORD ST 29-PROWLE A23 OS 2325 CRAWFORD ST
29-PROWLE A24 EN 2210 PECK ST 14-INFORM D31 OS CLEVELAND
AV/CANAL BREAK ï¿½J.....NADO RD 37.....uï¿½.R0ï¿½.i.ï¿½uS
C509 AV STA
AV 402 AV
K2 EN 1914 CORONADO RD 37-DISTUR 550 OS DR M L KING BL/CRA
TRAFFIC S 901 AV
ï¿½ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....
....uï¿½..u4.ENROï¿½CESS FT
M14ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½|ï¿½.
Bï¿½ï¿½TX . . DISPATCH NOTIFICATION TYPE: 44 INC:
LSO980304038798 ADDR: 13324 PINTO LN BLDG:
APT: ZONE: 42 LOC :
XST1: 8690 DANIELS PKWY xï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½|ï¿½. Bï¿½ï¿½TX .
. DISPATCH NOTIFICATION TYPE: 44 INC:
LSO980304038798 ADDR: 13324 PINTO LN BLDG:
APT: ZONE: 42 LOC :
XST1: 8690 DANIELS PKWY xï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½|ï¿½.9./R
XST2: TM : 2345 PREM:
MAP: DISP: 443 _____ _____ _____ _____ CNAME:
GULSBY ANTHONY CADDR:
CPHN : 9417680147[ï¿½#.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....#.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½#.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.PB@.TX
H .UNIT
SD787 INC# TYPE ST TIME
LOCATION 23
35 ORG/HAN VEH 6 2334 ORG/HAN

VAR 2334 ORG/HAN VAR 2232 SIG42S
NORT ^uuï¿½ï¿½ï¿½|ï¿½.9./R XST2: TM :
2345 PREM: MAP: DISP: 443 _____ _____ _____
_____ CNAME: GULSBY ANTHONY :
CPHN : 9417680147[ï¿½#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½|ï¿½.@BÑ□TX . .*443*13324 PINTO
LN p& XNIELS PKWY 10-25 WITH COMP REF TOHIS NEIGHBOR AT
1ST HOUSE ON LEF T ON PINTO SHOOTING SIG 44 COMP ADVS HIS DOG WENT
DOWN INTO SUBJS YARD+ THEN HEARD SIG 44 + DOG IS BACK HOME AND 10-4
COï¿½.uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.PB@.TX H .UNIT SD787 INC#
TYPE ST TIME LOCATION 2335 ORG/HAN
VEH 6 2334 ORG/HAN VAR 2334
ORG/HAN VAR 2232 SIG42S NORT
^u.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½|ï¿½.@BÑ□TX . .*443*13324 PINTO LN
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T ON PINTO SHOOTING SIG 44 COMP ADVS HIS DOG WENT DOWN INTO SUBJS
YARD+ THEN HEARD SIG 44 + DOG IS BACK HOME AND 10-4
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NEIGHBOR AT 1ST HOUSE ON LEF T ON PINTO SHOOTING SIG 44 COMP ADVS HIS
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AND 10-4 COï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½_ï¿½ï¿½.i.Ø□
XST2: TM : 2345 PREM:
MAP: DISP: S03 _____ _____ _____ _____ CNAME:
GULSBY ANTHONY CADDR:
CPHN : 94176801470.ï¿½....ï¿½L SHOWEIGHBOuï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.PB@.TX H .UNIT
SD787 INC# TYPE ST TIME
LOCATION 2335 ORG/HAN VEH
6 2334 ORG/HAN VAR 2334 ORG/HAN
VAR 2232 SIG42S NORT
^u.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.i.ï¿½ï¿½ 8 2151
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TROTWï¿½ï¿½□T#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.pBs5TX H .UNIT
SD787 INC# TYPE ST TIME
LOCATION 038682 34 97 2000 10451 TROTW 038682 34
51 1958 10451 TROTW .....#.ï¿½'ï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½'..ï¿½.pï¿½ï¿½ï¿½TX H .D81
AV A82 AV 1019
A83 AV 1019 D11 OS ORTIZ/HOWARD
TRAFFIC S A12 OS 481 MARSH AV TRAFFIC S A19 EN
ORTIZ/HOWARD TRAFFIC
.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½'..ï¿½..Ç□ï¿½TX H
.D32 OS CLEVELAND AV/LINHA 35-CHECK A33 OS 1914 CORONADO RD
37-DISTUR A42 OS COURTNEY DR/CLEVEL 04-TRAFFI D42 OS 1914
CORONADO RD 37-DISTUR A43 AV C506
OS ORTIZ/HOWARD TRAFFIC .ï¿½.....uï¿½.R0ï¿½..ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½TX L .980 4
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014 0304 2349 DMVR REPLY.VEH/LIC/PART RESPONSE .QXEQ45M.LIY/98 DHSMV

RECORD -.LIC/XEQ45M ï¿½ . XEQ45M.JS3JC51C9H4180876 SUZI SW 87 02100
.RUTTERBUSH PAUL C COLOR: WHI 7837.EBSON DRIVE N FT MYERS FL
33917-6216.COUNï¿½ï¿½#.ï¿½ï¿½_ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½|ï¿½.hBï¿½ï¿½TX H .23:50:06 Complete
Message Sentï¿½ï¿½ï¿½QeDECAL /12/98.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½..Bï¿½ï¿½TX H .23:50:08 UNIT
SD788 IS NOT ON DUTYï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....TX H .UNIT0 FOR
I#.ï¿½ï¿½_ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½'..ï¿½.8ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½TX H .MRT1 OS 2210 PECK ST
15-SPECIA MRT2 OS 2210 PECK ST 15-SPECIA S1 OS 3984
CENTRAL AV 15-SPECIA 888 AV
END OF TRANSMISSIONï¿½ï¿½P.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½|ï¿½.hBï¿½ï¿½TX H .23:50:06 Complete
Message Sentï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Qeuï¿½ï¿½uï¿½v.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½..Bï¿½ï¿½TX H .23:50:08 UNIT
SD788 IS NOT ON
DUTYï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....#.ï¿½ï¿½_ï¿½.....#.ï¿½ï¿½;L.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.9.Aï¿½
143 - 008 153 .
040 163 - 038 164
- 013 N03 - 151
SA859- 013ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½5ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.HBvï¿½TX H .UNIT STATUS
FOR AREA UNIT F TYPE ST
TM.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.HBvï¿½TX H .UNIT STATUS FOR
AREA UNIT F TYPE ST
TM.....#.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.PB@.TX H . UNIT
INFO UNIT SD787 STATUS 6
TYPE INC# 000000 LOC ORG/HAN VEH
MAIN AREA NTH VEHICLE P#
787 PORTABLE g2.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Wï¿½ï¿½.i.%. NAME
WHITEHURST,KENNETH P#
PORTABLE NAME
RIDERï¿½ï¿½Qï¿½#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½|ï¿½.xBï¿½<TX H .*** Console: 10 DATE:
03/04/98 UIME: 23:51:14 CODE: D10 *** (X6 SS UNIFORM MANT. ILL B X8
4 CRS)10-4 5683Ú□.....uï¿½../ï¿½ï¿½.y..ï¿½ D21 AV A22 OS
ORTIZ/HOWARD TRAFFIC S D22 A23
AV A24 OS 2210 PECK ST 14-INFORM
D31 OS
CLEVELAND AV/CANAL BR ï¿½ï¿½uï¿½../ï¿½ï¿...lï¿½S C509
AV 402 AV
K2 OS 1914 CORONADO RD 37-DISTUR 550 OS DR M L KING BL/CRA
TRAFFIC S 901 AV MRT1 OS 2210 PECK
ST 15-SPECIA
ï¿½~ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#..4eï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½)zï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....
#.ï¿½)ï¿½0.....uï¿½.4Ð¶ï¿½.xÇ4TX
H .8024554 UNIT A12 .481 MARSH AV .4250 PALM
BEACH BL/4199 EDGEWOOD AV .23:41
.R/TOWED ON 03/30/97 Timer reset on unit. A12 at 23:49:53.H/ EC
HT
.qï¿½#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#..t.$.....uï¿½ï¿½)zï¿½.hBï¿½ï¿½.....#...ï¿½E.....uï¿½.sï¿½
Ô□.hï¿½ï¿½ï¿½TX
L .FROM D22 AGENCY FMPD.23:57 03/04/98.TO UNIT D21 AGENCY FMPD.U GOT A
EYE GLASS KIT ??ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Tuï¿½../ï¿½ï¿½.8ï¿½jï¿½TX H .MESSAGE
SENT.ï¿½ï¿½.2uï¿½...Ã©.Pï¿½ï¿½ï¿½TX
H OS 33 OS 1914 CORONADO RD 37-DISTUR A42

OS COURTNEY DRL 04-TRAFFI D42 OS 1914
CORONADO RD 37-DISTUR A43 AV C506 OS
ORTIZ/HOWARD TRAFFIC ï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½)zï¿½.hBï¿½ï¿½TX H .*** Console: 12
DATE: 03/04/98 TIME: 23:53:39 CODE: D12 *** (NO PROB NOTHIN GIN IN
THERE ANYWAY)I GOT SOMETHING FORU TO HEAR ON MY TAPE...I THINK HE WAS
TALKING ABOUT Uï¿½ï¿½.ï¿½uï¿½.t.ï¿½ï¿½..ï¿½..TX H .D81 AV
`9 AAV 1019 A83 AV
1019 D11 OS ORTIZ/HOWARD TRAFFIC S A12
OS 481 MARSH AV TRAFFIC S A19 AV
ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½.dUï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#..sj.....uï¿½.sï¿½Ô□.xï¿½.ï¿½TX
H .MESSAGE
SENT.ï¿½ï¿½.2#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#..Vï¿½ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½.V.ï¿½ï¿½.hï¿
½ï¿½TX
L .980 4 235502 0040 0304 2355 NCIC REPLY.VEH/LIC/PART RESPONSE
.QV.VIN/1G1AZ37KXBR415286 NO RECORD.VIN/ 1G1AZ37KXBR415286 -- END --
ï¿½f.....#.ï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.pBs5TX H .UNIT STATUS FOR
AREA UNIT F TYPE ST TM.....uï¿½.V.ï¿½ï¿½..ï¿½.TTX L
.980 4 235503 0042 0304 2355 DMVR REPLY.VEH/LIC/PART RESPONSE
.QV.VIN/1G1AZ37KXBR415286 DHSMV RECORD.- VIN/1G1AZ37KXBR415286. VIN
REC#: 01.K9590M 1AZ37KXBR415286 CHEV 2D 81 03245. SALAZAR FIDENCIO -
COLOR: RED 4510.GREENWOOD FT MYERS-ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½...c. 343
. 005 353 + 22D 4 uï¿½."□.ï¿½.xï¿½.ï¿½TX L
.FROM C509 AGENCY FMPD.23:59 03/04/98.TO UNIT D11 AGENCY FMPD.56 IN A
FEW??ï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½.Fï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.(ï¿½ï¿½{TX H .MESSAGE SENT.ï¿½.2uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½...c.
343 . 005 353 + 22D 4 009 10-12
W/MALE HALF 363 - 22D 4 009 000703 FISHERMAN'S SA447. 6
013 TRANSPORT SA578. 21V 51 001 WINN DIXIE
SD373. 113 WHISKEY CREEKï¿½yï¿½uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½..Buï¿½TX H .UNIT STATUS FOR
AREA UNIT F TYPE ST TM.....uï¿½../ï¿½ï¿½.hï¿½ï¿½ï¿½TX L
.FROM D21 AGENCY FMPD.23:59 03/04/98.TO UNIT D22 AGENCY FMPD.U DONT WEAR
GLASSESï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#..Pï¿½.....uï¿½.P"Ç□.xï¿½iuTX H
. WAITING CALLS.1830 MARAVILLA AV.108
. 35B-PARKING LOT/AREA CHECK 00:21.878 00:21:54 PARKIN 1830
MARAVIL 173 ..
ETRANSMISSIONï¿½ï¿½ï¿½#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#..Pï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½.P"Ç□.Hï¿½ï¿½.TX
H .MRT2 OS 2210 PECK ST 15-SPECIA S1 OS 3984 CENTRAL AV
15-SPECIA 888 AV ***END OF
TRANSMISSION***ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....uï¿½.sï¿½Ô□.(ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½TX L .FROM D22 AGENCY
FMPD.00:00 03/05/98.TO UNIT D21 AGENCY FMPD.DINT U SAY U HAD A TINY
SCREWDRIVERï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½../ï¿½ï¿½..ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½TX L .FROM D21
AGENCY FMPD.00:01 03/05/98.TO UNIT D22 AGENCY
FMPD.YES-51ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½..#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#..ïï¿½ï¿½.....#..!ï¿½.....uï¿½.!ï¿½&ï¿½.xG.ï¿½TX
H .AVAILABLE IN QUARTERS -
SUCCESSFULï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½l.....#.ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½,ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.8Bcï¿½TX H .UNIT
STATUS FOR AREA UNIT F TYPE ST
TM.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....#..t.ï¿½.....#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½f.....uï¿½ï¿½#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.XB@ï¿½TX
H .UNIT STATUS FOR AREA ï¿½ UNIT F TYPE ST
TM.....uï¿½.t.ï¿½ï¿½.Xï¿½ZVTX H . WAITING CALLS.1830
MARAVILLA AV.108. 35B-PARKING

LOT/AREA CHEC 00:24.878 00:24:06 PARKIN 1830 MARAVIL 173 ..
END0OF TRANSMISSIONï¿½ï¿½.uï¿½ï¿½#ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½.XB@ï¿½TX H .UNIT STATUS FOR
AREA UNIT F TYPE ST TMuï¿½...ï¿½TX L .FROM A42 AGENCY
FMPD.00:02 03/05/98.TO UNIT A43 AGENCY
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.COLOR:.[4o___.[1o/.[4o___.[1o .[15bMAKE:.[0o____.[1o.
.REMARKS:.[0o_.[71b.[1o
.ERROR.[0o_.[33b.[1o.[3;5Hï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½#.ï¿½ï¿½/ï¿½.....uï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½/ï¿½.PB@.TX .
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APT: ZONE: LOC : REYNOLDS/OLD 41/BLK VEH
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OR ALL)
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35B-PARKI **
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Data Collected on 2 at 03-05-1998 00:05:53

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BL : .1999 HENDERSON AV/CARVER ST .00:06
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594. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6dmuv8$10co$1@uni.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 168219

Ira Chineson (irac@worldnet.att.net) wrote:
: WASHINGTON (AP) &#65533; The House decisively passed a measure
: <...>
: The Senate has not yet passed a similar bill.

So this is _not_ law until the senate passes a similar bill and the differences are hammered out in committee...

Is there a senate version floating around?

595. Bearcat 220xlt mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich <nospam@thanks.com>
Message-ID: <01bd485c$d484b560$0100007f@nw1564>
Source record: 168220

Does anyone know of any mods for the BC220XLT, such as more memory, or better coverage, or just hidden features:)

thanks in advance
Rich

596. antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: lurker@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <34FF0773.2D53@bigfoot.com>
Source record: 168221

Greeting all, I'm new to scanning and I want to buy a HF antenna. A friend recommended the McKay Dymek DA-100E. I saw an ad in Monitoring Times for the H800 Skymatch, it is about $100.00 cheaper. I am a believer in the " You get what you pay for" theory. Does anyone have any input as to which antenna I should get? Thanks for the help.

597. Re: new law passed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6dmugf$9n8@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 168222
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

"dave kay" (arrowroof@hotmail.com) writes:
> it is now illegal to convert scanners to cell freqs.
>
> law passed today.

Huh!! What happened the the Electronics Communications Privacy Act of 1986? (ECPA) and the April 1994 ammendment to it? The ECPA made it illegal to monitor cell (and other services)or to sell scanners that could monitor cell phone. The April 1994 Ammendment added cordless phones and other services to the original law, plus that made it illegal to sell scanners that could be modded to get the "restricted frequencies"

So what's the big deal, it has already been illegal in the USofA for over 10 years?

Up here in Canada we have NO RESTRICTIONS on what we monitor, but we are by law prevented to divulge what we heard, or to use what we heard for personal gain.
Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

"Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

598. Re: SEEKING A QUALITY THROAT MICROPHONE MANUFACTURER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold Lines <hlines@indirect.comxyzabc>
Message-ID: <6dn205$3u1$1@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 168223
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

My company bought some communications devices for our Fire Department called "Loud Mouth." They are basically just an audio amplifier with speaker, volume control, and on-off switch that mounts on the fireman's belt so that he can be heard at a noisy fire scene. The belt unit attached to a throat microphone with a coiled cord. The connector on the end of the cord was a type "F" (I think) - same as a cable TV coaxial connector, and you can buy adapters for those. The microphone itself was attached to a curved piece of spring steel that holds the mic against your larynx. I was surprised that the throat mic could reproduce the spoken word so well, and you didn't have to talk very loud to make it work. But the company was looking for ways that a fireman could communicate on the radio while wearing a self contained breathing apparatus, and they finally decided to use a different method (so I picked up the old units that they were going to throw away).

You can probably find the manufacturer of the Loud Mouth, if it's still made, advertised in magazines that cater to Fire Department personnel.

Boy, your web site takes a long time to load!

- Harold

TACTICAL-COMMAND wrote in message <6dkumt$bpa@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>...
>We are in the final stages of our development of a Throat Microphone System
>(for tactical applications). Thus far, we have been unable to find a
>quality Throat Microphone that will suit our specifications.
>
>Anyone with experience in this area of communications should contact us @
>TacticalCommand@pemail.net .
>
>You may view a mechanical drawing of our kit at
>http://www2.netcom.com/~bumper09/tactical.html
>
>Kindly,
>TACTICAL COMMAND
>
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>

599. Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsmith22@aol.com
Message-ID: <3500ff7f.1320031@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168224
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

This is rather vague, but the actions taken here could be on either
the transmitter end or the receiver. It really doesn't specify.

Hopefully more will develop on this soon.

WASHINGTON, March 5 (UPI) - The House (Thursday) voted 414-1 to pass
a bill to strengthen privacy protections for wireless telephone users.
The legislation was proposed after a Florida couple intercepted and
taped a car phone conference call between House Speaker Newt Gingrich
and other members of the Republican leadership.

600. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <34fffb99.322468@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 10:17:23 -0800, Tom Duff wrote:

>Hank Hampton wrote:
>> >I had to enter a bogus address into the Netscape mail program to post
>> >to newsgroups.
>>
>> Note this last sentence. John clearly admits using a bogus e-mail.
>> Now....let's snip away to the end here....
>>
>> >I never gave any fraudulent address. I always stated I did not have
>> >an e-mail address!
>>
>> Are you on drugs, Mackey?
>
>Does your father know you're using his netnews account, little boy?

How long you and Mackey been licking each other, you whiney bitch ?

>
>If you really don't know know the meanings of
>`bogus' and `fraudulent', then you're an idiot.

Are you going to throw some lame dictionary definitions
at me? Or are you going to accept the words for their
common and practical usage?

>you're a scumsucker.

Guess the only difference between what you *think* I am and
what you ARE is one lonely "s".

>
>`Bogus' means `wrong, not corresponding to any actual situation'.
>`Fraudulent' means `intended to deceive.'

Care to show how this is even remotely relevant to Mackey's statement?

What crawled up your ass today? Or was there no room with Johnny being there
and all?

>
>If I said `Remember last week when you admitted you were a
>moron on the CBS Evening News?' that would be bogus. It wouldn't
>be fraudulent, because only an idiot would think that I intended
>people to believe it.

And an idiot would take you to the cleaners in court if you thought for 1 second you could make such statements and get away with it.

What a friggin moron you are. It's no wonder you share the same delusional thought patterns as loose mind Mackey does.

Looks like YOU'RE the one who enjoys posting flame bait crap.

If you're gonna make another 1/2 assed attempt at correcting something I say, at least get some minuscule portion of it right, will ya pal?

601. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6dmv4o$9u4@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 168226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Ira Chineson (irac@worldnet.att.net) writes:
> WASHINGTON (AP) • The House decisively passed a measure
> Thursday to make it illegal for people to use scanners to
> intentionally eavesdrop on cellular phone calls.

This has been illegal since the Electronics Communications Privacy Act of 1986
So Congress passed a law making it illegal do do something that is already
illegal... YOUR Tax dollars at work!!!

> By a 414-1 vote, the House approved a bill that would prohibit
> people from modifying scanners to "intentionally intercept or
> divulge the content of radio communications.'' The bill, which
> would clarify and expand current prohibitions, would also eliminate
> the current $2,000 cap on penalties for violations.

It was illegal to sell scanners that could be modified to get cell freqs
in the 1994 Ammendments to the ECPA (1986).

> The bill arose after a Florida couple used a scanner to listen and
> tape-record a 1996 cellular telephone conversation that Rep. John
> Boehner, R-Ohio, was having with House Speaker Newt Gingrich,
> R-Ga., and House Majority Leader Dick Armey, R-Texas.

The Florida couple were charged under the ECPA, so the law was already
in place.

> "Little did I know that my words and my expressions were being
> recorded and end up as part of public relations campaign to try to
> destroy the speaker,'' Boehner, No. 4 in the GOP leadership, said
> during House debate.
>
> The tape made its way from Florida to the House ethics committee
> and was published by The New York Times.
>
> "I speak from personal experience about the outrage and sense of
> powerlessness one feels when they learn that their expectation of
> privacy has been destroyed,'' Boehner said.
>
> In addition to restrictions on individuals trying to eavesdrop, the
> bill would also extend current restrictions on scanner manufacturers to
> prohibit new machines that would intercept new conversations on
> the new generation of digital cellular telephones. And it would
> extend the Federal Communications Commission's ability to
> investigate and enforce violations.

In the ECPA it is illegal to monitor "digitally encryted" sources, which
the PCS phones are, so again it already is illegal.

> The bill's sponsor, Rep. Bill Tauzin, R-La., said it would expand
> the right to privacy in the digital age.
>
> "We in government ought to do everything we can to protect that
> expectation of privacy. That is what this bill is about,'' he said.
>
> The Senate has not yet passed a similar bill.

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(ECPA) and the April 1994 ammendment to it? The ECPA made it illegal to
monitor cell (and other services)or to sell scanners that could monitor
cell phone. The April 1994 Ammendment added cordless phones and other
services to the original law, plus that made it illegal to sell scanners
that could be modded to get the "restricted frequencies" You should
pay attention to another bill that will make it illegal to monitor almost
everything else. Monitoring Times (http://www.grove.com) and Popular
Communications magazines has covered the new Bill's in detail. In simple
terms it covers most of the radio comm spectrum...

So what's the big deal, it has already been illegal in the USofA for over
10 years?

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by law prevented to divulge what we heard, or to use what we heard for
personal gain.
Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

"Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

602. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: billspang@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305202500.PAA01213@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168227

>Brent Corbin said:

>So this is _not_ law until the senate passes a similar bill and the
>differences are hammered out in committee...
>
>Is there a senate version floating around?

You can bet that there will be and it will pass, and the Prez will sign it.....then Butch Reno is going to send an M1-A tank to every one of our homes and take our scanners. (well, this is at least what they SOBs in DC would like to do)

Bill

[There is] an increasing tendency among modern men to imagine themselves ethical because they have delegated their vices to
larger and larger groups.
-- Dr. Reinhold Neibuhr, 1941

603. Used scanner prices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: derickam@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305204900.PAA04840@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168228

I have been out of the loop for a while I seem to remember a web site that posted used scanner prices but for the life of me I can't find it.(probably looking too hard)

Can anyone point me in the right direction?

THanks in advance.

Derick

604. IRIDIUM Satellite Personal Communications System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ian Robert Walker <Ian@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <qKja2CCB1w$0Ew0v@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 168229
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.cable.tv,alt.radio.scanner,alt.cable-tv

In article <6dkod1$k3g$1@news.ncal.verio.com>, Ed G
<Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com> writes
>>
>>YOU GUYS ARE NOT THINKING! All of these satellite based systems are
>>going to cost far more than any terrestrial system! WAKE UP!
>> MARK LEVIN
>
> Right! Then satellite TV (DSS) won't be able to compete with terrestrial
>systems either? HA HA
>

But sat TV does cost more.
--
Ian Walker G8ILZ on packet as G8ILZ@GB7SRC

I have an IQ of 6 million, | How will it end? | Mostly | Out of cheese
or was it 6? | In fire. | harmless | error

605. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <6dn4ctsca1@quasar.dimensional.com>
Source record: 168230
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In rec.radio.scanner Darrell A. Larose <ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA> wrote:

> Huh!! What happened the the Electronics Communications Privacy Act of 1986?
> (ECPA) and the April 1994 ammendment to it? The ECPA made it illegal to
> monitor cell (and other services)or to sell scanners that could monitor
> cell phone. The April 1994 Ammendment added cordless phones and other
> services to the original law, plus that made it illegal to sell scanners
> that could be modded to get the "restricted frequencies" You should
> pay attention to another bill that will make it illegal to monitor almost
> everything else. Monitoring Times (http://www.grove.com) and Popular
> Communications magazines has covered the new Bill's in detail. In simple
> terms it covers most of the radio comm spectrum...

This *IS* that bill.

The wording of the original "Communications Act of 1934" changes from
"intercept and divulge" to "intercept OR divulge." In other words, if
you are a ute- or milcom monitor, you may be outta buisness. (Well, not
you; your legislators apparantly think. But _we_ are stuck.)

Well, I plan to give the maximum allowable contributions to Mackey and
Tauzin's opponents in the next election. What else would I do with the
money, buy a radio that listens to the 49 meter band exclusively? :-(

--
Eric F. Richards
efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
"The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
- Dilbert

606. Re: Used scanner prices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pturton@niagara.com
Message-ID: <35011511.15254593@news.niagara.com>
Source record: 168231

http://rob.acol.com/radio/scanning/scanprice.html

http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/home.html

Change these prices to Canadian dollars and see what we pay 8*(....just
multiply by 1.45

Cheers & beers,
Paul

derickam@aol.com (Derickam) wrote:

>I have been out of the loop for a while I seem to remember a web site that
>posted used scanner prices but for the life of me I can't find it.(probably
>looking too hard)
>
>Can anyone point me in the right direction?
>
>THanks in advance.
>
>Derick
>

607. Long Live Anarchy!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305213800.QAA12006@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168232

Let's see... .IWStirn is really Bill Ewald; ***John Mackey*** is not the real Mackey, who is **John Mackey**; and Bill Cheek really isn't the ***John Mackey*** who is cancelling posts made by Bill Cheek; and George Vetterle, Hank Hampton and the CB Guy really are Tyler Hansen (but on different days); The only thing we know for sure is that Brian is off whining that this newsgroup is full of meanies.

Hey, people can't we just get along? It's gotten to the point that it is impossible to know who's who and what's what. Anyone want to declare a truce? Nothing ambitious...say 24 hours no one will post anything that does not have anything to do with scanning. Violators will be exposed as people who really are only interested in making trouble and then roundly, universally spat upon or some such thing.

I vote that Saturday, March 7 be Armistice Day. After that, anarchy prevails and we won't bother talking about scanning any more. Okay?

608. aor8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff <nightowl@kellnet.com>
Message-ID: <O7FL.39$tq1.841133@reader1.cleveland.iagnet.net>
Source record: 168233

i need mods for aor8000

nightowl@kellnet.com

609. 900Mhz Walkie Talkie with Telephone Base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cachy@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <6dn6vs$q37@news.microsoft.com>
Source record: 168234

Hi,

Is there're anyone knows where I can purchase a 900Mhz Walkie Talkie (around 2 miles range) that can hook up to a telephone base (Can make phone calls through the telephone set).. ?

Any help is greatly appreciated..

Thanks.

Cachy

610. Re: Austin Texas Area Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4884$ffeac1e0$37dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168235

Mark, Check your mailbox.
Charlie

Mark Summers <bmxphoto@onr.com> wrote in article
<6dmmm2$o45$1@news.onr.com>...
> Any Austinites interested in sharing local frequency databases?

611. Re: Radio Shack scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4885$8963a0e0$37dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168236

John,
Give Bill Cheek an E-mail. bcheek@san.rr.com The best in the biz!
Good Luck,
Charlie

John McCoy Jr <jbjr@itol.com> wrote in article <34FEC9C4.336F@itol.com>...
> I have a pro 2004 scanner that needs to be repaired where do I send
> it??? Please e-mail me if you can help me
>
> Thanks JOHN
>

612. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34ff1f6a.7906673@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168237

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 12:45:27 GMT, thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb Guy)
wrote:

>On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 02:26:30 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
><jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>
>>Once again, BILL CHEEK can find NOTHING REAL to defend himself
>>with so he responds with BULLSHIT like below!
>>
>>How pathetic!
>>
>>
>>Bill Cheek wrote:
>>> No, hermaphrodite Smacksie..... you just got a
>>> case of very sour grapes and a very sore pooper.
>
>You, MACKEY, are the Legal definition of PATHETIC.
>'nuff said.
>

I looked up "pathetic" in my dictionary and it had a picture of John.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

613. Re: James Bacheldor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34ff220c.8581042@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168238

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 01:48:06 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Another forgery, I didn't post it!
>
>:(

Translation: "I didn't do it! Nobody saw me! You can't prove a
thing!

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geovet@worldnet.att.net

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have to show you any stinking badges!"-
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614. Re: FS:PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34ff239e.8983313@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168239

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 01:48:54 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Another forgery, I didn't post it!
>
>:(

I hope Tyler didn't see the post and decide to send you $200 for it.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

615. Re: Those Were the Days- Was:Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@iswt.no-spam.com
Message-ID: <34fdeeba.5217630@news.iswt.com>
Source record: 168325
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 21:11:22 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
wrote:

>jnooney@albany.net wrote:
>
>> > Before 1991, scanning was one friendly,
>> > sociable group, dating back to the mid 70's.
>
>> You done went and got me feeling nostalgic Bill. I can remember sending
>> away for the old RCMA newsletter back in 1986,
>
>Yup, me too. I was CO-038 of the RCMA. Nice
>group before they went snooty and uppity. We
>had a small fun group in the high country of
>Colorado....and even tipped a few Molsons and
>other fruits of the grains, vines, and trees.
>
>> then getting involved
>> with Northeast Scanning News and Les Mattson's crew shortly thereafter.
>> I used to drive 5 hours to NJ every summer for the NESN Picnic. I even
>> hosted the NESN Spring Meeting in NY for a few years (and the associated
>> Friday Night Molson Drinking and Cellular Telephone Monitioring
>> Session). Those were great days. I made a lot of friends through this
>> hobby.
>
>Yeah, and there were a lot of professional people
>in those days....doctors, architects, engineers,
>lawyers, CPA's, as well as the trades and such.
>It was a common arena in which all were kind of
>equals. But something happened..... many of the
>decent people bailed out or went under wraps.
>
>Someone birthed and reared a few placentas and
>called them "John", "Tyler", "Petey", "Hankie",
>and such..... No offense to these guys
>as they probably can't help it, but someone
>should have horsewhipped their parents, and
>maybe even took 'em out and drowned 'em.
>
>> Somehow I think computers helped to ruin this hobby. No one seems to
>> want to take the time for a good old fashioned eyeball meeting anymore.
>

>I think there is a little bit of that still going
>on, but it is a lot less, that's for sure. I don't
>know if that makes the difference, but the thing I
>see is a whole new breed of people who have no regard
>or respect for anything or anyone.
>
>Seems their entire mission in life is to destroy,
>degrade, denigrate, and dump all over everything.
>Take the above mentioned four "offenders", for
>instance.....okay, let's say they're on the money
>and that I am "evil personified" and that they are
>out to do the hobby a favor by doing me in.
>
>Cool. That's fair if they truly believe in their mission.
>
>But......who and what they are AGAINST is one thing.
>The pregnant question is... who and what they are FOR?
>You can't tell. 100% of their posts are vile,
>nasty, and derogatory. They don't support anything,
>especially scanners and scanning. Not a one of the
>four has ever posted anything pertinent, useful, or
>even supportive of scanners and scanning, with possible
>exception of Tyler who used to shoot off his mouth
>about how he tracked and mapped out his local cellular
>system.
>
>Okay....that's on topic....well meant, if not kind of
>ignorant. But Boe, Mackey, and Hampton, not to mention
>that IWSTIRN dude.....absolute zeroes in terms of being
>FOR something. Clearly they're for themselves and
>any honor they hope to achieve by doing me in. Psssst,
>I hate to clue those snakes, but you don't just take
>over someone else's wave. You catch your own and ride
>it all the way in.
>
>And they wonder why I call 'em low-lifes and sleaze.
>
>Hah! They earned their mo nickers......
>
>But anyway.... you've been around....and if you stick
>very long, they'll come after you, too....or their
>proteges... I'm pretty well convinced that a bad seed
>got planted in the radio hobby some time ago and that
>it has sprouted into a stout, pervasive fungus now.
>
>I hope I'm wrong.
>
>+---+
>| Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
>| PO Box 262478 ~ San Diego, CA 92196-2478 |

>| Busn-Voice: (619) 578-9247 (1:30pm-5:30pm, PDT) FAX: anytime |
>| E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
>|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
>| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
>| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
>| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
>+--+
>
some good insight here.

616. Re: Writing BC895 software - any suggestions? (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ziggy <death@bykumba.com>
Message-ID: <01bd47cd$80c36a00$667391a4@PSmalley95.iac.honeywell.com>
Source record: 168326
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

We recently released a shareware program for the 895 which does some, but not all of the things you mentioned. Currently, we are working on a ver 2.0 update which fixes some bugs and adds some new features, and that is probably as far as we will take it, as there really has not been that much demand. It sounds like your program will be great!

Here are a few quirks that we ran into:

When polling the scanner, you will need to have your program wait until the scanner finishes responding to the query. The reason for this is the scanner is at 9600 baud, and most pentiums will have moved on to the next command long before the scanner has finished sending a response back. This means that you will only recieve partial replies, which can result in frequencies not being uploaded, errors and all sorts of problems - trust me I know. The main reason for the complete rewrite in version 2 of our program was this glitch. Basically wait for the scanner to send a line-feed character back - it will do so at the end of each "message".

Also, when storing your ID's, you will need to maintain a fixed format. For example, the ID 76 be reported by the scanner as 000076. The ID 200-1 is really 200-01 and so on. This is essential if you want to lookup data in a database based on the ID returned by the scanner. One feature we are implementing is an "on the fly" conversion so if a user has stored his ID as 76 it will be converted to 000076 by the program when it is saved to the database, but will still appear as 76 to the user. This is kind of tricky, but it makes for a more user friendly program.

Be sure to emulate the numeric keypad of the radio, if you haven't already. We received several requests for that.

Hopefully this has been helpful, and if you need any more advice or pointers (especially if you are using VB) drop me a line at the email address below.

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Phil Smalley
EnterDev Software
enterdev@aol.com

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http://www.ipxnet.com/home/enterdev

617. RS problem, need some names & #'s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pnw100 <pnw100@spiritone.com>
Message-ID: <01bd47d0$c846e160$966d8bcd@default>
Source record: 168327
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.amtor,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello, I am having a customer service problem with RAT SHACK. I have tried the usual methods to no avail. Can someone please give me some names and addresses for some of the people in that company who might have some pull? Thanks

618. MDT freqs for Portland, OR wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pnw100 <pnw100@spiritone.com>
Message-ID: <01bd47d1$de5b3c20$966d8bcd@default>
Source record: 168328
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello all, anyone tried the MDT programs in PDX? Did it work? What freqs are they using? Thanks

619. Scanners For Sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred Allen <FAllen-IDC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dksi4$sfr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168329

2 Radio Shack Pro-2006. Box's and copy of manuals. Radio's in very good condition. Both come with 90 day warranty on parts and labor. $295.00 each and includes 3 day Fedx shipping. Cod's okay, but add $6.00.

1 Relm MS200 Base/Mobile Scanner. Brand new full warranty.$240.00 shipped 3 day Fedx Shipping. Cod's okay, but add $6.00.

Fred
IDC
fallen-idc@worldnet.att.net

620. Re: Phenomena??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ziggy <death@bykumba.com>
Message-ID: <01bd47cf$44e06180$667391a4@PSmalley95.iac.honeywell.com>
Source record: 168330

TailGator <Tailgatr@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<34F8DE3D.4C5B@ix.netcom.com>...
> Hey folks! Somebody please answer this one for me - a strange thing
> happens in my ham shack and I would like an expert's
> explanation/opinion...here is the situation..
>
> I have several scanners, most of them hooked to external speakers. My
> new RS TrunkTracker base model Pro-2050 is hooked to an omnidirectional
> discone antenna on the roof, and I have it hooked to a RS amplified desk
> speaker. Sometimes I forget to turn off the speaker when I leave the
> shack and, although all of the scanners are OFF, there is output from
> the speaker...garbled transmissions that sound somewhat like digitally
> encrypted voices, etc....what is causing this??
>
> Thanks in advance for any replies...
>

I agree with the other replies here, and I have had this happen too. What you are experiencing is radio interference from a nearby powerful transmitter, probably in the citizens band. If you have one of those CD to Tape adapters (You know, the thing that looks like a tape with a wire hanging off the end of it?) and an ordinary CB you can recreate this exact scenario.

Set up the CB near a tape player (any kind will work) and pop the adapter into the tape, and just let the plug stick out, don't connect it to anything. Turn on the tape player, adjust the volume to a normal listening level and then key up on the rig. What you should hear is a very overmodulated replica of your own voice, talking on the CB. Happens in my car all the time, when I have the scanner going thru the car stereo via this adapter. The adapter picks up and de-modulates the signal, and presto, you just created a MacGyver P.A. system (remember him, the guy who disarmed missiles and such with 2 rubber bands and a bobby pin?) Try it sometime.
--
Phil Smalley
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http://www.ipxnet.com/home/enterdev

621. Re: looking for Texas DPS (Highway Patrol) and Arkansas Highway Patrol Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <aa5ek---@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd47d3$f5f6b6a0$693a1ed1@computername>
Source record: 168331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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Texas Department of Public Safety

channel frequency use

1 155.460 B 154.680 M Garland, Mineral Wells, Sherman, Abilene
2 155.460 M
3 154.950 M Intercity car-to-car/car-to-base
4 155.370 B 154.950 M Intercity base-to-base/base-to-car
5 155.505 M
6 155.505 B 154.920 M Narcotics?, Texas Rangers ?
7 155.445 M
8 155.445 B 154.695 M Wichita Fls, Brownwood, Sulphur Spr
9 159.210 M Car-to-Car
10? 159.090 M
11 - 17 159.210 B 154.665 M remote repeaters - see below
18? 159.090 B 154.935 M Narcotics?
19 - 31 various Local sheriff, police, etc.
29 155.445 B 154.695 M Dallas North Tollway (D/FW area only?)
30 155.445 M Dallas North Tollway (D/FW area only?)
31? 157.350 M Dallas North Tollway (D/FW area only?)
32? 157.350 R 151.130 M Dallas North Tollway (D/FW area only?)
32? 155.475 M nationwide police mutual aid (other
areas ?)

channel PL tone repeater location (dispatch office)

1 - 2 162.2
3 - 4 none
5 - 10 162.2
8 162.2 Hurst (Garland)
11 107.2 Canton (Tyler), ? (Childress/Lubbock)
12 110.9 Vernon (Childress), Denton (Sherman)
13 118.8 Waxahachie (Waco)
14 123.0 Decatur (Wichita Falls), Loraine (Abilene)
15 127.3
16 136.5 Benjamin (Childress), Paris (Sulphur Sprs)
17 141.3 Throckmorton (Mineral Wells/Abilene/Wichita
Falls)
18? 162.2
29 - 30 107.2
32 162.2
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622. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dkut2$8jh$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168332
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <3502aef0.56254608@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com says...
>
>tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
>
>>
>> >And if you just insist on another wildcard, then
>> >Strike 5 is that a couple of years ago, the little
>> >stinkbait was bragging and whooping it up here on
>> >the newsgroup about how he had monitored his local
>> >cellular system so much that he had it "mapped".
>>
>> Why do you insist on making this up? I don't recall EVER saying I mapped
>> the local cell system and even if I did is that illegal?
>
>I didn't make it up. You said it. And yes,
>it's illegal. Check the ECPA of 1986.
>

Illegal to map a cell system? Give me a break.

Tyler

623. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dkv1q$8jh$2@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168333
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>If I were Bill Cheek, right now I'd be consulting my lawyer about suing
>you.
>
>Joe

Well thanks for your vote of confidence Joe. Next time you can just keep your opinion to yourself.

Sue me for WHAT?

Tyler

624. Re: Newsgroup Virus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-JmMdplxdBdmm@localhost>
Source record: 168334
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

PMJI, but:

> Hay! This one never showed up! Has someone stolen my identity and
>cancelled it? Need I re-post?

I saw that post before you reposted it. FYI.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

625. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dkv4q$8jh$3@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>I think you should stay off this NG for at least a month Tyler. Go sit
>in the corner and think about what you've done.
>
>Joe

I don't recall twisting your arm to read this thread Joe.

Tyler

626. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dkv6n$8jh$4@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168336

In article <19980304140500.JAA22784@ladder03.news.aol.com>, malexder@aol.com
says...
>
>>Subject: Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>
>>From: tyler@nospam.com (tyler)
>>Date: Tue, Mar 3, 1998 22:29 EST
>>Message-id: <6dihr6$nv8$1@news3.microserve.net>
>
>>OK, OK, I looked it up. You were right. (It kills me to say that) (I
>>could >have sworn you asked for money to copy the "instruction set") You
>didn't ask for money. But what did you do with the stamps on the envelope I
>sent? Did your "receiving department" take the stamps without you knowing?
>
>This is rich. tyler slanders and profanes the guy over a couple nonexistent
>bucks and now whines about the lousy stamp. Why is that you can't apologize
as
>loudly as you so falsely accuse?

The pot calls the kettle BLACK.

Tyler

627. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dkvhr$8jh$5@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <34fda025.705885@news.det.ameritech.net>, thecbguy@iname.com says...

>It has become obvious that you are a liar, (who astonishingly fessed >up),

Saying something which you believe to be correct is not lying. Saying something that you know is incorrect IS lying. There is a difference. I admit I was wrong to accuse him if taking the money. It has been a while and I had to look up the article to confirm it. I was wrong, so I said I was wrong. Is there a problem with that?

Tyler

628. Re: Future of police scanning as more cops use computers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-hBkwGfL0dkGv@slip-32-100-170-186.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 168338

Monark,

>Without fail I get pulled over at least 4 times a month for bullshit
>reasons simply so the officer can fish for insurance violations.

Such as? If you're not keeping your automobile to specs -
registration, inspection, working head, brake and tail lights, etc. -
then those are proper reasons for the stop. Any request for insurance
at that point is totally proper.

If your vehicle is in exact legal condition, try the case and make
sure there is a record made. When you have the officer on the stand,
quiz him about the reason for the stop. If he cannot articulate
sufficient facts to support probable cause to arrest (issue citation)
the arrest is illegal and any subsequent information obtained is
subject to suppression. Any insurance violation he may find after an
illegal arrest will be subject to exclusion meaning the state cannot
make their case.

If the officer suggest that there was another violation (no brake
lights, or something) but he decided to be nice and not cite you for
that, then at least get him on record with sworn testimony to that
effect. Buy a copy of the transcript of the record and keep it in the
event he attempts to do the same thing again later. If you can
establish a pattern and practice of this type of intrusive behavior,
you may be able to build a case against the officer with the Chief of
Police. However, if the Chief is of the same mind as the officer, then
you'll just have to grin and bear it or make your moving arrangements.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

629. Re: Decatur, Georgia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6dkvou$g78@hopper.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 168339

kegan30317@aol.com (Kegan30317) requested -
> Could someone send me the 800 mhz freq's Decatur (GA) PD uses.

Decatur, City of
153.5750 public works (simplex)
851.0125 Fire dispatch
852.0125 Police dispatch

Police Ch 2 is talkgroup 100-7 on DeKalb Cnty trunk.

/* barry /&

630. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK APOLOGY>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dkvuv$8jh$6@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>You need to give me more information, else accept
>the possibility your letter was lost in the mail.
>
>Based on what I know so far, I have nothing from you.
>

The whole issue is moot at this point. Obviously, you're not going to put me into your beta test now. I was just ticked that I never heard a word from you and figured I got screwed and chalked it up to experience. I do apoligize for calling you a liar. I thought for sure I sent a couple of bucks with the envelope to cover the costs of copying the material. But, the question is did your "receiving department" get it or not?

Tyler

631. Re: Those Were the Days- Was:Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dl0d9$8jh$7@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168341
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>Someone birthed and reared a few placentas and
>called them "John", "Tyler", "Petey", "Hankie",
>and such..... No offense to these guys
>as they probably can't help it, but someone
>should have horsewhipped their parents, and
>maybe even took 'em out and drowned 'em.

I EXPECT this from you. You're so easy to bait.

>exception of Tyler who used to shoot off his mouth
>about how he tracked and mapped out his local cellular
>system.

What is it with you and insisting that I mapped the local cell system?
I never did do it and even if I did BIG DEAL!

Tyler... the mystery man who Bill claims to have mapped his local cell
system!! (screams of terror are heard from concerned citizens
everywhere)

632. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35020aea.14684568@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168342

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Ray Wilcox <YAR509@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

> sure is a lot of threatened egos on here!

Count me out. No fragile ego here.

I *know* I am Smackie's master....and puppetmaster.
He dances every time I stick 'im.

<cackling>

633. Re: Bearcat SC-150 Question??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34fe092c.14238584@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168343

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

tury8@webtv.net wrote:

> Are there any mods for this radio? Thanks. tury8@webtv.net

A few. Whatcha looking for?

634. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350009ee.14432628@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168344

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> In article <34fda025.705885@news.det.ameritech.net>, thecbguy@iname.com
> says...
>
>
> >It has become obvious that you are a liar, (who astonishingly fessed
> >up),
>
> Saying something which you believe to be correct is not lying. Saying
> something that you know is incorrect IS lying. There is a difference. I
> admit I was wrong to accuse him if taking the money. It has been a while and
> I had to look up the article to confirm it. I was wrong, so I said I was
> wrong. Is there a problem with that?

Not THAT, of course not.

But now.... you're accusing me of ripping
you off for the stamps.

There is something wrong with that, yes.

635. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK CHALLENGE>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34ff09ab.14365279@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168345

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> Sue me for WHAT?

Extreme assholism for starters? I suppose the
list could be extended down off the page....

636. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35010a54.14533775@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168346

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Yeah....ri--ght.

> Hey, thanks for your support Bill!

Erp! Gack! Not support, Smacksie. You
need to learn how to read "ri--ght" in a
kind of a drawn out, trailing drawl. You
know..... "Yeahhhhhhhh rrrrrriiii---ght!"

637. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35030b3a.14764278@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168347

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Yes Bill, we ALL know. Hell, you talk about it every chance you
> get on this NG.
>
> What you fail to mention is that YOU broke to VERY SAME RULES
> you created by making trouble & instigating bad behavior. YOU
> did the exact conduct that you were kicking people out for. Except,
> YOU WERE WORSE, as once the person was GONE, we saw no more of them
> but you kept on posting to that echo with your poor behavior.

No, hermaphrodite Smacksie..... you just got a
case of very sour grapes and a very sore pooper.

You just can't get over it. You thought you
were a bad ass and got yourself pitched out;
read that FLUNG out on your ear where you skidded
to a jolting halt right in the middle of a
steaming dogpile.

I do feel sorry for you in a way. You have
suffered immensely.

You poor harelipped sap.

638. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350419a8.18458966@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168348

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Hank Hampton wrote:
> > Shut up, Mackey. This wasn't an invitation for you to open
> > your goddamn mouth again.

> Mr. Hampton,
>
> You need to learn manners & common sense.

Smacksie, you don't get it. Ol' Hankie-baby
doesn't know manners from flimflammers. And
common sense in him isn't all that common.

So how's come you and him are on the outs?
I though y'all were gooooooood buddies.

639. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35051a4f.18625971@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168349

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > You are so wretchedly stupid and ignorant,

> Yea right Billy! (NOT)
>
> If I am so stupid, then how come YOU are once again the one in trouble
> here?

I'm not. Not if all you're talking about is
that horse's arse Hankie and your own sorry
self. You call THAT trouble?

Ha ha ha ha ha ha......

Oh......and lest we forget, Tyler who can't
keep track of his own money and that Prozac
sucking Petey Joe Boe.....

Sheesh....you sure pick some fine company,
Smacksie. Real credible, fine, upstanding
nincompoops in your company.... heh heh heh....

Hey, Smacks....I'd brit my shiches if Hankie
and Petey were in my company.

640. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35061b5d.18896272@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168350

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> Illegal to map a cell system? Give me a break.

So call up the cellular provider and 'fess
up to them. Tell them who you are; what you
know; and see how long it takes to find a
little fire under your arse.

:-))

641. Re: kenwood tk 801 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Masterson Communications <masterson@zapcom.net>
Message-ID: <6dl6lklfa1@ultra.sonic.net>
Source record: 168351
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

The TK-801S uses one-shot proms for freq. and pl codes. You need the Kenwood KPT-10 programmer to do these proms. Most Kenwood 2-Way dealers or service shops should have this programmer.

642. WTB R7100 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Stanton <mstanton@centuryinter.net>
Message-ID: <01bd47e8$056dab20$64a541ce@cen11212>
Source record: 168352

Please respond to my email adress if you have one of these SM for sale...

thank you

Mike Stanton mstanton@centuryinter.net

643. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK APOLOGY>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35081c70.19170941@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168353

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> >You need to give me more information, else accept
> >the possibility your letter was lost in the mail.
> >
> >Based on what I know so far, I have nothing from you.

> The whole issue is moot at this point. Obviously, you're not going to put me
> into your beta test now. I was just ticked that I never heard a word from you
> and figured I got screwed and chalked it up to experience. I do apoligize for
> calling you a liar. I thought for sure I sent a couple of bucks with the
> envelope to cover the costs of copying the material. But, the question is did
> your "receiving department" get it or not?

Not from a "Tyler"; not within the last couple
of years, anyway. We got a lot of Tyler's in
the database, but each one is either known to
us or else the record clearly establishes it's
someone else. None for beta testing.

Oh, and we got no real use for postage stamps
unless to stick back on a SASE that's too heavy
for single unit postage. We use postage meters,
and the system is geared for that. To fart around
looking for a stamp costs more in lost time than
the stamp is worth.

Most of the time, we ask for a SASE and extra stamp
to deter the freebie grabbers who'd send off for
used Kleenex if it were for free. But a secondary
reason is to defray the cost of handling and
mailing, if we're otherwise all set up for the
project, whatever it may be....in this case, beta
testing of some mod or such. The Rx department
gets the mail....sees the Beta Test request....
fishes out the appropriate instruction set....
stuffs the SASE and licks the extra stamp and out
she goes, all in one fell swoop. Only a little
logging in betwixt to make sure we know what came
in and what went out.

Anyway, your apology for the unwarranted side of this mess is appreciated and accepted, and mine is offered for whatever I did that may have been above and beyond the call of duty. Or below it.

Back to even-Steven and a restart from neutral?

Thanks.

644. Re: PRO-26 Memory question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350920ca.20285081@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168354

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:

> Yesterday I was looking through my Pro-26 Service Manual and noticed that
> there are 5 IC's on the Logic Board, numbered 501 through 505. I know the
> IC-505 is the main CPU since it has 100 pins and comes in different versions
> for the US and the UK. What do the other IC's do and which one holds the
> scanner's memory? Is there a mod to increase the scanner's memory capacity?

Memory for the PRO-26 is on-board the CPU in
its EEPROM bank. You can't get to it. Alas.....

IC-501 is a dual op-amp (analog) that functions
as the "window unit" to ensure the scanner
stops on-freq during searches. It is a patented
Uniden circuit.

IC-502, 503, and 504 are voltage regulators
and aren't of any special interest.

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|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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645. Re: Those Were the Days- Was:Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350a2249.20668189@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168355

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> I EXPECT this from you. You're so easy to bait.

Izzat what you call it? :-)) <Yawn>

Anyway....ferget it. I assume we've hugged,
kissed, and made up?

> Tyler... the mystery man who Bill claims to have mapped his local cell
> system!! (screams of terror are heard from concerned citizens
> everywhere)

Noooooo, not citizens. Your sarcastic parody
is a bullseye. But I'm not referring to citizens.

I'm talking about Congress-critters and other
federales including the Friendly Candy Company.

All those critters would just love to get their
hands on a "cellular mapper". You heard what
they did to Bob Grove up there in Congress last
year, didn't you?

If you didn't, you would be well advised to find out.

646. Re: CARMA Newsletter online

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-i74JBefuts9V@slip-32-100-170-186.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 168356

Rick,

Your web page is causing my browser to not load the page completely.

I'm having a friend look at it for me but I thought I'd post to you
about it.

Thanks.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

647. NEXT !!!!! HELP HELP HELP!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <34ffc475.8589426@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168357

OK so I did the Sportcat thing to get into it and I bought a pro2030 but my pasion is Air shows !! is there a scanner (handheld) to get the 200 to 300 mhz range Someone said there was one that would go from 25 too 1000 mhz .Anyone know what they were talkin about ? Help help help Also can a base like the pro2030 get 200 mhz (Im stupid when it comes to this) Thanks

648. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK APOLOGY>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOSPAMabctyping@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34fe29ab.42114124@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 168358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 5 Mar 1998 01:42:55 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>
>>You need to give me more information, else accept
>>the possibility your letter was lost in the mail.
>>
>>Based on what I know so far, I have nothing from you.
>>
>
>The whole issue is moot at this point. Obviously, you're not going to put me
>into your beta test now. I was just ticked that I never heard a word from you
>and figured I got screwed and chalked it up to experience. I do apoligize for
>calling you a liar. I thought for sure I sent a couple of bucks with the
>envelope to cover the costs of copying the material. But, the question is did
>your "receiving department" get it or not?
>
>Tyler
>
Grow up Tyler,(if thats your real name). You cursed this man like a
dog and you should tuck you tail between your legs and never show your
sewer mouth on here again. Go back and read some of your posts you
pathetic little child. Now that you're proven wrong you want to suck
up and be forgiven. Hit the road.

Casey Thrower
Amateur Radio Station N4GKS
Remove "nospam" from e-mail address to reply.

649. What is the best all around mobile scanner antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOSPAMabctyping@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34fe2b6a.42561285@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 168359

800 mhz, vhf, uhf and aircraft. Motarola mount is a must. Any
suggestions? Thanks.

Casey

Casey Thrower
Amateur Radio Station N4GKS
Remove "nospam" from e-mail address to reply.

650. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350b2455.21192353@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168360

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> >
> > "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu> wrote:
> >
> > > Would anybody like to place a wager? I bet the original Mackey post was a
> > > forgery! We all know what he's made of...
> >
> > I wouldn't even bet that YOUR post isn't a forgery!
> >
> > You just can't tell anymore these days.
>
> You are a piece of work, half of the people in this group are your
> alteregos fighting a flame war in your head.

I may be a piece of work as you put it,
but you know something? This is cool.

You are a "feelgood", Smacksie. Yup. Every time
I see your posts....or even THINK about you for
more than a fleeting second, I get all giggly
and fuzzy-feeling. You make me feel good all over.

Because I realize at those moments how, but for
the grace and benevolence of my Maker, I could
be like you, down there wallowing in the dung of
humanity. This feeling makes me solemn and
humble, and I then pray thanks to my Maker for
the blessings in Life that He gave me.

All the guys and gals around the lab here kind
of feel the same way, too, and I'm sure a lot of
the newsgroup people are also thankful for their
blessings knowing they coulda been like you.

So yeah, Smacksie, I ain't much. I'm just a
hillbilly from down in the hollers of Southern
Missouri....but I've done all right for myself
over the years. I survived ten odd years in
and around Vietnam doing exciting stuff that's
probably still classified to this day.

I was real close to the space program....I once
told you that I was a "rocket scientist", and
I was, pal. I dropped a Polaris A-3 missile on
a handkerchief 1800 miles away from the launch
site out near Johnson Island in the Western
Pacific.

I laid surveillance systems so cool and so
sensitive that they could detect an orgy of
fleas on a junkyard dog from a hundred yards.

I even made it up to CEO of a prominent electronic
manufacturing corporation some years ago.

Not too shabby for a crusty ol' hillbilly from
down in the slews and hollers of the Shepherd
of The Hills Country, Smacksie..

And these are only the tips of the iceberg,
Smacksie......and yet, I *know* I am little
more than a grain of sand on Waikiki Beach.

But you know something, Smacksie? However next
to total insignificance I am......I KNOW beyond
a shadow of a doubt that I am the Master Flusher
of the toilet you live in.

That's why I give solemn thanks a dozen times
a day......right from the depth, the breadth,
and the width of my infinitesimal soul.....

Rave on, Smacksie-baby, rave on..... you
can't possibly comprehend the mirth, the joy,
the glee that I've gained from you for FREE.

Ahhhhh, here is the best way it can be described!
Next time you go to take a whiz and see a pissant
on the edge of the bowl....take note of how YOU
look at that poor ant. And then come to the grim
realization of THAT being exactly how I see YOU.

Now do you understand, Smacksie? It would be
nice if you could understand that, and then
try to elevate yourself. They say whale dung
is pretty low.....but it's a mountaintop compared
to your stature, Smacks.

I'd worry about that, if I were you, Snodgrass.

Eh?

651. Bearcat 2500XLT up for auction no reserve!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sjblack@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6dlf1rukc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 168361

Iam selling my scanner to the highest bidder on ebay. follow this link

http://salamander.ebay.com/aw/listings/list/category296/page3.html

he Scanner is a BC2500 XLT hand held unit comes with operating guide,rubber antenna,AC adapter/charger,earphone,leather-like carrying case,belt clip,and also cigarett lighter powercord.

the model # is #35007758

It is in original Box maybe used five times.

Thanks for the intrest

Steve Black

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

652. Comments/Reviews Wanted on RS Pro-67

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: BJC <bjc@mydesk.com>
Message-ID: <34FE365A.6AC@mydesk.com>
Source record: 168362

Anyone have a Pro-67. My Pro-60 died (Rat Shack says $200 Canadian to fix it) and I need a replacement.
Both Pro-60 and Pro-67's are still available new here in Toronto. I loved my Pro-60, so how does the Pro-67
compare to it. I know that the 60 is made by GRE and the 67 is made by Uniden (is there a Uniden similar model?). I'd love to get a Uniden 235 but they are WAY overpriced here at $500 Canadian.
Right now the Pro-67 is on sale at RS for $250 Can ($100 off reg price) while the Pro-60 is $400 (reg price).
The Pro-90 is $500 and you don't get the 235 extras, so it is out.

Any help is appreciated.

BTW--I asked this question before but never got an answer...Does anyone know a good scanner shop in the
Buffalo NY area?

--
"Loneliness and Cheeseburgers are a dangerous mix"
--The Simpsons comic store guy

653. Re: ADJUSTING SENSITIVITY????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mr Chthon <MC@lite.net>
Message-ID: <34FE39E1.9F3@lite.net>
Source record: 168363

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> +-------------------------------------------------------------+
> | Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
> | PO Box 262478 ~ San Diego, CA 92196-2478 |
> | Busn-Voice: (619) 578-9247 (1:30pm-5:30pm, PDT) FAX: anytime |
> | E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
> |WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
> | Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
> | FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
> | or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
> +-------------------------------------------------------------+
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Tried to look at your website but get a java script error . I guess it's best viewed with IE huh ? :-(

654. FS: Radio Shack Pro-2035 $300 US

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Flatter <bill@bigsky.net>
Message-ID: <34FE50BD.7E3E@bigsky.net>
Source record: 168364
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

If you are interested please drop me a line and I will send more info.
This is a brand new unit.

bill@bigsky.net
--

If you are planning a trip to Montana this year then go here
first, http://www.missoula-mall.com for all your travel needs
such as lodging, dining and guide service.
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655. Trunk Tracking Scanner info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Johnson <"Ted Johnson"@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FEFB68.72A8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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Doug Ferrell, KD4MOJ wrote:
>
> Howdy Folks:
>
> Our local PD and city services are going 800 soon (they are testing
> the rigs out now) so I would like to hear from anyone using one fo the
> trunk-tracking scanners to monitor 800. The system being used is the
> Motorola Analog System 2.
>
> ...DOUG
> kd4moj
>
> +---------------------------------------------------------------------+
> Doug Ferrell,KD4MOJ Voice (904) 575-7119
> doug@tallahassee.net, http://kd4moj.org Fax (904) 575-6577
> Amateur Radio & Television (ATV), APRS 145.790Mhz-
For information about Motorola(tm) trunk radio systems and
trunktracker radios, visit these websites.
Motorola http://www.mot.com/LMPS/RNSG/trunking/index.html
trunktracker http://www.trunktracker.com
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656. Re: SC-150B Discriminator question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <34fe46d0.1495836@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 22:58:17 -0500, Todd Poole <poole.56@osu.edu>
wrote:

>Hello..
>
>I have a SC-150B. Sorry to those who dislike this unit, I have enjoyed
>it completely! I have one problem though. I am trying to tap into the
>discriminator output but don't even know where to start! Has anyone done
>this or knows where documentation is available? Info is much
>appreciated!
>
>-Todd

Todd-
This is your lucky day. There happens to be a Popular Electronics
article that featured tapping the discriminator output on a SportCat
model scanner. There even happens to be some pictures to go along with
that...you can't beat it. Go to http://www.cylexinc.com/rmpe01h.htm
and search through the article. Print out the pages that are relevant
to tapping the discriminator output. Good luck.

Wiggie

657. Re: Mackey Does it Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34fe5725.8069855@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168367

On 4 Mar 1998 20:37:40 -0800, "Charlie Dwenger"
<cdwenger@hsonline.net> wrote:

>MAlexder,
> It was just a matter of time before Mackey took keyboard in hand and
>proved to the world that he is a bitter old man and senile as hell. He
>can`t even remember what he posted an hour ago, much less yesterday. It
>does seem funny that all he can remember is piddly little crap and
>half-truths from a few years back tho. I wonder if it`s to late for a
>doctor. Maybe Jack Korvorkian?
>:-)
>Charlie
>
>MAlexder <malexder@aol.com> wrote in article
><19980304223801.RAA00246@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>> >Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
>> >From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
>> >Date: Wed, Mar 4, 1998 17:23 EST
>>
>> Er, excuse me, but did you not post something to the effect yesterday
>that we
>> should all stick to topic and you would do the same? Oh, that must have
>been
>> another forgery since you are obviously continuing your vendetta. Do you
>have
>> an end to your agenda or will you continue it forever?
>

Charlie,

It's sad but true; Mackey's gotten so addled that he can't remember
anything. Maybe we can take up a collection here in rec.radio.scanner
to pay for a house call from the good Dr. Kevorkian.

I didn't used to believe in euthanasia but poor Mackey has made me
reconsider. <sniff, sniff>

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

658. alabama

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dartmaster@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dljqd$3dj$1@newsd-164.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168368

need freq's for the birmingham area
hoover?
bessemer?
midfild?
homewood?
and others.
fire/cops/jails

help and thanks alot

J M Foster

659. State Scanner/Radar Detector Laws

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Johnson <"Ted Johnson"@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FF0654.55E8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168369
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

for the scanner & Radar detector laws in your state, click here:

http://www.afn.org/~afn09444/scanlaws/#scanner

660. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE7476.74CB@usa.net>
Source record: 168370
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

Hmmmm, Bill Cheek is obviously forging posts using MY ID!!!

Notice how my name in entered yet the servers all indicate
"san.rr.com" & "cts.com", the two servers Bill Cheek uses!

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
> From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
> Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
> Control: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
> Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
> Lines: 1
> Message-ID: <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>
> References: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>

x

661. MR8100 HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4814$ba8276e0$6a1337a6@default>
Source record: 168371

I just purchased a used Uniden MR8100 scanner. Only problem, no manual. Can anyone help with a manual or info on how to program with a computer. I have the program discs. Any help will be appreciated. Thanks

Please E-mail as I don't get to the newsgroups as often as I would like.
Again, thanks

Mike Derryberry

TVMD29@aol.com or
michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com

662. Re: "Bill Parnell"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE749F.4613@usa.net>
Source record: 168372

Another forgery, I didn't post it.

:(

663. Re: James Bacheldor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE74D6.6135@usa.net>
Source record: 168373

Another forgery, I didn't post it!

:(

664. Re: FS:PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE7506.A1D@usa.net>
Source record: 168374

Another forgery, I didn't post it!

:(

665. Re: Truck Tracking Scanner info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE75EA.252C@usa.net>
Source record: 168375

Well, YOU weren't sharp enough to catch the error, you only
saw it as an opportunity to FLAME & cause MORE TROUBLE.

You seem to be an opportunist for flames & trouble making.

:(

666. Re: Receiving satellites???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE762F.4891@usa.net>
Source record: 168376

That post was a forgery, I did not write it.

:(

667. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE7703.1CA8@usa.net>
Source record: 168377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You need to learn how to express yourself CLEARLY Bill.

The statement you made supported me!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Erp! Gack! Not support, Smacksie. You
> need to learn how to read "ri--ght" in a

668. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE79D5.14B2@usa.net>
Source record: 168378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> Let's see, according to WhoWhere? <http://www.whowhere.com>, you've used
> no less than sixteen obviously fictitious Internet addresses. These are
> just the ones where you were stupid enough to use your callsign. You
> might plausibly claim one or two were used by someone impersonating you, but
> you can't claim all of them

> anyplace@nowhere.mil no-place@anywhere.com
> No-place@anywhere.org
> nowhere@anyplace.net jomackey@hotmail.com mackey@idiots.org
> nothing@anywhere.edu nowhere@anyplace.net
> no_adress@anywhere.com
> no.address@anywhere.gov No-address@No-where.vom
> no_place@any-where.com
> no--place@any__where.com no-place@anywhere.net
> No--place@any-where.org no-where@no-place.com

DICK - what a FOOL you show yourself to be again!!!

About 18 months ago I was in a work situation where I had internet
(T1) access but NO internet address. This was for a special project
regarding digital communications accross the internet. I expained the
situation MANY times back then. Eventually, we did get access to a mail
server & then I started using an internet address

I had to enter a bogus address into the Netscape mail program to post
to newsgroups. All the no-place, no-where, no-address listings
were MINE, & I CLEARLY IDENTIFIED MYSELF WITH NAME & CALLSIGN!!!!
Eventually I used the hotmail address for a short time then got
the USA.NET address for a permanent mail address. (which I still
use today)

The idiot.org address I did not use. That was a forged post.

> In light of the abuse you've managed with fraudulent address, your
> ragging on Bill Cheek about the WinRadio issue in the manner you have been,
> makes YOU the hypocrite here, as usual.

I never gave any fraudulent address. I always stated I did not have
an e-mail address! You hero, BILL CHEEK, used fraudulent addresses
& DID NOT give his real identity, WHEN HE DID INDEED HAVE A INTERNET
ADDRESS!

What a fool you are!

669. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE7A65.48A0@usa.net>
Source record: 168379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill-

OBVIOUSLY it is causing trouble or you would not be
defending yourself, AGAIN!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> I'm not. Not if all you're talking about is
> that horse's arse Hankie and your own sorry
> self. You call THAT trouble?

670. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE7ACF.6422@usa.net>
Source record: 168380

YES I did!

I DO wish you & the other would stick to topic & this garbage would
probably STOP!

MAlexder wrote:
> Er, excuse me, but did you not post something to the effect yesterday that we
> should all stick to topic and you would do the same? Oh, that must have been
> another forgery since you are obviously continuing your vendetta. Do you have
> an end to your agenda or will you continue it forever?

671. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE7C9F.1918@usa.net>
Source record: 168381

Actually Bill, I take pride in knowing that *I* ran you out
of fidonet last fall!!

hahahahaahhahahahahahahahahahahaha

You will NEVER be able to live it down!

Bill Cheek wrote:

drivel & bullshit snipped!

672. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE7D2E.56AE@usa.net>
Source record: 168382

The post below was/is a forgery, but I think it is a VERY
correct statement so I will let it go.

"BRAVO" to who ever wrote it!

John Mackey KA0SSF wrote:
> You are a piece of work, half of the people in this group are your
> alteregos fighting a flame war in your head.

673. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE7DD6.43C4@usa.net>
Source record: 168383

Once again, BILL CHEEK can find NOTHING REAL to defend himself
with so he responds with BULLSHIT like below!

How pathetic!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> No, hermaphrodite Smacksie..... you just got a
> case of very sour grapes and a very sore pooper.

674. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK APOLOGY>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE7EDF.2FE6@usa.net>
Source record: 168384
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You OBVIOUSLY know little or nothing about Bill Cheek to respond
like this.

Bill deserves all the trouble he has gotten here & more.

Perhaps YOU should "hit the road"!

Casey wrote:
> Grow up Tyler,(if thats your real name). You cursed this man like a
> dog and you should tuck you tail between your legs and never show your
> sewer mouth on here again. Go back and read some of your posts you
> pathetic little child. Now that you're proven wrong you want to suck
> up and be forgiven. Hit the road.

675. Re: Those Were the Days- Was:Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FE7F9F.2163@usa.net>
Source record: 168385
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Yea, Bill Cheek showed his Psychotic side!

mike@iswt.no-spam.com wrote:
> some good insight here.

676. Any Mods Please RS Pro 2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Arthur <Shannona@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <838AC3CE85FF3974.DAA26AD18D358684.D26BD1074C07B0AD@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 168386
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,ncf.sigs.radio-scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Are there any freq extension mod's for this scanner please

677. Re: Comments/Reviews Wanted on RS Pro-67

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <34FE9211.C4984D1A@vnet.com>
Source record: 168387

BJC wrote:
> Both Pro-60 and Pro-67's are still available new here in Toronto. I
> loved my Pro-60, so how does the Pro-67 compare to it.

PRO-67 is a typical segmented coverage model designed to replace
the PRO-51 so it has no mil air coverage. And no broadcast FM
so no wide-FM receive.

The 67 is made by Uniden and is basically the same receiver as
the BC235XLT with no TrunkTracking. Pretty good sensitivity with
great interference rejection. Very fast since it's Uniden and
uses 4 AAs compared to the 60's 6.

Nice radio and a good deal when on sale. I posted a review of
the 67 to my site back in July '97. If interested, check out
my PRO-67 page

http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/PRO-67.HTM

Good luck!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

678. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK APOLOGY>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOSPAMabctyping@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34fe96be.70041909@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 168388
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 02:30:55 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>You OBVIOUSLY know little or nothing about Bill Cheek to respond
>like this.
>
>Bill deserves all the trouble he has gotten here & more.
>
>Perhaps YOU should "hit the road"!
>
>
>Casey wrote:
>> Grow up Tyler,(if thats your real name). You cursed this man like a
>> dog and you should tuck you tail between your legs and never show your
>> sewer mouth on here again. Go back and read some of your posts you
>> pathetic little child. Now that you're proven wrong you want to suck
>> up and be forgiven. Hit the road.
The problem was not the flame. The problem was the way he did it.
Cursing someone with lots of very nasty language is not the way to get
a point across. If you agree with cussing someone out to make a point,
then I would suggest you restudy the english language. They say people
who curse a lot have limited vocabulary.

Casey Thrower
Amateur Radio Station N4GKS
Remove "nospam" from e-mail address to reply.

679. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sharon Hines <sharonhi@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34FE90D9.3007@erols.com>
Source record: 168389
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

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*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Hmmmm, Bill Cheek is obviously forging posts using MY ID!!!
>
> Notice how my name in entered yet the servers all indicate
> "san.rr.com" & "cts.com", the two servers Bill Cheek uses!
>
> iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
> > From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>
> > Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
> > Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
> > Control: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
> > Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
> > Lines: 1
> > Message-ID: <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>
> > References: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
>
> x

This CANCEL of Bill Cheek's Post Originated from Sprint Net out
of the Portland, OR dailup POP:

NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31

The NNTP-Posting-Host IP address resolves to:

sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net.

It was CANCELLED from a 16 bit version of Netscape Gold 3.01
under Windows 3.1:

X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

indicates that it was cancel from Netscape Gold 3.01 under
Windows 3.1 (16 Bit)

The path indicated it was CANCELLED on a Sprint Net NNTP Server

Path:
moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!nntp3.cerf.net!news.sdsc.edu!newshub.csu.net!newshub.sd
su.edu!news.sgi.com!news-peer.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.net!newsfeed.internetmci.com!205.13
7.196.70!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Control: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
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Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>
References: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

680. The end of a great hobby??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bryan K. Schmidt" <bryschmidt@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <01bd48ba$7a624760$ba301b26@home>
Source record: 167990

I found out that the frequencies I most often listen to might no longer be available for me to listen to.Hennipen county Minnesota is considering a new 800Mhz trunked network to replace thier conventional radio system most cities in the county use the Hennipen County system for Fire dept's, local police dept's, and sherriffs dept..These have been my favorite channels to listen to since I was about 5 years old I've lived in the area all my life.I've talked to a local radio dealer about purchaseing a Trunk Tracker Scanner and he told me it wouldn't help because the new system being proposed was a digital system made by either motorola, Errickson, or EM Johnson, useing the APCO protocal.I found some info on this at
http://www.apcointl.org/project25/information.html#commit
but its been many years since I've taken a communications class could anybody Shed some light on this for me

My question is, are there any scanners out there capable of recieving this type of system, if not are there any in the works by any manufacturers?

is there any way short of swiping a radio from someone, to listen to these systems?

any comments would be appreiciated

bryschmidt@mindspring.com

681. Re: Bob Grove testimony

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <34FF7F61.4051D909@mich.com>
Source record: 167991
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Lot 47 wrote:

> We are pretty much one and the same people, gun owners and radio owners.
> Not all of course, but I'd wager a majority of "us" own and use both.

That's a scary thought, though it would be cool if some of the
'personalities' on thisgroup would duel it out instead of carrying on here.

> It's
> really a shame we don't have as politically savvy an organization as the
> NRA to front our battles in Congress.

You don't have to be on this newsgroup too long to realize that scanner-geeks
ain't too savvy!

Tim
--
Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

682. Re: Sacramento MDT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: gmacdoug1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306045201.XAA02684@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167992

>Im looking for Sacramento MDT frequencies. Anyone having any luck
>decoding MDT in Sacramento, hopefully Sac PD. Please let me know and
>give me freqs.
>

Here ya go:

2 channels for Sac PD:
A- 856.7125 output / 811.7125 input
B- 857.7125 output / 812.7125 input

Sac Fire:
857.2125 output / 812.2125 input

George / KD6CWU

683. FS: Pro-43, price lowered -- $140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: erikd@icehouse.net
Message-ID: <35002757.2137830@news.icehouse.net>
Source record: 167993

If you are interested, e-mail me at erikd@icehouse.net or you can call
me at 509-325-2433 after 6 PM PST

Erik

684. RFBASE LOGGING PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John P Corea <jcorea@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <34FF878D.81B83976@monmouth.com>
Source record: 167994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Download the beta version of RFBase, an SWL/DX/SCANNER logbook program for Windows 95. For those who get system messages during install saying your system files are out of date, go ahead and let it update as some of the system files with RFBase are dated 1997 which is newer than the newest release of Win95 (as far as I know). You may download it here :

http://www.monmouth.com/~jcorea/rfbase.zip

Give it a try, I think you'll love it !

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mailto:jcorea@monmouth.com

685. EEPROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FF97A0.56E@swbell.net>
Source record: 167995

Help!

I have no idea what this is, but my brother needs something called an EEPROM. He said the part is called "24LC16", "24LC32" and "24LC64". If you know where these can be found, please send me a reply and I will pass it along to him. One other thing..he needs two of each part number.

Thank you for your help!

Tracey

686. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: THX-1138 <Porchnoy@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FF9BD6.8E451DE4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167996

Doug Younker wrote:

> It's kinda scary that some would think being prohibited from
> eavesdropping on private conversations, "is a dark day for freedom".

That's the point. No one is "eavesdropping on private conversations." Keep your bloody two-way RADIO signal out of my home, and I promise I will not listen to it.

687. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34ff952f.11258691@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167997

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 01:20:49 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
wrote:

>*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>
>> Actually Bill, I take pride in knowing that *I* ran you out
>> of fidonet last fall!!
>>
>> hahahahaahhahahahahahahahahahahaha
>>
>>
>> You will NEVER be able to live it down!
>
><Cackling>
>
>You are the stupidest excuse for a dung-eating
>lizard I ever saw in all my natural born days.
>

I've seen a lizard or two in my day but never one
that wasn't smarter, prettier and more articulate
than John Boy.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

688. Re: new law passed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306071901.CAA16048@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167998

>From: "dave kay" <arrowroof@hotmail.com>
>Date: Thu, Mar 5, 1998 13:14 EST
>Message-id: <01bd4873$077ccbe0$2d0dd8cd@arrsat>
>
>it is now illegal to convert scanners to cell freqs.
>
>law passed today.

Actually, before the bill passed today (H.R. 2369) can become law a companion bill must be introduced and passed by the U.S. Senate. If the Senate bill is identical to the House version then it becomes law when passed by the Senate. If it is even slightly different then the two versions of the bill must be reconciled in a joint House-Senate conference and the final version sent back to both the House and Senate for another vote. So far no such bill has been introduced in the Senate, so absolutely no change was made Thursday. This is simple high school government class stuff, folks, which I confirmed today with Rep. Billy Tauzin's legislative aide.

John Ward

689. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306072500.CAA21089@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167999

All,

FYI, the 16-page committee report attached to H.R. 2369 gives guidance to the FCC and Justice Department. The report says, in part:

"Because the Committee preserved the Chapter 119 exceptions in its amendment of Section 705(a) of the Communications Act, the Committee does not intend for the Commission or any other enforcement agency to investigate or fine parties for the interceptions authorized by Chapter 119. Therefore, the Committee does not intend for the uses of scanning receivers and receiving radios such as shortwave radios, that are consistent with the Section 2111(g) exceptions to be investigated or fined under Section 705(a).
"Section 2511(g) provides a number of broad exemptions for the interception by private parties of radiocommunications, including those that are transmitted over a) a system configured for ready access by the general public; b) by any station for the use of the general public, or that relates to ships, aircraft, vehicles or persons in distress; c) any governmental, law enforcement, civil defense, private land mobile, or public safety communications system that is readily accessible to the general public; d) by any station operating in the amateur, citizens band (CB); and e) by any marine or aeronautical communications system."

It seems to me that they've gone a long way toward protecting our interests while attempting to assure that some future scanner isn't built that will receive and decode digital PCS communications (which is what this whole this is really about).

John Ward

690. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306072901.CAA16895@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168000

>Who is the guy that voted against it? We should all send $20 to >his re-election fund!

He is Rep. Ron Paul (R) of District 14 in Texas. I believe he represents the Fort Worth district where Tandy and Uniden have their corporate headquarters.

JW

691. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFBBCB.5B18@usa.net>
Source record: 168001
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:

> *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > Notice how my name in entered yet the servers all indicate
> > "san.rr.com" & "cts.com", the two servers Bill Cheek uses!
>
> No, you lying SOB, you just screwed up and left
> tracks as you tried to make it look like I did it.

Yea, riiiiight Bill!

NOT!

How could I have accessed YOUR news server at cts.com?
It is NOT an open news server! THere is no way I could have!

692. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFBC74.44A4@usa.net>
Source record: 168002
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

So what is your point?

Sharon Hines wrote:
massive SNIP to preserve all the bandwidth YOU wasted!

693. Re: More Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner from Sprint Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFBD63.20F6@usa.net>
Source record: 168003
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

Sharon Hines wrote:

> You are a liar, but we knew that. I can post over a dozen
> examples where your mouth runs off with gratuitous obsenity.

OK then POST the proof you have of this!

> This is a cancel of one of John Mackey's own posts that was cancelled
> 5 minutes earlier than the Bill Cheek's Post from the same Sprint
> Net dialup in Portland, OR!
--MASSIVE SNIP--

OK, so someone is dialing into the sprint ISP & canceling MY
posts also!

Thanks for clearing me Sharon!

The lengths some people will go to. :(

How pathetic!

694. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3501b420.29969346@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168004

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote to Sharon Hines :

> So what is your point?

....that your ass is fixing to get a fire
lit under it if you ain't more careful.
You can't be pulling this forgery crap,
Smacksie, and expect to get off scot-free
for very long.
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695. Re: PRO-2009 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFBDC4.64CF@usa.net>
Source record: 168005

hehehehehehehe!

Mike Stanton wrote:
> I believe the Pro-2009 had a 7.10 Mhz IF and the Pro-2013 had a 69.71 Mhz
> IF....

696. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFBE52.63C4@usa.net>
Source record: 168006
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill,

You are talking in meaningless circles, again.

:(

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Depends on what you mean by "me". But if
> you are not denying the confession, then
> I suppose you could say I am "supportive".

697. Re: Rogue Cancels coming from Sprint Net in Portland, OR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFBFDF.489A@usa.net>
Source record: 168007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Sharon-

You OBVIOUSLY do NOT know what you are talking about. :(

First, you are using "double negatives". A "forged" "cancel"
is therefore NOTHING!

Second, a newsgroup cancel would have to be presented to
a NEWS (nntp) server, not a POP (incoming mail) server as
YOU INDICATE BELOW!

Third, is has been demonstrated that a couple of MY messages were
canceled too so you point is MEANINGLESS!

Sharon Hines wrote:
> This is a FORGED CANCEL from John Mackey on Sprint Net at the
> Portland, OR dialup POP.

698. Pro -39 Date Code Mod 3a4 can you??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6doccn$mlr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168008

Can you mod a pro 39 with the date code of 3a4 .. like to know cause I might buy one from a guy he says there is no "A" in the serial number either like the pro 43 model like to know if it is possible before I go out and buy it thanks..

699. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34ffb180.29297513@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168009

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

geovet@ix.netcom.com (George Vetterle) wrote:

> >You (Mackey) are the stupidest excuse for a dung-eating
> >lizard I ever saw in all my natural born days.

> I've seen a lizard or two in my day but never one
> that wasn't smarter, prettier and more articulate
> than John Boy.

Dern good thing you didn't get down and
small that sucker's fetid breath! I've
seen 'im breathe on small trees and you
know what? The trees wilted in minutes.

I'm pretty sure he's a one-man logging
company up there in Oregon. That, or a
weed eradicator.

If I had a dog that looked like Mackey,
I'd shave his arse and teach 'im to
walk backwards when folks were around.

BTW, that damned idiot is trying to forge
cancel-posts now....and make it look like
me who's doing it.

Trouble is....the fool has already come to
the attention of NET.ABUSE where it's known
how to get to the bottom of crap like he's
pulling.

700. Re: PRO 43 question, please help! ;)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3500b37f.29808536@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168010

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"FX1" <fx1@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

> I just got the scanner and I need to know what type of diode, (the one that
> enables keylock features etc, ex. "d1, d2, d3, d4") is it. I am heading to
> radio shack, but I feel they wouldn't know what I'm talking about (no
> offense, just from previous experiences) I am in need of getting this
> diode, if you can e-mail me or post the part number I will be forever
> thankful. Thanks to all in this group who have helped me with a lot of my
> scanner problems.

You need only a silicon switching diode, preferably
of the SMT 0805 style, but the standard axial
leaded 1N4148 or 1N914 will work fine so long as
you bend the leads tight and tuck 'em in closely
so as to make it small.

+-----------------------------------------------------------------+
| Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
| PO Box 262478 ~ San Diego, CA 92196-2478 |
| Busn-Voice: (619) 578-9247 (1:30pm-5:30pm, PDT) FAX: anytime |
| E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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701. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3502b49c.30093667@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168011

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > > Notice how my name in entered yet the servers all indicate
> > > "san.rr.com" & "cts.com", the two servers Bill Cheek uses!
> >
> > No, you lying SOB, you just screwed up and left
> > tracks as you tried to make it look like I did it.
>
> Yea, riiiiight Bill!
>
> NOT!
>
> How could I have accessed YOUR news server at cts.com?
> It is NOT an open news server! THere is no way I could have!

You didn't, you horse's ass. You screwed up
and went into your own server. And left tracks.
And got reported to NET.ABUSE.......

heh heh heh

You miserable idiot.

702. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3503b534.30245571@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168012

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> >
> > hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:
> >
> > > Are you on drugs, Mackey?
> >
> > Of course he's on drugs, dummy.
> >
> > 1. Prozac
> > 2. Depo Provera
> > 3. Lithium chloride
> > 4. Potassium chloride
> > 5. Tetrahydracannabinol
> > 6. Lysergic acid diethylalimide
> > 7. Trichloroethane
> > 8. Methamphetamine
> > 9. fecalmethane

> You forgot AZT.

And a dozen others, but I didn't want to
get into the double digits.

703. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3504b610.30466247@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168013

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote to Mackey:

> It is you who is the fool.

You forgot to add, "hermaphroditic quadrasexual".

And we really need to give him a hankie and some
Windex so he can clean that window pane in his
belly button. He's not seeing clearly these
days.

704. MINT Pro-2006 FS: $285.00 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad178@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6doasd$stp@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 168014

Comes with original box, manual, and antenna.

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Life's too short to worry... :)

705. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFC4AD.4086@usa.net>
Source record: 168015
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hey Bill -

YOU are the one who has PUBICALLY admitted going to professional psychotherapy!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Of course he's on drugs, dummy.

706. Digital Radio's any way to listen in?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: buck100@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <34ffb9b8.2938375@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 168016

Once everyone moves to digital...is there any way to listen in?

Intercept it? Decode it?

I am sure someone can hack it.

707. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFC964.3265@usa.net>
Source record: 168017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Yea Bill but you forgot a few others too.

Want me to post the "Billy Thunder" posts you made &
the other similar posts?

Bill Cheek wrote:
> You're a lying sack of shit, Smacksie. Any and
> all e-mail addresses I ever used were MINE, straight
> to me, and except for WINRADIO@SAN.RR.COM, all the

708. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFC8B6.69F4@usa.net>
Source record: 168018
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> A transparent lie to cover up the fact that you were stealing access to
> the internet. And, that your employer caught you stealing access and
> terminated you for theft of services.

Really!!!????!!?!?!?!?!?

What proof do you have of this?

> You never "expained" anything. You did start the lie about not having
> a real internet address to cover up your theft of services.

There was NO theft of services! If there was, prove it!

I did NOT lie about NOT having a real internet address, I really
did not have one AT THAT TIME.

> > Eventually, we did get access to a mail server & then I started using
> > an internet address
>
> You got caught stealing access and had to find another way onto the net.

NO, read it again. Here, I'll write it again incase you have trouble.
Get ready, now pay attention:
> > Eventually, we did get access to a mail server & then I started using
> > an internet address

> You stole access to the net and HAD to use phony addresses to hide
> your thefts and illegal access.

No my work was providing me access to the internet for FREE, it was
a part of my job to stay active on the internet for testing
purposes. (You're just JEALOUS! hehehehehe)

> > I never gave any fraudulent address.
>
> Your admittance at using the phony addresses contradicts your statement.
> You're still a liar and a fraud.

I said it was "BOGUS", it was not "fraudulent". If you don't understand
the difference between those words let me know & I will post
definitions.

> True, you had to hide your theft of services and your ego forced you
> to brag about it by flaunting your name and callsign.

Sorry, there was no theft of services. You are just JEALOUS
that I was getting PAID to be on the internet!

> I've never publicly or privately proclamed Bill Cheek a hero.

Your actions say it!

> Let's see, you admit to theft of services after I confronted you with
> the evidence. You admit to using fraudulent addresses as well.

Really! Where/when did I admit to using fraudulent addresses &
theft of services? Please post your proof that I admitted (or even
did) these things.

709. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFCAA5.65D3@usa.net>
Source record: 168019

You are lying again Eric.

I was NEVER run off of Fidonet!

I was removed from ONE fidonet echo by Bill Cheek as were about 30-50
other
people in a hostile take-over he did of the echo.

Eric Oyen wrote:
> In Fact, it was you that was run out of fidonet on 4 seperate occasions

710. Re: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFC0DE.716B@usa.net>
Source record: 168020
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

NO, Bill you are lying AGAIN!

YOU were attempting to imitate ME & forgot to change ALL
your headers.

Besides, there is NO way I could have accessed YOUR
news server at cts.com!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> It is a REAL forgery done by Mackey who
> thought he was being cool and screwed
> up instead.

711. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFC32A.3BAF@usa.net>
Source record: 168021
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hank Hampton wrote:

> *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> >I had to enter a bogus address into the Netscape mail program to post
> >to newsgroups.
>
> Note this last sentence. John clearly admits using a bogus e-mail.

NO, I NEVER said I used bogus. I DID say that I had to enter
a (OBVIOUSLY) bogus address to post to newsgroups. There is a BIG
difference between the two statements.

> Are you on drugs, Mackey?

No, but YOU act like you are!

712. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34FFC400.6EAC@usa.net>
Source record: 168022
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Hank Hampton wrote:

> On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 10:17:23 -0800, Tom Duff wrote:
> >If you really don't know know the meanings of
> >`bogus' and `fraudulent', then you're an idiot.

> Are you going to throw some lame dictionary definitions
> at me? Or are you going to accept the words for their
> common and practical usage?

You (in fact, ALL of US, but ESPECIALLY YOU) need to be CORRECT
in use of words & their definitations. Slang usage is different
to geographical locations & generations.

> If you're gonna make another 1/2 assed attempt at correcting something I say, at
> least get some minuscule portion of it right, will ya pal?

So what? So far all your postings in this thread have been
half-assed!

713. Re: MDT kicks ass

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew Hall <cvi473@freenet.mb.ca>
Message-ID: <Pine.SV4.3.91.980306040018.12286A-100000@winnie.freenet.mb.ca>
Source record: 168023

How did you manage to decode the mdt???

Andrew

714. Re: PRO-2009 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34ffdc65.5828586@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168024

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 00:54:17 -0800, **John Mackey** KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>What is the IF Frequency of a Pro-2009? I am would think it is 10.7
>MHz, can someone confirm that for me please?
>
>thanks!

Obviously another forged post since John *never* posts on topic.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

715. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK APOLOGY>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6domht$15i$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168025
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <34FE7EDF.2FE6@usa.net>, jmackey@usa.net says...
>
>You OBVIOUSLY know little or nothing about Bill Cheek to respond
>like this.
>
>Bill deserves all the trouble he has gotten here & more.
>
>Perhaps YOU should "hit the road"!
>
>

Are you sick or something John? It's taken you beyond the expected time to get into this argument.

Tyler

716. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6dompq$15i$2@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168026
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35061b5d.18896272@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com says...
>
>tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
>
>> Illegal to map a cell system? Give me a break.
>
>So call up the cellular provider and 'fess
>up to them. Tell them who you are; what you
>know; and see how long it takes to find a
>little fire under your arse.
>

Calling up the cellular provider is one thing. Call the cops and confessing to know the location of a cell tower and see what they do. See if you just don't get hung up on.

Of course if you call the cellular provider they're going to look into it. They don't want "electronic stalkers" finding out where their 200 foot towers are! They have them camo'd well enough that I can't see any of them. You show me the law and the wording of the law where it is illegal to map a cell system and I'll believe it.

Tyler

717. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK APOLOGY>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6don4g$15i$3@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168027
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>Anyway, your apology for the unwarranted side of
>this mess is appreciated and accepted, and mine is
>offered for whatever I did that may have been
>above and beyond the call of duty. Or below it.
>
>Back to even-Steven and a restart from neutral?
>
>Thanks.
>

Sounds good. I've been just a tad stressed lately (it's tough locating the cell towers you know...) and you are an easy flame target. (guaranteed to get a response)

Tyler

718. Re: EEPROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6don96$15i$4@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168028

In article <34FF97A0.56E@swbell.net>, tracey12@swbell.net says...
>
>Help!
>
>I have no idea what this is, but my brother needs something called an
>EEPROM. He said the part is called "24LC16", "24LC32" and "24LC64".
>If you know where these can be found, please send me a reply and I will
>pass it along to him. One other thing..he needs two of each part
>number.
>
>Thank you for your help!
>
>Tracey

It's a memory chip. Look it up in a catalog called Digi-Key. 1-800-344-4539

Tyler

PS: E.lectrically E.rasable P.rogrammable R.ead O.nly M.emory

719. Re: PRO 43 question, please help! ;)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6donm6$15i$5@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168029

In article <6do9pb$5lo@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>, fx1@ix.netcom.com says...
>
>I just got the scanner and I need to know what type of diode, (the one that
>enables keylock features etc, ex. "d1, d2, d3, d4") is it. I am heading to
>radio shack, but I feel they wouldn't know what I'm talking about (no
>offense, just from previous experiences) I am in need of getting this
>diode, if you can e-mail me or post the part number I will be forever
>thankful. Thanks to all in this group who have helped me with a lot of my
>scanner problems.
>
>Oliver

Someone wrote me once and said a fast switching doide would do the trick.

Try a 1N4148. (axial lead component) (Rat Shack doesn't have surface mount)

If you ask the sales idiots for a surface mount part, They're likely to give
you a computer mouse, so you'd better find it yourself.

Tyler

720. Re: Those Were the Days- Was:Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6donq0$15i$6@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 168030
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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In article <350a2249.20668189@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com says...
>
>tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
>
>> I EXPECT this from you. You're so easy to bait.
>
>Izzat what you call it? :-)) <Yawn>
>
>Anyway....ferget it. I assume we've hugged,
>kissed, and made up?

A handshake maybe, but none of the others listed!
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721. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306123400.HAA00765@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168031

In article <34FF0BFE.3E32@ruraltel.net>, Doug Younker <dougy@ruraltel.net>
writes:

>
> It's kinda scary that some would think being prohibited from
>eavesdropping on private conversations, "is a dark day for freedom". =
>
>Restrictions on listening to others telephone conversations is as old as
>party-line telephones.

Yes. Hardwired telephones. Major difference. Once you transmit a signal into
the airwaves, it can and will be monitored by others. If you want privacy, use
a landline. Or, at least spend the extra few dollars to encrypt your signal.

722. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bowenb@best.com
Message-ID: <34fff1f5.31911919@206.86.0.12>
Source record: 168032

jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:

>
>>Who is the guy that voted against it? We should all send $20 to >his
>re-election fund!
>
>He is Rep. Ron Paul (R) of District 14 in Texas. I believe he represents the
>Fort Worth district where Tandy and Uniden have their corporate headquarters.
>

JW,

Right state, but wrong part. Ron Paul's district is SW of Houston.
Incidently, Rep. Paul ran for President on the Libertarian Party a few
years ago and is all around a great guy! We need more like him in
Congress.

Regards,
Bill Bowen
bowenb@best.com
Daly City, CA

723. Re: new law passed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tweek@netcom-NO.SPAM-com
Message-ID: <EpEGIG.7yL@moraga.ness.com>
Source record: 168033

JTWard01 <jtward01@aol.com> wrote:
>
> Actually, before the bill passed today (H.R. 2369) can become law a
>companion bill must be introduced and passed by the U.S. Senate. If the Senate
>bill is identical to the House version then it becomes law when passed by the
>Senate.
[...]
> This is simple high school government class stuff, folks,

Actually, it needs to be signed by the President first... unless it
receives the nearly unanimous support in the Senate which it received
in the House. If that is the case, then a Presidential veto would be
easily overridden.

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Had your share of stoopid(tm) people?	
View the "Contra Costa Whines" at	[This space for lease]
http://www.io.com/~tweek/cocowhine/	

724. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <3500ea72.1274383@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168034
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 01:38:08 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
wrote:

>You (in fact, ALL of US, but ESPECIALLY YOU) need to be CORRECT
>in use of words & their definitations. Slang usage is different
>to geographical locations & generations.

Hey, monkey boy, how do you expect me to have any type of conversation with you
when you write like a kindergarten schoolgirl playing with her crayons?

Who are you going to blame for your retarded writings now? Shall you try
and point the finger at Cheek or me? Perhaps someone new? Anyone but the
real problem....YOU!

>> If you're gonna make another 1/2 assed attempt at correcting something I say, at
>> least get some minuscule portion of it right, will ya pal?
>
>
>So what? So far all your postings in this thread have been
>half-assed!

I've still got a long way to go before I even remotely come close to your record
of a million to none. Ever complete any challenges on finding anything relevant
you've posted here? Didn't think so baby boy.

725. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <3501eb5f.1510750@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168035
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 02:03:09 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
wrote:

>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
>> A transparent lie to cover up the fact that you were stealing access to
>> the internet. And, that your employer caught you stealing access and
>> terminated you for theft of services.
>
>Really!!!????!!?!?!?!?!?
>
>What proof do you have of this?

Your old account is gone......self explanatory.

>> You never "expained" anything. You did start the lie about not having
>> a real internet address to cover up your theft of services.
>
>There was NO theft of services! If there was, prove it!

Your persistent denial is good enough for me.

>I did NOT lie about NOT having a real internet address, I really
>did not have one AT THAT TIME.

Sure....we all believe you. Yea, that's it. It's ok jonnie.

726. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <3502ebce.1621797@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168036
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 04:09:27 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>
>
>> I never gave any fraudulent address. I always stated I did not have
>> an e-mail address! You hero, BILL CHEEK, used fraudulent addresses
>> & DID NOT give his real identity, WHEN HE DID INDEED HAVE A INTERNET
>> ADDRESS!
>
>You're a lying sack of shit, Smacksie. Any and
>all e-mail addresses I ever used were MINE, straight
>to me, and except for WINRADIO@SAN.RR.COM, all the
>rest have a clear segment of my name. And I STILL
>use the WinRadio address, too.
>
>No fraud here, Smacksie.....not like you and
>your forgeries, you sorry potlicker.

You really believe yourself, don't you Bill? Pretty funny!

You've been just as deceitful with e-mail as monkey boy.

727. Re: Mot. Spectra Scan - Syntor X9K better

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Radio" <drradio@NOSPAMhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6doui8$1b5$1@nnrp2.crl.com>
Source record: 168037

You are correct - most "professional" users don't listen to many channels. I use it like a scanner mostly since it is less susceptible to intermod and it has CTCSS.

However, this still seems like a step back from what the Syntor X9000's will do. They have 64 modes and one can scan any or all modes. But the max. freq. separation is poor.

An what's up with the Spectra's programming software? This stuff is brain-dead. Takes hours to program (multiple screens per mode? - argh!). It is somewhat improved over the Syntor, but it still cannot compare to that of the high-end Kenwoods which use a "spreadsheet" approach to freq, ctcss, names, etc.....

I will get off my soapbox now...thx for the reply. I hope all those looking for the Spectra will read this and be aware.

WB5SXK wrote in message <19980306002201.TAA14817@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>>you can only have 16 channels at a time defined in the scan
>>list....major problem.
>
>Not really a problem for the target users of the radio. You must remember
that
>this unit was not designed to be used as a scanner, but rather as a working
2
>-way radio. In such a use, there is little need to scan more than just a
few
>channels. Most of the officers on our police department rarely program more
>that three or four channels into their radios. We set them up here with the
>selected channel as the priority 1 scan and the Primary Dispatch channel as
the
>priority 2 scan. The individual user may then program others as needed.
>Bill Ford, WB5SXK
>Systems Administrator
>City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
>Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
>Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net

728. Re: Radio Shack scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306134800.IAA06780@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168038

I had mine repaired at G&G Communications in Leroy, New York. He charged a flat $35 repair fee plus parts (not an hourly rate, just $35)
I dont have their info at hand but they are on the web so you should have no trouble finding them.

Ed

729. Re: Pro-43 Memory chips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: pturton@niagara.com
Message-ID: <34fff86b.73456171@news.niagara.com>
Source record: 168039

Don't know how I missed it. In his book, 'The Ultimate Scanner', Bill Cheek points out that the AK93C67F is a 256x16 bit chip.

Microchip makes a 93LC66BX that should work.

93 - Microwire
LC - Low power CMOS - Max Vcc - 7.0 VDC
66 - 4K
B - 16 bit registers
X - Rotated pinout - similar to the AKM device.

Think I deserve 'The fat finger/head award' for this week. The AKM part number was incorrect in my original message.

Cheers, Paul

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>>
8<....snip
>I've been looking for replacements too. The closest I've come is the 93LC67.
8<....snip
> The 67's are under $2 !!!!!!
>
>Tyler

730. Re: new law passed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman27@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306215200.QAA10063@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168040

As I think I KNOW our government,IT WILL PASS!

731. Re: Rogue Cancels coming from Sprint Net in Portland, OR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sharon Hines <sharonhi@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35007149.71E0@erols.com>
Source record: 168041
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Sharon-
>
> You OBVIOUSLY do NOT know what you are talking about. :(

It would appear that you are the one that does not understand
what you are talking about. It was pretty STUPID on your
part to have issued a series of Rogue Cancels from the same
dial-in POP (located in Portland, OR) that you you just
used to post a series of your own articles.
>
> First, you are using "double negatives". A "forged" "cancel"
> is therefore NOTHING!

You issued a series a Rogue Cancels on Mr Cheek's and
Mr Kendrick's articles.

>
> Second, a newsgroup cancel would have to be presented to
> a NEWS (nntp) server, not a POP (incoming mail) server as
> YOU INDICATE BELOW!

The Rogue Cancels came from Sprint Net NNTP Server. The term
POP also stands for "Point of Presence". In this case the
"Point of Presence" was located in Portland, OR

>
> Third, is has been demonstrated that a couple of MY messages were
> canceled too so you point is MEANINGLESS!

You also posted some aritcles 5 minutes earlier from the same NNTP
posting Host!

NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31

The NNTP-Posting-Host IP address resolves to:

sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net.

732. Re: Rogue Cancels coming from Sprint Net in Portland, OR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <350066a3.381509@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 168042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 01:20:31 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Sharon-
>
>You OBVIOUSLY do NOT know what you are talking about. :(
>
>First, you are using "double negatives". A "forged" "cancel"
>is therefore NOTHING!

Nice footwork but not good enough. It is an acceptable practice
for the *author* of a post to cancel it by posting a cancel. When
someone posts a cancel of said post by altering the header infor-
mation to make it *appear* that the author is canceling it, that is
known as a "forge-cancel" or "forged cancel."

>Second, a newsgroup cancel would have to be presented to
>a NEWS (nntp) server, not a POP (incoming mail) server as
>YOU INDICATE BELOW!

Bzzzzzzzzzzzzzzt! Wrong again. In this case POP=Point Of Presence
or a local dial-up number if you will. Not a POP (Post Office
Protocol) Server. Two different things but you knew that!

>Third, is has been demonstrated that a couple of MY messages were
>canceled too so you point is MEANINGLESS!

You could have cleverly cancelled your own posts to divert suspicion
from yourself.

>Sharon Hines wrote:
>> This is a FORGED CANCEL from John Mackey on Sprint Net at the
>> Portland, OR dialup POP.

I don't think playing dumb is going to work this time John. I'll be
watching for you in a future episode of COPS in which the Multnomah
County SRT and the FBI apprehend the former Phantom Canceller of
the North.

Bad boys, bad boys, whatcha gonna do?
Whatcha gonna do when they come for you?

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

733. Re: HR2369 (Tauzin's bill)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6dps9s$n4a$1@uni.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 168043

Thanks for taking responsibility and correcting yourself 8*)

JTWard01 (jtward01@aol.com) wrote:

: All,

: I'd like to correct myself. The above was written before I had seen a copy of
: the committee report attached to H.R. 2369. At the time I believed that I had
: a legitimate concern. However, the report makes it clear as to the intent of
: the legislation. It reads, in part:

734. Re: Rogue Cancels coming from Sprint Net in Portland, OR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sharon Hines <sharonhi@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35007938.6657@erols.com>
Source record: 168044
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

George Vetterle wrote:
>
> On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 01:20:31 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
> <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>
> >Third, is has been demonstrated that a couple of MY messages were
> >canceled too so you point is MEANINGLESS!
>
> You could have cleverly cancelled your own posts to divert suspicion
> from yourself.
>

He also posted an Article 5 minutes earlier from the same NNTP posting host. This is a copy of some of the article that he posted. The headers, NNTP posting host and X-Mailer is identical to the Rogue Cancels.

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Path: winter.news.erols.com!howland.erols.net!newsfeed.internetmci.com!205.137.196.70!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: My confession.
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 00:58:35 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Lines: 6
Message-ID: <34FD17BB.7F5E@usa.net>
References: <34FB4FB1.2568@usa.net>
Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: winter.news.erols.com rec.radio.scanner:126180 alt.radio.scanner:75680

The above is ANOTHER FAKE MESSAGE!!!!!

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735. Re: Cell Phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6dptjh$hvm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168045

With me it's not the fact they don't want us to listen to cell phones, it's that the government is slowly limiting what we can and can't do. Also anything that's put in the airways and not encrypted should be fair game. I think US laws should be like the Canadian laws. Listen all you want but don't tell. Unfortunately, the ones with the power and influence don't see it
that way.

Second, cell phone companies should have been forced to inform customers that
their phone conversations could be intercepted. Many people don't realize that their phone is a radio. My mother-in-law now refuses to buy a cordless phone after I explained to her that she was broadcasting. I explained to her
that she should never use a cordless phone if she was concerned about someone else hearing and that was it.

That's just my opinion.

Leroy wrote in message <350030D5.4622A299@zebra.net>...
>Not that I'm against it, but is the ability to listen to people on cell
>phones all that important? I've listened to them on scanners, before it
>became illegal to make scanners that covered these ranges and also heard
>them on "ghost" frequencies. I've never heard anything good enough to
>really get me into the whole "cell" thing. What gets everybody so fired
>up about this whole cell thing.
> Even if the federal government outlaws cell conversions, there will
>still be ways to intercept. I mean they are not going to outlaw
>frequency doublers and all other sorts of ways to convert the signal.
>So why get so upset. The best thing the federal government could do is
>force all cell providers to switch to digital transmissions, this would
>solve the interception problem for a while, and also with compression it
>could free up a lot of valuable bandwidth for more interesting things.
>This is just my opinion, I'm curious to see what the rest of you think.
>Opinions are wonderful things; never take mine; form your own.
>
>Leroy {8>Q
>

736. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.com
Message-ID: <35007d32.20127010@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 168046
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You know Tyler I really think you have a problem! I asked Bill for
some software relating to scanners and low and behold I got it, no
problems at all!
Only problem I can see is that maybe your boyfriend lost his
wristwatch up your arse to make you act like you are!

By the way I would like to thank Bill for his help!

On 6 Mar 1998 11:31:06 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>In article <35061b5d.18896272@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com says...
>>
>>tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
>>
>>> Illegal to map a cell system? Give me a break.
>>
>>So call up the cellular provider and 'fess
>>up to them. Tell them who you are; what you
>>know; and see how long it takes to find a
>>little fire under your arse.
>>
>
>Calling up the cellular provider is one thing. Call the cops and confessing
>to know the location of a cell tower and see what they do. See if you just
>don't get hung up on.
>
>Of course if you call the cellular provider they're going to look into it.
>They don't want "electronic stalkers" finding out where their 200 foot towers
>are! They have them camo'd well enough that I can't see any of them. You
>show me the law and the wording of the law where it is illegal to map a cell
>system and I'll believe it.
>
>Tyler

737. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306225900.RAA20676@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168047

>From: radioman27@aol.com (Radioman27)
>Date: Fri, Mar 6, 1998 16:50 EST

>That's your United States of communist america,meaning the laws NOW work
>against the people ,not FOR the people.

Hmmmm. Let's see, there are about 50 million cellular and PCS users,
compared with maybe a million or so active scanner users. If HR2369 were put to
a public vote I have no doubt it would pass.

>I am moving to Canada,as
>soon as I get the money.

God Save the Queen.

738. Re: Drowned CHP Officers/Highway 166: Sequence of Events

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6dq1b3$9g6@ecuador.earthlink.net>
Source record: 168048
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

who are you talking to again?

739. FS Pro 2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: firecomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306235401.SAA29719@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168049

Hi

I HAVE A PRO 2022 SCANNER WITH 200 CHANNELS WITH CELLUAR CHANNELS. NICE RADIO
$150.00

THANKS

740. FS: Pro-62

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: SKYHAWK <sky444@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dq5lu$dim@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168050

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Great Shape Pro-62 Sell for make offer!!
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741. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4969$4d342a60$0edd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168051

Pat, To the best of my knowledge, the same time that John Mackey started to talk, just different people and now with computers. :-(Sad, ain`t it?
Charlie

Patrick <surfbear@ptialaska.DIESPAM.net> wrote in article <6dq308$s6m$1@news.ptialaska.net>...
> Sorry but I couldn't resist. I'll admit I have been lurking the group for
> about six months now, and I just have one question. How long HAS this flame
> war been going on now?

742. Sharon Hines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd496a$b0dee2c0$0edd0ad0@default>
Source record: 168052

Sharon,
Thanks ever so much for your work uncovering this liar. If I can do you any favors, let me know. We ALL owe you one, and I never forget a favor.

My hat off to you. <bowing down>
Charlie

743. FAQ: New Scanner User

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3500AA44.C21@ibm.net>
Source record: 168053
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

To All New Scanner Users,
If you are new to the radio monitoring hobby, I have compiled
a FAQ containing a collection of topics which are frequently
asked on the radio newsgroups.

Topics include :
Look Before You Post
Don't Ask What The Best Scanner Is
Picking A Scanner/Receiver
Scanner Glossary
Scanner Models FAQ
Scanner Dealers FAQ
Frequently Asked Frequencies
*FCC Frequency Databases
CTCSS & DCS
What's Illegal
Cellular-capable Scanners
Trunked Radio Systems
*Co-ax cable
Receiver Range
Your Scanner On A Plane
Frequency Counters
Magazines & Newsletters
Rechargable battery tips
My Web Page
Courtesy

*=Newly added topics

To see this FAQ, point your web browsers to

http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM

Happy reading!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/

744. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3500AFAA.B0AB3077@primenet.com>
Source record: 168054

Patrick wrote:
>
> Sorry but I couldn't resist. I'll admit I have been lurking the group for
> about six months now, and I just have one question. How long HAS this flame
> war been going on now?
>
> Patrick
> <He who lurks in the shadows holds the power in the kingdom>

This particular flame war has been active for about two years now.
After Mackey got evicted from the fido forums, he migrated to the
internet to continue his harassment and electronic stalking of
Bill Cheek. Historically speaking, Mackey is a sore loser.

745. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <3500B0AC.F60E3AA5@netwit.com>
Source record: 168055

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF wrote:

> You are lying again Eric.
>
> I was NEVER run off of Fidonet!
>
> I was removed from ONE fidonet echo by Bill Cheek as were about 30-50
> other
> people in a hostile take-over he did of the echo.

I was wondering......is there a centralized assignment agency responsible for placing lunatics like you in their respective newsgroups? Or do you all just blunder into groups on your own accord?

746. Re: More Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner from Sprint Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500C2B8.617A@usa.net>
Source record: 168056
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

HARDLY!

The same "evidence" you claim ALSO was used to cancel MY POSTS,
according to YOUR earlier statements!

Jesus Christ, WAKE UP & get with the program!

Sharon Hines wrote:
> You have NOT be cleared of this anything! It's pretty obvious to
> everyone in the group that YOU issued the Rogue Cancels on Mr Cheek's
> and Mr Kendrick's posts!

747. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500C326.6521@usa.net>
Source record: 168057
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

Funny,,,,

We have PROOF that it came from the server of YOUR ISP!!!!

I am not the one heading for trouble! But I suppose you will just
hop to a new ISP AGAIN like you do about once a year!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> ....that your ass is fixing to get a fire
> lit under it if you ain't more careful.
> You can't be pulling this forgery crap,
> Smacksie, and expect to get off scot-free
> for very long.

748. Need BC800XLT IF mod to RX 137 MHZ NOAA Satellites

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: gwod <gwod@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <6dqcf4$3sb@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 168058

Does anyone have information on modifying the IF of a BC800XLT?
I want to widen the IF from narrow band FM (15 khz) to at least 35-45 khz
to receive weather satellite fax image transmissions. This requires a wide
IF not found in most scanners.

I am looking for either the schematic, repair manual and source of IF
crystal filters OR the name of some repair shop that can do the mod for a
reasonable price.

The 800xlt is double conversion with a 10.7 MHZ 1st IF and a 450 KHZ second
IF. The ARRL Weather Satellite Handbook suggests a "cheap" 30 MHZ crystal
filter with a wide skirt and bypassing the 2nd IF with a 5 -15 pf coupling
cap.

Please reply to my address below.

Regards,

Greg
N2MFG
gwod@primenet.com

749. Re: Sharon Hines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500C1F7.7024@usa.net>
Source record: 168059

Same for me!

With the info you brought to the surface, you showed that the server listed was used to cancel MY messages, thereby clearing me as I certainly would NOT have canceled MY OWN messages!

Not bad, Sharon, THANKS! You're OK!

Charlie Dwenger wrote:
> Thanks ever so much for your work uncovering this liar. If I can do
> you any favors, let me know. We ALL owe you one, and I never forget a

750. Re: Rogue Cancels coming from Sprint Net in Portland, OR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <3500B864.C9364B4B@netwit.com>
Source record: 168060
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF wrote:

> Sharon-
>
> You OBVIOUSLY do NOT know what you are talking about. :(
>
> First, you are using "double negatives". A "forged" "cancel"
> is therefore NOTHING!

I can almost see your thought process during the creation of this missive:

One brain cell said to the other (the *only* other, I might add): "Ok. Forged=Bad thing......Cancel=Bad thing, ...sooooo...... Bad thing=Downer....and if you go *down* far enough, you get to the "negatives",...therefore...Forged=Negative and Cancel=Negative! And that's two Negatives!....which is a bad thing,.......writin' wise that is. Huruuumph! And to think they made fun of me all those years when I slept through english class!"

You really had to work hard for your GED, didn't you John?

751. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500C49F.146C@usa.net>
Source record: 168061
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

Should THAT scare me?

LOTS of people have reported to you net.abuse for things you
were guilty of & nothing happened.

Hell I am innocent anyway!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> You didn't, you horse's ass. You screwed up
> and went into your own server. And left tracks.
> And got reported to NET.ABUSE.....

752. Re: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500C431.3C63@usa.net>
Source record: 168062
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bullshit!

CTS.COM was right there in the path statement you
LIAR!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> You're a friggin imbecile, Smacksie. No one
> accessed the CTS server, you idiot! It was
> your Portland server....that only YOU can
> access.

753. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500C523.259A@usa.net>
Source record: 168063
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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As USUAL, when asked to provide proof of his statements,
Bill Cheek can not provide ANYTHING of substance other than
his child-like comments!

Bill Cheek wrote:

> *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > What proof do you have of this?

> You. Your presence. Your mere existence is
> prima facie proof.
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754. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500C5E1.4E23@usa.net>
Source record: 168064
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hank Hampton wrote:

> Your old account is gone......self explanatory.

Only because the requirements of my work duties have changed,
if that old goal was still a valid one, the account would still
be there.

Seriously, you can't expect an employer to pay for a T-1 connection
if it is not needed!

> >There was NO theft of services! If there was, prove it!
>
> Your persistent denial is good enough for me.

Thank you!

755. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500C66D.87C@usa.net>
Source record: 168065
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Sorry Bill it was TOOOO coincidental. Billy Thunder was on at the
same times as you, held all the same opinions & enemies as
you, & wrote like you. You are lying!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> That wasn't ME, you nincompoop. I saw 'im, too,
> but the SAN.RR.COM domain covers the north half
> of San Diego, you idiot. There are a lot of

756. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500C967.2508@usa.net>
Source record: 168066

Eric Oyen wrote:

> Hostile takeover?
> There were no such things on fidonet.

The people who were on scanradio BEFORE Bill Cheek became moderator
would certainly argue with you on that you little fool!

> In order to take over a forum, you had to have the CONSENT of several
> other forum ops and at least 5 hub admins (A vote of confidence).

Not true! You just gave the info on how to START an echo, we are
talking about how to become the moderator of an existing one.

Obvioiusly, you don't know what you are talking about.

> You were run off of scannradio, amateur radio and a few others. I should
> know, I was there to whitness it...

Sorry, but you are lying again. I was kicked off of scanradio, but NO
OTHER
ECHO, PERIOD.

However, I do remember YOU receiving warnings about YOUR behavior on
fidonet.

> Lies are your department, HUMAN. You seem to be so replete with them of
> late (such as amditting to using "bogus e-mail addresses because you
> couldn't access the net via netscape without an address"

That is not a lie, it is true! How do you figure it is a lie?

>(A clear case of theft of services).

Hardly true, my job at the time was to be on the internet testing
digital communications.

> Yor credibility is nonexistant, and your words mean next to nothing...
> It will be a long time before anyone believes even the truth from you...

hehehehehehehehe

YOU have been told this & similar so MANY times Eric!

YOU are the one guilty of it NOT ME!

hehehehehe

757. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500C9D8.764F@usa.net>
Source record: 168067

Lot 47 wrote:

> I'm not trying to sound like an elitist, but consider this:
>
> Who uses Netscape for a mail and/or news reader? Power Users? Net
> Wizards? ...or rank newbies who,(as yet) haven't quite figured out
> dedicated newsreaders?

Or people who make their living supporting that software &
need to stay familar with it. (which is also the reason I
only use windows 3.1 and NT)

Hurts, don't it!!!!

758. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bigdad <Bigdad@NOSPAM.tefbbs.com>
Message-ID: <3500DE7C.169C@NOSPAM.tefbbs.com>
Source record: 168068

Ira Chineson wrote:
>
> WASHINGTON (AP) ☐ The House decisively passed a measure
> Thursday to make it illegal for people to use scanners to
> intentionally eavesdrop on cellular phone calls.
>
> By a 414-1 vote, the House approved a bill that would prohibit
> people from modifying scanners to "intentionally intercept or
> divulge the content of radio communications." The bill, which
> would clarify and expand current prohibitions, would also eliminate
> the current $2,000 cap on penalties for violations.
>
> The bill arose after a Florida couple used a scanner to listen and
> tape-record a 1996 cellular telephone conversation that Rep. John
> Boehner, R-Ohio, was having with House Speaker Newt Gingrich,
> R-Ga., and House Majority Leader Dick Armey, R-Texas.
>
> "Little did I know that my words and my expressions were being
> recorded and end up as part of public relations campaign to try to
> destroy the speaker," Boehner, No. 4 in the GOP leadership, said
> during House debate.
>
> The tape made its way from Florida to the House ethics committee
> and was published by The New York Times.
>
> "I speak from personal experience about the outrage and sense of
> powerlessness one feels when they learn that their expectation of
> privacy has been destroyed," Boehner said.
>
> In addition to restrictions on individuals trying to eavesdrop, the
> bill
> would also extend current restrictions on scanner manufacturers to
> prohibit new machines that would intercept new conversations on
> the new generation of digital cellular telephones. And it would
> extend the Federal Communications Commission's ability to
> investigate and enforce violations.
>
> The bill's sponsor, Rep. Bill Tauzin, R-La., said it would expand
> the right to privacy in the digital age.
>
> "We in government ought to do everything we can to protect that
> expectation of privacy. That is what this bill is about," he said.
>

> The Senate has not yet passed a similar bill.

Me thinks that if these politicians didnt have so much to hide from the
people it wouldnt bother them to be evesdropped on once in a while.
--
Remove NOSPAM from the address to reply...
Please send all junk mail to:
Bill Gates c/o Microsoft

759. Re: PRO 2021 mods. experimental.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Buzz <shady_9@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3500C573.743B@hotmail.com>
Source record: 168069

CBRambo wrote:
>
> In article <35002E8E.B49B82C5@gulftel.com>, "Anne B. Lowery"
> <lowerys@gulftel.com> writes:
>
> >Does anyone know mods. for the RS Pro 2021?
>
> If you're talking about the supposed 800Mhz mod, forget it. Urban myth. You
> can get the frequency readout to display it, but no reception is possible
> because this scanner lacks the necessary front end to receive these
> frequencies.

I found this on the internet...I'm not electronically inclined enough
to expand on it.
But maybe someone else could and make it work. Read over it and see what
you think. It may be just a bunch of garbage.

Buzz

Repost from net:-------->overview: the pro2021 is a 200 channel
scanner, mode is implied by
frequency, missing the 220 ham band, 800+ cell fone/ISM band, the
170ish thru 380ish military? air band...
sold for about $200 from radio shack, first on special in 1986 time
frame.
bands which the cpu will honor may be excluded by the presence of
diodes near C151 (on silkscreen) top view, left end, rear.
in order from left starting with D44:
D44 - 'U2' - 810-960 MHz Mode: FM Step: 12.5 kHz (installed - cell
fone)
D?? - 'U1' - 380-512 MHz Mode: FM Step: 12.5 kHz
D?? - 'Hi' - 138-174 MHz Mode: FM Step: 5.0 kHz
D?? - 'Ar' - 108-136 MHz Mode: AM Step: 25.0 kHz
D45 - 'Mi' - 68- 88 MHz Mode: FM Step: 5.0 kHz (installed - TV
ch2-4)
D?? - 'Lo' - 30- 54 MHz Mode: FM Step: 5.0 kHz
After clipping D-44 the scanner will scan 810-960 MHz but will not
recieve.
Same for D-45
further: when the cpu selects a frequency, IC8 (a shift register) is
used to enable the rf front end for that band. IC8 is near center,
about 1.5 inches from front, thru-hole mounted on top. the outputs
of ic8 associated with D44 and D45 are not connected to anything.
R112 leads from pin 4 of ic8 to base of q10, and when the output
at pin 4 is active (low) enables VHF LO band reception.

Pin 5 of ic8 is active for "Mi" or "VHF-Mid" band recption.
another (10K) resistor may be connected from pin 5 to the rf-enable
end of r112. this will enable the lo/rf for 68-88.
this mod is incomplete, and any "scanner men" are invited to
enter this discussion.

Pin 13 is associated with the 810-960 MHz band, and similar
modification
of adding a 10K resistor from pin 13 to the rf end of r113 should
enable that rf front end.

note: search mode does not function with either of these mods, so
i'm probably missing something, but direct (manual) frequency entry
of the 2nd harmonic of the 440 MHz ham band coupled with the use of
a 440 HT who's 2nd harmonic is about 50 - 100 dB below carrier
result
in a full quieting signal at 5 watts at a distance of about 2 feet.

so: have we stimulated anyone who knows stuff about modifying scanners
to join in and help us 2021 owners out? If so, that would be
great.

btw: cycle the power after clipping diodes, the cpu seems to sample
the
diode array at power up only. Reset is not necessary.

Note: I haven't tried or verified this, proceed at your own risk.

760. Re: SEEKING A QUALITY THROAT MICROPHONE MANUFACTURER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hackman <hacker@nospam.jump.net>
Message-ID: <35002A43.B99224E9@nospam.jump.net>
Source record: 168070
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Barbara C. Manganis wrote:

> I've seen "ear microphones" that work on the premise that if you can
> hear yourself talk, so can a microphone.

no, they work on bone conductivity, not on the premise that if you can hear yourself talk, so can the mic

> I haven't played with them very
> much, but a bunch of tech weenies I know seem to like them. The nice
> thing is that you end up with both parts of your radio in your ear.
>
> I always wondered if they would make good emergency service equipment...
>

yes and no...in an enviroment with high background noise, the vox will often kick in, defeating the use of the ear mic.

> Barbara C. Manganis, 1LT, USAF
> Volunteer Firefighter/EMT
> Bernalillo County Fire Department
> New Mexico

761. Pro-26 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6dqdk1$e17$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 168071

On the schematic diagram in the PRo-26 Service Manual, I noticed that many of the CPU's pins were grounded or not connected to anything. Pins 4, 24-26, 65, 73-75, and 80-84 do not connect to any components. What is the purpose of these pins?

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762. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ingramj@erols.com
Message-ID: <6dqg83$hc1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 168072
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <34FD219B.D31@primenet.com>,
Cheek haters club <wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:
>
> This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
>

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Someone from SprintNet has cancelled one of Richard Kendrick's
posts to rec.radio.scanner.

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763. Re: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ingramj@erols.com
Message-ID: <6dqgdihcd1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 168073
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>,
John Mackey KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com> wrote:
>
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>

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ingramj@erols.com
Message-ID: <3500D045.4F65@erols.com>
Source record: 168074
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

ingramj@erols.com wrote:
>
> In article <34FD219B.D31@primenet.com>,
> Cheek haters club <wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:
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Info on the ROGUE CANCEL in rec.radio.scaner can be viewed below:

The headers indicate that the cancel came from Sprint Net.

A tracert of 206.133.225.31 resolves to the following:

Tracing route to sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net [206.133.225.31]

Path:
lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de!zrz.TU-Berlin.DE!news-ber1.dfn.de!news-fra1.dfn.de!news-kar1.dfn.de!n
ewsfeed.nacamar.de!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: Cheek haters club <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Newsgroups:
news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
Control: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:40:43 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD219B.D31@primenet.com>
References: <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de control:785826

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

765. Re: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ingramj@erols.com
Message-ID: <3500CFC5.333@erols.com>
Source record: 168075
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

ingramj@erols.com wrote:
>
> In article <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>,
> **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com> wrote:
> >
> > This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
> >
>
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lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de!zrz.TU-Berlin.DE!fu-berlin.de!newsfeed.direct.ca!news-peer-west.sprin
tlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Sprint!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Control: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>
References: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de control:785680

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

766. UBC895XLT???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <3500D273.36FB@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 168076
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Is there a European (870-890mhz) version of the BC985XLT?
Haven't seen one, so I suppose they don't exist...

Thanks,

Chris Stankevitz

767. Re: More Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner from Sprint Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Thomas <frankt6@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3500D5A7.4F137D07@ibm.net>
Source record: 168077
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

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*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF wrote:
>
> HARDLY!
>
> The same "evidence" you claim ALSO was used to cancel MY POSTS,
> according to YOUR earlier statements!
>
> Jesus Christ, WAKE UP & get with the program!

WISH YOU WOULD MS MACKEY.

YOUR LANGUAGE IS TERRIBLE.

YOUR FORGED POSTS ARE TIRESOME.

WOW, YOU CANCELED YOUR OWN POST TO CYA. BIG DEAL.

WATCHED YOU FOR 8 MONTHS NOW.
YOU ARE A REAL IDIOT AND POST ONLY TRASH.
HOPE SOME ONE SHUTS YOU DOWN AND SOON.
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768. Re: More Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner from Sprint Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Thomas <frankt6@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3500D93C.F87D6F77@ibm.net>
Source record: 168078
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

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*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF wrote:
>
> HARDLY!
>
> The same "evidence" you claim ALSO was used to cancel MY POSTS,
> according to YOUR earlier statements!

YOUR CYA DIDN'T FOOL NOBODY JOHNNIE.

>
> Jesus Christ, WAKE UP & get with the program!
>

WHEN ARE YOU GOING TO JOHNNIE?

YOU NEVER HAVE BEEN WITH ANY PROGRAM.

WAIT, ONCE YOU DID A MENTAL PROGRAM DIDN'T YOU?

NOW SHUT UP AND GO AWAY MS. MACKEY.

> Sharon Hines wrote:
> > You have NOT be cleared of this anything! It's pretty obvious to
> > everyone in the group that YOU issued the Rogue Cancels on Mr Cheek's
> > and Mr Kendrick's posts!
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769. ANOTHER FORGER????? tvine@teleport.com (bud powell)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Thomas <frankt6@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3500D92C.7784C999@ibm.net>
Source record: 168079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

From:tvine@teleport.com (bud powell)

bud powell wrote:

(CUT)

WHY THE NAME CHANGE PETER?

FORGET TO CHANGE YOUR HEADER AFTER A FORGE?

770. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Thomas <frankt6@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3500DB0A.5EF1ECC@ibm.net>
Source record: 168080

Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> Patrick wrote:
> >
> > Sorry but I couldn't resist. I'll admit I have been lurking the group for
> > about six months now, and I just have one question. How long HAS this flame
> > war been going on now?
> >
> > Patrick
> > <He who lurks in the shadows holds the power in the kingdom>
>
> This particular flame war has been active for about two years now.
> After Mackey got evicted from the fido forums, he migrated to the
> internet to continue his harassment and electronic stalking of
> Bill Cheek. Historically speaking, Mackey is a sore loser.

IT SEEMS TO ME MS MACKEY GETS IN FLAME WARS WITH EVERYBODY!

I SEEN IT IN OTHER GROUPS TOO.

I DID A SEARCH ON DEJANEWS AND HE HAS HUNDREDS OF POST FIGHTING WITH
MANY PEOPLE NOT JUST CHEEKS.

I AM NOT MAKING UP JOKES.

HE HAS HUNDREDS OF POSTS FIGHTING WITH ALL SORT OF PEOPLE - REALLY!

HE DOESN'T LOOK LIKE HE MAKES FRIENDS WELL.

771. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500EF56.5B2@usa.net>
Source record: 168081

I guess it depends on how dedicated you are & what lengths you
are willing to go to.

Would YOU go to a Doctor that wouldn't take his own medicene?

Lot 47 wrote:
> Staying familiar and use are two different things.
> Many of us here must stay familiar with all kinds of various software
> releases and system incarnations, but that doesn't mean that we *use* it,
> not in "real life".

772. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500F244.34E7@usa.net>
Source record: 168082

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> This particular flame war has been active for about two years now.

WRONG!

Truth:
Off & on for about 18 months (started July '96). It dies down
then either Richard Kendrick or Bill Cheek (sometimes under one
of their alias names) starts up all the CRAP AGAIN!

> After Mackey got evicted from the fido forums, he migrated to the
> internet to continue his harassment and electronic stalking of
> Bill Cheek.

WRONG!

Truth: MANY months after Cheek & I had a disagreement ending in my
leaving his fidonet echo, I came here only to find a MASSIVE
flame war with nearly everyone against Bill Cheek because of SEVERAL
things he did to cause problems in this forum. (Would you
like me to post some examples of people complaints of that time?)
I simply became part of the group to keep Cheek in line & out of
out hair on this NG.

> Historically speaking, Mackey is a sore loser.

WRONG!

Truth: Bill Cheek brings up the Fidonet problem, NOT ME! I believe
in NOT carrying grudges & getting on with life.

773. Re: Sharon Hines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500F284.305C@usa.net>
Source record: 168083

Lot 47 wrote:
> Thanks especially for pointing out the thinness of Mackey's attempted
> cover-up of cancelling a couple of his own posts! That was just one more

Bullshit!

All it did was point out the thinness of Sharon's own accusation!

x

774. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3500F2E4.4F5@usa.net>
Source record: 168084

Frank Thomas wrote:

> IT SEEMS TO ME MS MACKEY GETS IN FLAME WARS WITH EVERYBODY!

Only with the Cheek ass kissers on this NG!

> I SEEN IT IN OTHER GROUPS TOO.

Rarely on others! (Seriously, there isn't anyone who doesn't have
a disagreement now & then on any NG).

775. HELP:WOODPECKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: PSYPHY@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6dnhds$5nj$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 168085

Hi,
Ii¿½m looking for audio recordings and any information (dates, freqs.,
durations, bandwidths, logs...) of woodpecker signals for a scientific
documentation.
Most of that happened a long time ago but maybe someone still has
recordings of those signals.
Please msg me.

Thanks
Karsten

776. FS: Post Tracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Kearman <jkearman@javanet.com>
Message-ID: <3500B16B.A7622FBB@javanet.com>
Source record: 168086

Please take a few minutes to read this posting before you delete it! Like you, I used to be confused by cancelled and forged postings. Was it John Mackey, IWStirn or Bill Cheek? Is Bill Cheek also John Mackey disguised as IW Stirn? Is Bill Cheek really Big Foot?

Why did I care? Because I live in an area so far from "civilization" that the local police don't even have trunked systems. They just use one frequency. How boring! No need to buy a new scanner. There was more excitement on the local McDonald's drive-through frequency than on the police bands.

Then I discovered "Post Tracker." Post Tracker (patent pending) identifies the _real_ sender of every email and newsgroup posting you read. Nevermore will I read a posting from "nobody@nowhere.com" or iwstirn@bigfoot.com and wonder "who the $%&* is that guy???" Now I know, and you can too!

Yes, I know, you've been offered panaceas before, but just think about this: No more unfocused rage at these children wasting bandwidth on your favorite newsgroups! Now you'll know who to hate! Folks, this is the best invention to hit scanning since the squelch control.

For a limited time only, you can own a first generation Post Tracker of your very own. See our webpage at www.posttracker.com for details. Don't wait, get yours now while supplies last.

--

James E. Kearman

NOTE: You MUST replace "dot" in my reply-to address with "." or your reply will bounce!

777. Re: What is the best all around mobile scanner antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306135000.IAA11388@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168090

I am currently using the Austin Spectra. Works like a champ.
Have it mounted on a motorola mount on the rear fender.
Using my Yupiteru MVT-7100 I hear everything, it even does a good job on shortwave.

Ed

778. FS: Uniden BC1700XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Garry W. Woods" <kb8sgo@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#j2BAiQS9GA.312@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 168091

BC760XLT, 800 Mhz, like new and not use mobile.
$150+shipping
Garry (423) 457-8961

779. trunked systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: RJ &Maggie <rgilbert@mill.tds.net>
Message-ID: <350004B3.16D0BBC6@mill.tds.net>
Source record: 168092

hello, am looking for a scanner that will follow johnson trunked systems. radio shack or uniden trunk trackers do not do this. they follow motorola 1 11 & 111. help thanks rj rgilbert@mill.tds.net

780. Re: trunked systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcardani@erols.com
Message-ID: <35000bbe.6313158@news.tju.edu>
Source record: 168093

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 09:14:11 -0500, RJ &Maggie <rgilbert@mill.tds.net>
wrote:

>hello, am looking for a scanner that will follow johnson trunked
>systems. radio shack or uniden trunk trackers do not do this. they
>follow motorola 1 11 & 111. help thanks rj rgilbert@mill.tds.net
>
There are no scanners on the market that can follow EF Johnson LTR
trunking. What you can do is either purchase a CSI LT-2 LTR decoder or
an Optoelectronics DC442 plus (which has LTR decoding). Both units can
output all trunking data to the serial port. Then write software to
read the data from the port and automatically change the frequency of
a computer-controlled scanner. A programmer with a little knowledge
about how LTR trunking works plus who knows the ICOM/Optoelectronics
CI-V commands would be able to write a program easily.

Joe

781. Part needed for Bearcat 200XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wayne_b@nospam.access.digex.net
Message-ID: <350011a7.90220819@newsreader.digex.net>
Source record: 168094

I need a 2SB815B6-YDY (Q201) surface mount transistor for my Bearcat 200XLT scanner. Anyone know of a source, or cross reference for this part?

Thanks.
Wayne

782. FS: Radio Shack Pro-43 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Aydelotte <aydelott@jax-inter.spamsucks.net>
Message-ID: <35000EAC.5B37DEF9@jax-inter.spamsucks.net>
Source record: 168095

1994 Radio Shack Pro-43 Scanner w/ full 800Mhz restored.
Includes Nicad Batteries, A/C Adapter/Charger, Rubber Antenna, & Manual.

Selling because I no longer have time to listen to it much, and my
interests have changed.

This unit is fully functional with one exception, which you will notice
as soon as you turn it on.. The speaker is partially blown, and sounds
distorted at anything but the lowest volume levels. You can order Radio
Shack part EAS-3P127 and replace it yourself, if you are handy, or you
can use the RS clip-on lapel speaker I'm including, which works just
fine plugged into the headphone jack. Just don't take it to RS for
repair, as I believe they will "un-restore" the cell freqs.

$180 firm, includes insured shipping within CONUS. E-mail if interested
(remove spamsucks from the address).

John Aydelotte

783. Re: HR2369 (Tauzin's bill)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spam Hater <spamh8@kktv.com>
Message-ID: <35001568.3504FE03@kktv.com>
Source record: 168096

Adolf Hitler / Joseph Stalin would be proud of this country. Without SW radios, we would have to "depend" on the Media Elite such as ABC,CBS, NBC, CNN for our news. Since the foreign media like the BBC tells us what is really going on with the Clintons and telling it like it is. Might as well call the Media Elite by their true name, "Pravada" or state radio & TV since they are in such cahoots with the gov't people.

If you think that you have freedom of speech in the US, think again. Hear of the term, "Political Correctness" ? It is permeating corporate Amerika. I worked for a company that was known to break up Ma Bell and they are hell bent on political correctness. I mentioned that I am an NRA member and I got the 3rd degree for that. I mentioned that I enjoyed scanning and also got the 3rd degree as well. I had an anti-Clinton calendar and I was told to take it down.

Think of how our society is turning for the worst. No one cares for the US Constitution.
Our polically correct school system will not teach items like the Bill of Rights,

but will teach that we are not to question the rules, just go along to get along. They will not teach the children to think but to follow without complaint or question.

Why did Hitler get away with exterminating millions of people ? No one would dare question why things were going on that were not right.

Well, off my soap box while it is still there.....

JTWard01 wrote:

> While the Chapter 119 exemptions protect 99 percent of what scanner
> listeners monitor above 30 MHz from this provision, they may not be broad
> enough to cover all categories of shortwave utility communications. Allowing
> H.R. 2369 to prohibit interception of these shortwave utility communications
> could cause virtually all current shortwave radios on the market to become
> illegal.

784. Re: Looking to buy AOR-AR2700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Varine <Witch*Dr@usa.nospam.net>
Message-ID: <350015B4.1CB2@usa.nospam.net>
Source record: 168097

Brent Andre wrote:
>
> I'm looking to buy an AOR-AR2700 scanner with no gaps in excellent condition
> with no scratches.

Don't bother, it's a terrible scanner. I had for a year before it was
stolen and let me tell you, it was a miserable scanner. Intermod like
crazy, OK sensitivity, etc.

785. Re: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35001f45.57403241@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168098

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > It is a REAL forgery done by Mackey who
> > thought he was being cool and screwed
> > up instead.

> NO, Bill you are lying AGAIN!
>
> YOU were attempting to imitate ME & forgot to change ALL
> your headers.
>
> Besides, there is NO way I could have accessed YOUR
> news server at cts.com!

You're a friggin imbecile, Smacksie. No one
accessed the CTS server, you idiot! It was
your Portland server....that only YOU can
access.

What a dumbass...........
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786. Re: Those Were the Days- Was:Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35022011.57607207@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168099

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> In article <350a2249.20668189@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com says...
> >
> >tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
> >
> >> I EXPECT this from you. You're so easy to bait.
> >
> >Izzat what you call it? :-)) <Yawn>
> >
> >Anyway....ferget it. I assume we've hugged,
> >kissed, and made up?
>
> A handshake maybe, but none of the others listed!

Okay. Except have you peed with that hand
recently? Not sure I want to touch it.

:-)

787. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK APOLOGY>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35011fb3.57512502@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168100

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> Are you sick or something John? It's taken you beyond the expected time to
> get into this argument.

He's still nursing a sore poopy from getting
kicked off the FidoNet a couple of years ago.

He has to take suppositories now and again and
then get bed rest while they take away some
of the pain.

788. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3503205d.57682717@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168101

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Depends on what you mean by "me". But if
> > you are not denying the confession, then
> > I suppose you could say I am "supportive".

> You are talking in meaningless circles, again.

You're the one who confessed, you damned idiot.
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789. WTD: E.F. Johnson Scanner(s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William G. Becks" <wbecks@sun.lssu.edu>
Message-ID: <3500156B.24B3E9CA@sun.lssu.edu>
Source record: 168102

Wanted,

E.F. Johnson Hi-Lo or Hi-Lo/Uhf crystal type scanner(s). Also looking
for the same
in an SBE unit.

Thank you,

Bill, WA8WG wbecks@sun.lssu.edu

790. WTD: SBE Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William G. Becks" <wbecks@sun.lssu.edu>
Message-ID: <350015BC.4AA9DE52@sun.lssu.edu>
Source record: 168103

Wanted,

SBE Hi-Lo or Hi-Lo/Uhf crystal type scanner(s). Also looking for same
in an
E.F. Johnson unit.

Thank you,

Bill, WA8WG wbecks@sun.lssu.edu

791. Re: RELM MS 200 Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William G. Becks" <wbecks@sun.lssu.edu>
Message-ID: <35001435.EB6C80C0@sun.lssu.edu>
Source record: 168104

JSPRINE wrote:

> Anyone have any information, comments, or gripes/praise about the new Relm MS
> 200?
> James S. Prine
> http://www.prinebooks.com

I just purchased the M-200. Not too bad. However, I find that the
selectivity is
very poor. Local 155.535 Sheriff Repeater comes in on 155.490, another local
channel. Have also found problems with FM Broadcast stations being demodulated

on various high band frequencies. Some birdies too. One is on 155.750 another

local channel used in my area.

The sensitivity is excellent! Birdies fair. Selectivity not so good!

Bill, WA8WG wbecks@sun.lssu.edu

792. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350420b8.57773956@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168105

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Of course he's on drugs, dummy.

> Hey Bill -
>
> YOU are the one who has PUBICALLY admitted going to professional
> psychotherapy!

Ri---ght. Sure, pal. And you don't know how to
spell "publicly"........

And you have a master's degree? In what?

Pedophilia?

793. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3505212d.57891531@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168106

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > You're a lying sack of shit, Smacksie. Any and
> > all e-mail addresses I ever used were MINE, straight
> > to me, and except for WINRADIO@SAN.RR.COM, all the

> Yea Bill but you forgot a few others too.
>
> Want me to post the "Billy Thunder" posts you made &
> the other similar posts?

That wasn't ME, you nincompoop. I saw 'im, too,
but the SAN.RR.COM domain covers the north half
of San Diego, you idiot. There are a lot of
scannists and lurkers on it.

Try again, oh mindless one.

794. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350621a7.58013082@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168107

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:

> You've been just as deceitful with e-mail as monkey boy.

No I haven't. WYSIWYG.

795. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350721e0.58070547@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168108

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > A transparent lie to cover up the fact that you were stealing access to
> > the internet. And, that your employer caught you stealing access and
> > terminated you for theft of services.
>
> Really!!!????!!?!?!?!?!?
>
> What proof do you have of this?

You. Your presence. Your mere existence is
prima facie proof.

> There was NO theft of services! If there was, prove it!
>
> I did NOT lie about NOT having a real internet address, I really
> did not have one AT THAT TIME.

Methinks thou doest protest too much.

> Really! Where/when did I admit to using fraudulent addresses &
> theft of services? Please post your proof that I admitted (or even
> did) these things.

Poor, poor, little betrodden Johnnie Mackey.
He's been so victimized.....and castigated.

Or is it 'castrated'........?

796. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert J. Wickham" <leaderman@i-55.com>
Message-ID: <35002396.5283@i-55.com>
Source record: 168109
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Bill,
>
> You are talking in meaningless circles, again.
>
> :(
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Depends on what you mean by "me". But if
> > you are not denying the confession, then
> > I suppose you could say I am "supportive".
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797. WCW/WWF freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ClaytonF_Gibbs <cfgibbs@valdosta.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.95.980306074830.12226A-100000@grits>
Source record: 168110

Anyone have freqs used at WWF/WCW wraslin events?? ie. security,Turner stage crews, wireless mikes etc??

Thanks

Clay

798. Info:Just Back From Japan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ss@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <350020f3.6662712@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 168111

Just back from a trip to Tokyo and thought the following might be of interest. At Akihabara I picked up a ICOM PCR-1000, going price there is $320. Also, bought the UT-106 DSP board $61. R-10's selling there for $240. Nice to have a little strength in the Dollar vs the Japanese Yen!
If you get a chance to go there you should also pick up a copy of the1998 Receiver Modification Bible. This is a book that covers all the mods on just about every available radio. Text is in Japanes but it is mostly pictures and diagrams and you can pretty much figure things out. The book will cost you about $9.50. Tony N2SS

799. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350822cd.58307021@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168112

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

> You show me the law and the wording of the law where
> it is illegal to map a cell system and I'll believe it.

All you have to do is read the public law,
Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986.

It's pretty clear....for an Act of Congress.

+---+
| Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
| PO Box 262478 ~ San Diego, CA 92196-2478 |
| Busn-Voice: (619) 578-9247 (1:30pm-5:30pm, PDT) FAX: anytime |
| E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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800. Re: Truck Tracking Scanner info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: LanTran@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dp5at$p8a$1@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168113

Come on now. Obviously, Doug was intending to find out if the highly trained dog that hunts missing luggage would find freqs.

You can find them most places not many in Asia,however.

801. Re: Dallas ATC internet address?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <34ffe79b.961808@news.total.net>
Source record: 168114
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 22:22:15 -0800, "Brent Andre" <brent5@flash.net>
wrote:

>I used to listen to the Dallas Fort Worth air traffic control over the
>internet. I can't find it anymore , does anyone know the internet address
>for this or any other air traffic control facilities?
>
>

www.policescanner.com
if I don't misunderstand

http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/
contains lots of amateur, scanner and other stuffs so you may want to
visit this web page as well !!!!!!!

Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

802. Re: HR2369 (Tauzin's bill)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306170200.MAA02650@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168115

>JTWard01 wrote:
>
>> While the Chapter 119 exemptions protect 99 percent of what scanner
>> listeners monitor above 30 MHz from this provision, they may not be broad
>> enough to cover all categories of shortwave utility communications.
>Allowing
>> H.R. 2369 to prohibit interception of these shortwave utility
>communications
>> could cause virtually all current shortwave radios on the market to become
>> illegal.
>
>

All,

I'd like to correct myself. The above was written before I had seen a copy of the committee report attached to H.R. 2369. At the time I believed that I had a legitimate concern. However, the report makes it clear as to the intent of the legislation. It reads, in part:

"...Section 2511(g) provides a number of broad exemptions for the interception by private parties of radiocommunications, including those that are transmitted over a) a system configured for ready access by the general public; b) by any station for the use of the general public, or that relates to ships, aircraft, vehicles or persons in distress; c) any governmental, law enforcement, civil defense, private land mobile, or public safety communications system that is readily accessible to the general public; d) by any station operating in the amateur, citizens band (CB); and e) by any marine or aeronautical communications system.
"Because the Committee preserved the Chapter 119 exceptions in its amendment of Section 705(a) of the Communications Act, the Committee does not intend for the Commission or any other enforcement agency to investigate or fine parties for the interceptions authorized by Chapter 119. Therefore, the Committee does not intend for the uses of scanning receivers and receiving radios such as shortwave radios,
that are consistent with the Section 2111(g) exceptions to be investigated
or fined under Section 705(a)."

This makes it clear that Congress is not trying to ban the use of shortwave radios. Although not all shortwave communications may be covered by the listed exemptions, the vast majority of communications that most SWLs are interested in are covered.

John

803. PRO 2021 mods. wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Anne B. Lowery" <lowerys@gulftel.com>
Message-ID: <35002E8E.B49B82C5@gulftel.com>
Source record: 168116

Does anyone know mods. for the RS Pro 2021?
Thanks in advance.
Henry
lowerys@gulftel.com

804. Re: new law passed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6dpaih$o62@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 168117
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Labtech1 (labtech1@aol.com) writes:
>>Up here in Canada we have NO RESTRICTIONS on what we monitor, but we are
>>by law prevented to divulge what we heard, or to use what we heard for
>>personal gain.
>
> Sounded like the Communications Act of 1934 here in the
> states..... Unfortunaltly, the idiots in Congress thought
> differently

There wasn't much of a cell phone industry lobby up here, the reason is pretty simple. Ban them in the USA, and Canada gets the trickle down theory, RatShack doesn't sell cell capable scanners up here, they sell the USA market version. Yes if you look you can find Icom, Uniden Bearcat scanners, but again only at a small number of "Ham" dealers.

There have been rumours since the USA passed the ECPA in 1986, that the Parliament of Canada would pass similar laws, but to date no bills have been introduced. Pre-occupation over Quebec I suppose... Scanners are a pretty low priority up here...

Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

"Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

805. Cell Phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leroy <ldickson@zebra.net>
Message-ID: <350030D5.4622A299@zebra.net>
Source record: 168118

Not that I'm against it, but is the ability to listen to people on cell phones all that important? I've listened to them on scanners, before it became illegal to make scanners that covered these ranges and also heard them on "ghost" frequencies. I've never heard anything good enough to really get me into the whole "cell" thing. What gets everybody so fired up about this whole cell thing.
Even if the federal government outlaws cell conversions, there will still be ways to intercept. I mean they are not going to outlaw frequency doublers and all other sorts of ways to convert the signal. So why get so upset. The best thing the federal government could do is force all cell providers to switch to digital transmissions, this would solve the interception problem for a while, and also with compression it could free up a lot of valuable bandwidth for more interesting things. This is just my opinion, I'm curious to see what the rest of you think. Opinions are wonderful things; never take mine; form your own.

Leroy {8>Q

806. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35042956.17376701@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168119
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 16:18:20 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:
>
>> You've been just as deceitful with e-mail as monkey boy.
>
>No I haven't.
>

I think you are actually beginning to believe your own lies, slick.

You were playing "anonymous Joe salesman" until the similarities were pointed out between that account and your real one.

Deny it all you want, old man. That's a fact you just can't hide from.

807. Re: PRO 43 diode question, Please Help :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <350033eb.466942@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 168120
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

You can also substitute a 1N4148 fast switching diode instead of
waiting for the surface mount diodes to come in. If you are doing the
shortwave modification, then it is best to use the 1N4148 diode which
enables to you bridge the span of space needed.

Wiggie

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 13:57:52 GMT, pturton@niagara.com (Paul Turton)
wrote:

>From the service manual:
>
>D1, D2, D3, D4 - MA110 Marked 1A (Silicon) Mfr's Part No. MA110
> or 1SS352 Marked C1 (Silicon) Mfr's Part No. 1SS352
>
>
>From http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/doc30/30401.htm :
>
>D1, D2, D3, D4 Cat. No.: 10617314
> Description: Diode Si MA110
> NP Part # : DD0052
>
>Cheers,
> Paul
>
>
>"FX1" <fx1@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>>I just got the scanner and I need to know what type of diode, (the one that
>>enables keylock features etc, ex. "d1, d2, d3, d4") is it. I am heading to
>>radio shack, but I feel they wouldn't know what I'm talking about (no
>>offense, just from previous experiences) I am in need of getting this
>>diode, if you can e-mail me or post the part number I will be forever
>>thankful. Thanks to all in this group who have helped me with a lot of my
>>scanner problems.
>>
>>
>>Oliver
>>
>

808. Re: Pro -39 Date Code Mod 3a4 can you??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: DerrikS@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dpcc1$8g3$1@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 168121

My PRO-39 has no A in the serial number either. My manufacture code is 2A3. I did the cell mod with no problems. 3a4, (I beleive) was the last date before the cell ban. So quite possibly you can do it. but don't take my advise, ask around to find out for certain.

809. For sale : RS Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: brrygida@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306184900.NAA10727@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168122

For Sale -
Radio Shack Pro 2006 scanner in excellent condition
with manual,telescopic antenna, no box,
Full coverage, on/off display switch (no dimmer) - $325.00
I will consider trade up for full coverage AOR-8000

RS Pro 2006 Features:

400 Memory Locations
Hyperscan Scanning Of 26 Channels Per Second
Back Light LCD
117 v. AC or 12v. DC
Memory Back Up Battery
Audio Tape Out
External Speaker Output
Full Cell Coverage
$325.00 plus shipping in CONUS via UPS

Brrygida@aol.com

810. Quick License?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim@animalmakers.com
Message-ID: <6dpmsjfrp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 168123

I purchased a hand held unit for emergency use. Living in the hills of california, one never knows when telephone and utilities will be cut off. I would like to know what is the easiest way to prep for the exam and get a license. Can i use the radio in the event of an emergency, even with no license?

thanks, jim

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

811. FS Pro 2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommis <tommis@matrix.uti.com>
Message-ID: <3500562E.D0EEBA8E@matrix.uti.com>
Source record: 168124

Make me a offer. Radio is in great shape. With manual and antenna.

812. Re: RELM MS 200 Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrw39@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306201800.PAA21894@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168125
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>Anyone have any information, comments, or gripes/praise about the new Relm MS 200?

>> James S. Prine http://www.prinebooks.com

> I just purchased the M-200. Not too bad. However, I find that the selectivity is very poor. Local 155.535 Sheriff Repeater comes in on 155.490, another local channel. Have also found problems with FM Broadcast stations being demodulated on various high band frequencies. Some birdies too. One is on 155.750 another local channel used in my area.

The sensitivity is excellent! Birdies fair. Selectivity not so good!
> Bill, WA8WG wbecks@sun.lssu.edu

I've heard quite a few mixed reviews on this. I'd like to see some more comments. Also, a few months back, there were some url's of Relm dealers, with pretty good prices. If you know of one, could you email me with please?

813. HAMFEST March 8, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: notme@127.0.0.1
Message-ID: <6dpljf$85o$1@newstand01.iconnet.net>
Source record: 168126

HAMFEST March 8, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

GREAT SOUTH BAY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB & SUFFOLK COUNTY RADIO CLUB
ARRL APPROVED LONG ISLAND HAMFEST-COMPUTER SHOW - MARCH 8, 1998

LINDENHURST, LI - NY

On March 8, 1998 the Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club & Suffolk County Radio Club will again sponsor an indoor Hamfest-Computer Show. The location Will be at the:

Knights of Columbus
400 South Broadway, Lindenhurst, NY.

This is an ARRL approved Hamfest.

There will be radio equipment, electronic components, computers and accessories, software, books, technical manuals, ARRL information, Amateur Radio License Exams and information. Door Prizes. General admission is $ 6.00. $5.00 with coupon. (Coupons will be available at the door.)

ARRL VE - 12:00 NOON
For exam candidates please remember to bring your original FCC Amateur Radio license (if licensed), any C.S.C.E. forms that are pending, plus a photocopy of each, pens, calculator, formal form of ID (preferably photo ID), and the examination fee, to the exam session. 1998 ARRL/VEC fee is $ 6.35, exact change is appreciated. Novice exams are free.
The VE team is from ISLIP ARES Group and GSBARC. Thanks guys.

For vendor and additional information pleas contact, Tom Favilla N2MIG at (516)957-5985, during EVENING HOURS (7PM-10PM), or info@gsbarc.org
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Talk-in will be via GSBARC Repeaters on 146.685 4Z(136.5) PL

Food Service during the Hamfest will be provided by members of the Knights of Columbus Council.

Information is available during the club 2-meter info net:
GSBARC-Monday at 7:00 PM on the W2GSB repeater, 146.685 -600 4Z(136.5)PL.
SCRC - Wednesday at 8:00 PM on the W2DQ repeater, 145.210 -600 4Z(136.5)PL .

You may also write to:
HAMFEST
P.O. Box 1356
West Babylon, NY 11704

Visit GSBARC online at http://www.gsbarc.org/hamfest.htm
or e-mail to info@gsbarc.org

NEXT HAMFEST- September 27, 1998

73,
GSBARC & SCRC

Joe Tomasone, AB2M

EMAIL:
joe@
ab2m.net

814. Trunk Tracker Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: #629371@att.net
Message-ID: <6dpmp4$dol@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168127
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Looking to purchase a Trunk Tracker scanner. Uniden or Radio Shack -
base or portable.

Please advise with make/model, condition, and price.

Thanks.

John

Remove the pound sign (#) from my E-mail address to reply

815. Sell or Swap...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: #629371@att.net
Message-ID: <6dpmlb$dol@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 168128
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

The following gear is in excellent condition - No C.O.D's - some help
on shipping - advise zip code in reply.

May swap for Trunk Tracker or other scanners.

1. Kenwood TS-870S Xcvr - Serial # 70600274 - $1450 - SOLD
2. RS HTX-202 2mtr Hand held w/batt & ant - $95
3. MFJ 20mtr (cw) QRP transceiver - $90.
4. Icom IC-PS15 Pwr Supply - $100
5. Pyramid Phase III 35 amp (variable) dual mtr Pwr Supply - $100
6. Emco PS-12L (HD) 10 amp Pwr Supply - $25
7. Kenwood PS-52 Pwr Supply - matches 870 - $105 - SOLD
8. Kenwood SP-31 Spkr - w/audio filters - matches 870 - $75
9. Kenwood SW-2100 SWR/PWR meter (dual) - matches 870 - $90
10. Oskerblock SWR-200 SWR/PWR meter (dual) - $55.
11. Daiwa CN-101L SWR/PWR meter (15w/150w/1.5kw) - $70
12. Icom HM-12 hand mike - $20 - SOLD
13. Icom HM-7 hand mike - $30
14. Alfa 7705 Capacitance Meter w/case/leads - $50

Inquiries welcomed.

John Lewis
WA6SPA/0
St. Louis, Mo. 63116

Remove the pound sign (#) from E-mail address to reply.

816. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd4ykv2@fuse.net
Message-ID: <35026232.1630942@nntp.fuse.net>
Source record: 168129

On 6 Mar 1998 11:31:06 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>In article <35061b5d.18896272@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com says...
>>
>>tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:
>>
>>> Illegal to map a cell system? Give me a break.
>They don't want "electronic stalkers" finding out where their 200 foot towers
>are! They have them camo'd well enough that I can't see any of them. You
>show me the law and the wording of the law where it is illegal to map a cell
>system and I'll believe it.

For one, tou have to listen to the cell conversation with a scanner or
an RF scope to follow it. That *is* illegal.

Randy

817. Re: Motorola Spectra Scan Ques. - Limitations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lidstrom <jlidstrom@accessone.com>
Message-ID: <350067A9.6EA84F1D@accessone.com>
Source record: 168130
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner

Spectra radios allow several different types of scanning.First, of course, each frequency needs
to be loaded into a mode location. You then have the following options: operator or mode slaved
scanning. If you set up for operator scanning, you only get sixteen scanable frequencies. If you
set up for mode slaved scanning, EACH MODE gets a different group of 16 scannable frequencies.
Ditto for zones. The A7 and A9 seem to use the same firmware, and vary in power, features,
and control head. Unless you are doing your own programming, which requires a RadioInterfaceBox,
the Spectra.com program from motorola, etc.., using this wonderfully complex two-way as a scanner
is.....well, it's not very....appropriate. Buy a scanner.
sorry. John

Dr. Radio wrote:

> I have a UHF A5 Spectra and although the unit has 128 possible modes,
> apparently, you can only have 16 channels at a time defined in the scan
> list....major problem. If one sets up zones, then you can have 16 per
> zone, but only one zone can be scanned at a time.
>
> Anyone know if the A7 and A9 models have the same limitations?
>
> Mot. glossy spec sheets "forgot" to mention these limitations (an honest
> mistake????). No other radio I have ever used has such limitations -
> especially when one pays the price they want for these units.
>
> About ready to go back to my commercial Kenwood equipment...
> --
> _____________________________
> The Doctor
> DrRadio@NOSPAMhotmail.com
> Remove the NOSPAM when replying

818. Re: Quick License?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306210300.QAA02854@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168131

What type of unit did you purchase? And to whom would you communicate??>I purchased a hand held unit for emergency use.

Bill Ford, WB5SXK
Systems Administrator
City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net

819. Re: Pro -39 Date Code Mod 3a4 can you??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <350060DC.166C@netwit.com>
Source record: 168132

orbitone@worldnet.att.net wrote:
>
> Can you mod a pro 39 with the date code of 3a4 .. like to know cause I
> might buy one from a guy he says there is no "A" in the serial number
> either like the pro 43 model like to know if it is possible before I
> go out and buy it thanks..

I think that 4a4 is the first date code with the epoxy over the diode
that must be removed. (D10 or something). However, it is quite
possible the the epoxy treatment was started somewhere within the 3a4
production year. Not much help, huh?

820. FreeTracker: Computer program for BC895 has been released!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <B922A13E6DCD20A3.1E6A6FA1EB663EB1.0B3ED16AF051834C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 168133
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

FreeTracker Beta 2 is ready for download!
http://www.webcom.com/autownet/freetrack.html

FreeTracker is a computer program dedicated to the BC895 TrunkTracking scanner.

* Supports up to 5,000 "Virtual Channels" which are like the radio's normal
channels, but add Callsign, Description, Color (for activity log), Alarm,
location, hit count, and more.
VChannels can be scanned (20 chan per second) for activity, or stored into your BC895

* Descriptions - You can store Descriptions, Callsigns, and Locations for
frequencies and Trunk Talkgroups/ID's. When that freq/talkgroup appears,
a description is shown, along with Callsign, City/State, etc

* Alarms - A Wav file can be assigned (or speaker beep) to certain
freq/talkgroups, a Bitmap, or a .RTF file that pops up while that freq/group is
active. For example, have all local police codes shown when a certain
police channel comes alive. I just added some Cool bitmaps that
appear with local police and fire stations

* Colorful charts and graphs show you what frequencies/talkgroups are most active

* Powerful script language lets you create your own scripts, then schedule
them for when you're away, or when a certain event happens on your scanner

* PerCon database lookups from their web page (stored as html) can be
imported. Also imports from Grove, Probe, and PerCon Dbf files!
Drag and Drop channel editing - throw any database entry to a channel, or vice versa.
If that frequency is already assigned, it zooms to the channel # to avoid a
duplication

* Activity Report is color coded - you can assign any color to any specific
freq/talkgroup, plus bolded text

* Search Ranges - you can store up to 2,000 search ranges, then
double-click them to activate an immediate search of that frequency range

* All BC895 keys are supported, allowing a virtual radio on your desktop

* FreeTracker can be minimized as a TrayIcon, with a feature-rich right-click
menu for easy access to popular functions

* Database-editing in a simple grid. Click the record you want, and
change any value. Menu allows selecting any record to zoom to that frequency.

* Communicate with your radio interactively - type any command in, and
see the response.

* Power users can utilize the quick-command box. Simply key in a command
word to change frequencies, channels, scan, hold, search, manual, etc.

Example Syntax:
f15189 tunes radio into frequency 151.890
c56 takes scanner to channel 56
Up arrow emulates SCAN key
Down arrow = Manual
Right arrow = Search
Left arrow = Hold
... plus about 50 more powerful commands

* Export all scanner channels/freqs to a text file or Dbase, then import back into
the scanner at a later date.

* Complete logging to a file, or printing just about anything.

* Export your VChannel/talkgroup database to a HTML file for posting
on your favorite web page.

* Multiple copies can be run for multiple BC895 scanners

821. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sharon Hines <sharonhi@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35006AF9.3A7F@erols.com>
Source record: 168134
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

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*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF wrote:
>
> So what is your point?
>
> Sharon Hines wrote:
> massive SNIP to preserve all the bandwidth YOU wasted!

Mr Mackey,

I suggest that you read the Cancel Messages: Frequently
Asked Questions which is currently available at the
following URL:

http://www.math.uiuc.edu/~tskirvin/faqs/cancel.html

I also suggest that you pay CLOSE attention to the section
title "V. That idiot forge-cancelled my posts!" which is
available at the following URL:

http://www.math.uiuc.edu/~tskirvin/faqs/cancel.html#V.

I think it's pretty obvious to everyone in the group that
the Rogue Cancels in rec|alt.radio.scanner originated
from the SprintNet POP located in Portland, OR. It has
also been pointed out that YOU posted an article five
minutes earlier from from the same NNTP posting host prior
to Cancelling the articles of other users in the group!

By the way, POP also stands for "Point of Presence". It
would appear that you are the one that does not understand
what you are talking about. It was pretty STUPID on your
part to have issued a series of Rogue Cancels from the same
dial-in POP (located in Portland, OR) that you you just
used to post a series of your own articles.
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822. Re: Radio Shack scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcb10@axe.humboldt.edu
Message-ID: <6dpp7j$ip5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 168135

In article <34FEC9C4.336F@itol.com>,
jbjr@itol.com wrote:
>
> I have a pro 2004 scanner that needs to be repaired where do I send
> it??? Please e-mail me if you can help me
>
All Radio Shacks have a repair program in place. Just take it in, and they
should be able to help you.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

823. Re: More Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner from Sprint Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sharon Hines <sharonhi@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35006F58.291D@erols.com>
Source record: 168136
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF wrote:
>
>
> OK, so someone is dialing into the sprint ISP & canceling MY
> posts also!

WRONG! You posted an article five minutes earlier from the same
NNTP Posting Host and Browser on Windows 3.1:

NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31

The NNTP-Posting-Host IP address resolves to:

sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net.

X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

indicates that it was cancel from Netscape Gold 3.01 under
Windows 3.1 (16 Bit)

>
> Thanks for clearing me Sharon!

You have NOT be cleared of this anything! It's pretty obvious to
everyone in the group that YOU issued the Rogue Cancels on Mr Cheek's
and Mr Kendrick's posts!

824. trade scanner for metal detector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: andym@nmex.com
Message-ID: <01bd4949$5cd75ca0$1c0ca2ce@andym>
Source record: 168137

i have a new ubc 220 xlt scanner and want to trade it for a metal detector.
andy

825. Re: Quick License?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6dpqh0$ke8$2@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 168138

In article <6dpmsjfrp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, jim@animalmakers.com wrote:
>I purchased a hand held unit for emergency use. Living in the hills of
>california, one never knows when telephone and utilities will be cut off. I
>would like to know what is the easiest way to prep for the exam and get a
>license. Can i use the radio in the event of an emergency, even with no
>license?
>
>thanks, jim

You talking about a HAM radio? 2 meter maybe? If so, yes you need a license, even if it's for an emergency. Radio shack and other ham radio stores sell a book called "Now your talking" which you can use to study and get your technician class ham license. It's not that hard to do and a heck of a lot of fun too!

Good luck,
Tom

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
tprandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
APRS on 145.790 - Dutchess county,N.Y.
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

REMOVE the P in the address above for my correct E-mail address.

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

826. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman27@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306215001.QAA09867@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168139

That's your United States of communist america,meaning the laws NOW work against the people ,not FOR the people.So what ya gonna do about it?!Nothing!Probably watch TV and throw the scanners in the garbage cause its only a hobby...Right??!!!!!
No 800MHZ ,next no scanners pal!And get in line for bread and toilet paper.>>.Just allow them to delete the entire hobby,I am moving to Canada,as soon as I get the money.In canada you STILL can get scanners with full coverage.LOL!
Not here.Why?Cause OUR government hates hobbyists.

827. Scanner Laws

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wewald@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35003adf.2445147@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 168168
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>From: Brian Humphrey
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

>Ethical business people rely on word of mouth, community involvement and
>display advertising to support their enterprise...

>We have laws to prevent ambulance chasing attorneys, but claim adjusters
>are bound to no ethical code whatsoever.

>I can say that in the area which I live, I have seen such adjusters badger, belittle and
>intimidate fire and accident victims on almost a daily basis.

Badgers? We doan need no estinking badgers!

828. Re: Can Pro-46 with Date Code 5A4 take cell mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306000300.TAA06827@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168169

All pro-46's are mod-able although differently. you need to get a copy of Radio Tech Modifications (about 20-25 dollars delivered) which has most of the scanner mods & diagrams including the versions of the pro-46.

829. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffl@dynasty.net
Message-ID: <6dng2e$4in$0@dosa.alt.net>
Source record: 168170
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <34FF2CEE.2586@accesscom.com>, edt@accesscom.com wrote:
>John Smith wrote:
>>
>> This is rather vague, but the actions taken here could be on either
>> the transmitter end or the receiver. It really doesn't specify.
>>
>> Hopefully more will develop on this soon.
>>
>> WASHINGTON, March 5 (UPI) - The House (Thursday) voted 414-1 to pass
>> a bill to strengthen privacy protections for wireless telephone users.
>> The legislation was proposed after a Florida couple intercepted and
>> taped a car phone conference call between House Speaker Newt Gingrich
>> and other members of the Republican leadership.
>
>Who is the guy that voted against it? We should all send $20 to his
>re-election fund!

I think it a REP name PAUL?

Jeff

830. Re: Motorola Spectra Scan Ques. - Limitations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306002201.TAA14817@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168171

>you can only have 16 channels at a time defined in the scan
>list....major problem.

Not really a problem for the target users of the radio. You must remember that this unit was not designed to be used as a scanner, but rather as a working 2 -way radio. In such a use, there is little need to scan more than just a few channels. Most of the officers on our police department rarely program more that three or four channels into their radios. We set them up here with the selected channel as the priority 1 scan and the Primary Dispatch channel as the priority 2 scan. The individual user may then program others as needed.
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831. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6dnfmmhgi1@uni.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 168172

My point is, however, that we need to be vigilant, to watch for the
senate version of the bill to be floated, to lean hard on our respective
senators and to keep our fingers crossed that the major flaws (ie,
the restrictions effecting SWL utes and the like) get hammered out
in committee. With all potential laws, we get two chances to get it
right - all we really need is to convince a voting majority in the
senate to turn thumbs down to the analogous bill, or barring that
to convince the members of the committee that there are still
serious flaws that shouldn't appear in the final law...

BillSpang (billspang@aol.com) wrote:
: >Brent Corbin said:

: >So this is _not_ law until the senate passes a similar bill and the
: >differences are hammered out in committee...
: >
: >Is there a senate version floating around?

: You can bet that there will be and it will pass, and the Prez will sign
: it.....then Butch Reno is going to send an M1-A tank to every one of our homes
: and take our scanners. (well, this is at least what they SOBs in DC would like
: to do)

: Bill

: [There is] an increasing tendency among modern men to imagine themselves
: ethical because they have delegated their vices to
: larger and larger groups.
: -- Dr. Reinhold Neibuhr, 1941

832. Wanted: Uniden MR8100 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman@localnet.com
Message-ID: <6dnhgt$s30$2@usenet52.supernews.com>
Source record: 168173
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Looking for a good Uniden MR8100 and software. If anyone has one at a reasonable price, please reply via e-mail
\Ray Miller N2NJK

833. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvillafane@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306004400.TAA14111@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168174

the only law broken here was nothing got done about the conversation that newt gingrich was talking about he bitch and moam an got this new law pass. but if that was a police officer
that heard a conversation about illigal activity they would find that person and arrest him or her under the saying conspiracy to comit a crime and aint that the truth and nothing but the truth.

834. Re: Long Live Anarchy!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: billspang@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306005700.TAA21068@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168175

>MAlexder said:

>I vote that Saturday, March 7 be Armistice Day. After that, anarchy prevails
>and we won't bother talking about scanning any more. Okay?

Who are you?

<G>

835. Re: Any Mods Please RS Pro 2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34ff490b.2552734@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168176

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,ncf.sigs.radio-scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

"Michael Arthur" <Shannona@airmail.net> wrote:

> Are there any freq extension mod's for this scanner please

Like what, cellular? Clip D513. It may be
located on the top side of the board, or
on the bottom side.

No other freq expansions are possible by
CPU addressing.

+---+
| Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
| PO Box 262478 ~ San Diego, CA 92196-2478 |
| Busn-Voice: (619) 578-9247 (1:30pm-5:30pm, PDT) FAX: anytime |
| E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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836. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35004aa0.2957572@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168177

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Hmmmm, Bill Cheek is obviously forging posts using MY ID!!!
>
> Notice how my name in entered yet the servers all indicate
> "san.rr.com" & "cts.com", the two servers Bill Cheek uses!

No, you lying SOB, you just screwed up and left
tracks as you tried to make it look like I did it.

But you screwed up royally this time, pal.

> iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
> > From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>
> > Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
> > Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
> > Control: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
> > Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
> > Lines: 1
> > Message-ID: <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>
> > References: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
>
>
>
>
> x
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837. Re: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35014d70.3677706@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168178

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

> In article <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>,
> **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com> wrote:
> >
> > This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
> >
>
> Is this forged or real?

It is a REAL forgery done by Mackey who
thought he was being cool and screwed
up instead.
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838. Motorola radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: brycelee@globalserve.net
Message-ID: <34ff4a42.1340487@news.globalserve.net>
Source record: 168179

Have any readers utilized a Motorola JT1000
as a scanner? Also similarly Motorola
MT2000 series Models I and III?
What about Kenwood?
Am interested as to long term durability,
audio output, available accessories.
I am not a ham radio operator so
am unable to enquire of that group of people.
Can somebody advise as to cost, either
new or preferably used.
Have found the Uniden & Radio Shack
products to be short-lived in terms of durability.
The scanner would be used primarily for railfan
use; monitoring of cellphones and police calls
is not of interest.

The ra

839. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35034e6e.3931922@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168180

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Once again, BILL CHEEK can find NOTHING REAL to defend himself
> with so he responds with BULLSHIT like below!
>
> How pathetic!
>
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > No, hermaphrodite Smacksie..... you just got a
> > case of very sour grapes and a very sore pooper.

Oh....Smacksie, Smacksie, Smacksie.... the
only pathetic thing is the truth of the matter
that you ARE harboring sour grapes and your
arse *is* sore......

You pitiful, lying, low-life sap.........

840. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35044f30.4125672@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168181

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Actually Bill, I take pride in knowing that *I* ran you out
> of fidonet last fall!!
>
> hahahahaahhahahahahahahahahahahaha
>
>
> You will NEVER be able to live it down!

<Cackling>

You are the stupidest excuse for a dung-eating
lizard I ever saw in all my natural born days.

841. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35024dfe.3819951@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168182

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> You need to learn how to express yourself CLEARLY Bill.
>
> The statement you made supported me!
>
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Erp! Gack! Not support, Smacksie. You
> > need to learn how to read "ri--ght" in a

Depends on what you mean by "me". But if
you are not denying the confession, then
I suppose you could say I am "supportive".

If you deny coming out of the closet, then
you're a gross distortionist.

842. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35054f98.4230012@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168183

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> The post below was/is a forgery, but I think it is a VERY
> correct statement so I will let it go.

Just like your "confession" was a forgery,
but a VERY correct one?

So you're letting it go, too, I gather?

(You miserable, wretched pervert........)

843. Re: HELP Regency Hand held

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: poscag@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306024301.VAA05614@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168184

>I have an OLD regency HX 1200 anyone have ant info on repair places or
>spec/operation manuals? I believe it only needs a new LCD screen and a
>battery. Thanks MIKE
>
>
>
Mike- Uniden took over all of Regency's old model scanners. More than likely you won't be able to get parts for it from them but worth a try anyway. They may still have that part in stock. Good luck... Bob

844. FS: PRO 37

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: carol.sue@juno.com
Message-ID: <34ff6488.6974832@news.wic.net>
Source record: 168185

$5 dollar minimum bid

Realistic Pro-37 200 Channel Handheld Scanner. I have
complete operating intructions but not the original owners
manual. Comes with AC adapter, this will run the scanner
as well as recharge the batteries. Scanner is in perfect working
order but has some scratches and dings on the case.
Warning, previous owner made modifications to recieve Cell Phone.

PRO-37 Programmable Scanner
HyperScan -
lets you search through frequencies at up to
50 steps per second or scan stored channels
at 25 channels/second.
Ten Channel-Storage Banks -
lets you group your stored frequencies so that
you can easily identify calls.
Liquid-Crystal Display -
shows the selected channel and frequency.
Two-Second Scan Delay -
helps prevent the loss of replies on a channel
while you are scanning.
Memory Backup -
keeps the channel frequencies stored in your
scanner's memory for up to 1 hour without the
battery.
Lockout Function -
makes your scanner skip over specified channels.
Priority Channel -
helps keep you from missing important calls
on the selected priority channel.
Monitor Banks - lets you save up to ten channels located
during a frequency search.
Covers these Bands
30-50 MHz (VHF Lo)
50-54 MHz (6-Meter Ham Band)
108-136.975 MHz (Aircraft)
137-144 MHz Government)
144-148 MHz (2-Meter Ham Band)
148-174 MHz (VHF Hi)
380-450 MHz (Ham Radio and Government)
450-470 MHz (UHF Lo)
470-512 MHz (UHF TV)
806-823.9375 MHz (UHF Hi)
851.1125-868.9375 MHz (UHF Hi)

896.1125-960 MHz (UHF Hi)

845. Re: FS: PRO 37

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <34ff6d6e.7320787@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 168186

$15 from me......willing to raise if necessary

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 02:53:13 GMT, carol.sue@juno.com (Carol Sue)
wrote:

>$5 dollar minimum bid
>
>
>Realistic Pro-37 200 Channel Handheld Scanner. I have
>complete operating intructions but not the original owners
>manual. Comes with AC adapter, this will run the scanner
>as well as recharge the batteries. Scanner is in perfect working
>order but has some scratches and dings on the case.
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> keeps the channel frequencies stored in your
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> 851.1125-868.9375 MHz (UHF Hi)
> 896.1125-960 MHz (UHF Hi)
>

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

846. Pro 37 revisited

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: carol.sue@juno.com
Message-ID: <34ff73d7.10894057@news.wic.net>
Source record: 168187

It is up for auction on ebay, sorry. Must have been a blond moment :)

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7602163

847. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <34ff74fc.13803377@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168188

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:

> Are you on drugs, Mackey?

Of course he's on drugs, dummy.

1. Prozac
2. Depo Provera
3. Lithium chloride
4. Potassium chloride
5. Tetrahydracannabinol
6. Lysergic acid diethylalimide
7. Trichloroethane
8. Methamphetamine
9. fecalmethane

848. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3500766a.14169531@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 168189

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> I never gave any fraudulent address. I always stated I did not have
> an e-mail address! You hero, BILL CHEEK, used fraudulent addresses
> & DID NOT give his real identity, WHEN HE DID INDEED HAVE A INTERNET
> ADDRESS!

You're a lying sack of shit, Smacksie. Any and
all e-mail addresses I ever used were MINE, straight
to me, and except for WINRADIO@SAN.RR.COM, all the
rest have a clear segment of my name. And I STILL
use the WinRadio address, too.

No fraud here, Smacksie.....not like you and
your forgeries, you sorry potlicker.

849. BC9000XLT Discriminator Mod ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Doherty <alan@gi0otc.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <QZFgIEANhTA1Ew$q@gi0otc.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 167791

Hi All,
Anyone know how to connect to the discriminator of the BC9000XLT ?
TIA

Alan

850. Canadian vs US Taxes (was: Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307121801.HAA24479@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167792

In article <e4Iqp9bS9GA.323@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>, "Ivan Ivanovich" <iivanoich@usf.com> writes:

>Maybe you have not checked the American Tax situation:
>
>
> 28% Income Tax
> 6% to 10% Sales Tax (Dependant upon what state and product)
> $.15 to $2.00 surcharges for phone and communications
>service to support United Services Fund for
> low income communities.
> 6% to 15% Property Taxes (dependant upon State and Local
>Govt.)
>
> and on and on.

I agree completely. The tax situation in this country is terrible. No doubt about it. The so-called "conservative" Republican Congress we elected in 1994 and again in 1996 to solve this problem is a joke. They cave in to Clinton and the Democrats at every turn. My point was only that the situation is even WORSE in Canada. They have confiscatory-level income taxes PLUS high provincial sales taxes PLUS a nationwide (GST) sales tax of 7%. Sky-high levies on gasoline, liquor, tobacco, and everything else. Not to worry, though; within a few years, the U.S. will be right up there with them.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

851. Re: Virtual banks! PLEASE READ!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: foxcat@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <foxcat-0703980733390001@ip124.philadelphia6.pa.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 167793

In article <3500d558.4965294@news.fastlink.com.au>,
barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au wrote:

> foxcat@mindspring.com (foxcat) wrote:
>
> :The scanner manufacturers should add to scanners...
> :
> :VIRTUAL BANKS.
> :
> :Where the user could select the number of channels per bank. If the
> :scanner had 1000 channel storage, the user could define bank 1 to hold 6
> :freqs., bank 2 to hold 15 freqs, bank 3 to hold 8 freqs., etc., until all
> :storage was filled. More of an opimizing solution. So the possibility of
> :entering bank 1000 could be possible. So... we need some new buttons.
> :
> :<MANUAL> <PRGBank> <ENTER> 248 <ENT> 6 <ENT>
> :
> :would create a new bank "248" with 6 freqs. slots available Then...
> :
> :<PRGBank> 248 <ENTER> <MANUAL><MANUAL> 506.8175 <ENT>
> :
> :would store 506.8175 into freq. slot 3 of bank 248.
> :
> :This way we wouldn't waste banks with x channels of 0.0 (locked-out)
> :freqs. Sort/Swap/Delete banks and Resize banks would be available.
> :
> :Is this so difficult? It's a computer with ears, for god sake!
> :
> :Of course, if I've thought of it, it's already been done. [sigh]. Whodunnit?
>

> The FT-3000 has 7 banks and 70 channels. Any number of channels may
> be assigned to each channel. E.G. 60 channels to bank 1, 2 to bank 2,
> 5 to bank 3 and so on.

Barry,

How old is the FT=3000? Who makes it? And where is it available? Why don't
you pass on my Virtual banking system message to the FT-3000 manufacturer
and see what they think.

Scanners today commonly have 200-400-1000 freq storage but still
shoehorned into 10 banks. [sigh]

Thanks for your reply and, take it easy,

Andy Burns
foxcat@mindspring.com

852. Re: HELP:WOODPECKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <350244ac.1996137@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167794

On 6 Mar 1998 00:53:16 GMT, PSYPHY@t-online.de (Karsten Krause) wrote:

>Hi,
>Iï¿½m looking for audio recordings and any information (dates, freqs.,
>durations, bandwidths, logs...) of woodpecker signals for a scientific
>documentation.
>Most of that happened a long time ago but maybe someone still has
>recordings of those signals.
>Please msg me.
>
>Thanks
>Karsten

If you follow the posts of a MACKEY here in the ng, you will have all
you need to know about a peckerwood.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

853. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman27@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307132701.IAA29848@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167795

Thats the thing,THEY ARE TRYING TO HIDE SOMETHING!
Politicians ARE ALL CROOKS THEMSELVES!

854. Re: trunked systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick DeYoung <rdeyoun@banet.net>
Message-ID: <6dripc$blm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167796

jcardani@erols.com (Joseph Cardani) wrote:
>On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 09:14:11 -0500, RJ &Maggie <rgilbert@mill.tds.net>
>wrote:
>
>>hello, am looking for a scanner that will follow johnson trunked
>>systems. radio shack or uniden trunk trackers do not do this. they
>>follow motorola 1 11 & 111. help thanks rj rgilbert@mill.tds.net
>>
>There are no scanners on the market that can follow EF Johnson LTR
>trunking. What you can do is either purchase a CSI LT-2 LTR decoder or
>an Optoelectronics DC442 plus (which has LTR decoding). Both units can
>output all trunking data to the serial port. Then write software to
>read the data from the port and automatically change the frequency of
>a computer-controlled scanner. A programmer with a little knowledge
>about how LTR trunking works plus who knows the ICOM/Optoelectronics
>CI-V commands would be able to write a program easily.
>
>Joe

What if the Johnson system is a Multinet and not an LTR system????

855. Re: Other Mobile Data Terminals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: john.szalay@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6drl2g$l5j@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167797
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Kel Krosschell wrote:
>
> Who are other manufacturers of MDTs for law enforcement? (Besides
> Motorola...)
>

GE/Ericcson , we have them in our servicee trucks.

856. Re: Canadian vs US Taxes (was: Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: brycelee@globalserve.net
Message-ID: <35015247.60598998@news.globalserve.net>
Source record: 167798

On 7 Mar 1998 12:18:08 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:

+>the Democrats at every turn. My point was only that the
situation is even
<+>WORSE in Canada. They have confiscatory-level income taxes PLUS high
<+>provincial sales taxes PLUS a nationwide (GST) sales tax of 7%. Sky-high
<+>levies on gasoline, liquor, tobacco, and everything else. Not to worry,
<+>though; within a few years, the U.S. will be right up there with them.

And we in Canada will still be worse than the US...

ie for Canadians to purchase $1.00 US funds, to costs us in
Canada $1.40 in our funds, that is exchange rate plus bank
charges...then as noted there is the federal goods and services
tax (GST) which is added on to an already high provincial tax.
No provincial tax in the province of Alberta, everywhere else
though. Ontario it is 7% GST, 8% provincial tax. Total 15%!
Gasoline is 53 a liter, and since the uS is non-metric, try 53
cents a quart, again in Ontario. A lot of provinces are much much
higher.

857. Re: SC-150 Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will McArthur <willmcarthur@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <6drl77$ft4$1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 167799

I've published several mods on the SC-150 in the monthly World Scanner Report.
IF that is true how do I get a copy of this much needed information....? When I asked about this scanner you told me it had alot of "sizzle" but no "meat"...I'd be interested in all the information I can get on this product...! You never answered my direct question about what scanner in YOUR opinion is the best for.5mhz to say 1.5ghz...? I not care If I have to import it...

858. Re: Pro -39 Date Code Mod 3a4 can you??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: noobody@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307143101.JAA07376@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167800

>orbitone@worldnet.att.net wrote:
>>
>> Can you mod a pro 39 with the date code of 3a4 .. like to know

Like the rest have said, not much known until someone who actually has or had one with that date code answers this.
I have been collecting mod info for years. I looked in mine for the Pro-39 and found a note on one page that said 2A4 may be the last date code. I know that 2A4 is the last date code for a PRO-43 mod but other sheets I have for the Pro-39 have no special notes. Sometimes you just have to take the chance, buy it and try it, type chance.
I did that with a BC700A they said could not be modded. I bought it then did the mod that was not suppose to happen on that date code.
Noobody@aol.com
Happy Scanning...
FYI - I monitor the following:
Pro2004, Pro2032, Pro39, Pro2036, BC2500XLT, BC700A

859. FS: PRO-43 w/cellular

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fbals@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307143901.JAA04027@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167801

I still have an excellent condition PRO-43 for sale including:

Full 800 Mhz (modified for cellular) Date code 12A3
Original box and manual
Rubber duck antenna
Design EQ custom leather case (cost me $30)

This scanner looks and works like new.

Price is $235.00 plus shipping

E-mail to Fbals@aol.com

860. Re: Bill/John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd49aa$99012920$12dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 167802

Burt,
Why would Bill Cheek make a post, then respond under the name of John Mackey? Do you really think that some one could lose 100 IQ points in just a matter of seconds? naaa, don`t think so.
Charlie

BURT <jmul@iland.net> wrote in article <01bd4980$2d718da0$99e7f2cd@default>...
> I've noticed that there will be a post from Bill Cheek followed immediately
> by a post from John Mackey. Is this just mere coincidence, or is this the
> same person working both sides of the street, you know, like Jekyl/Hyde,
> Bill/Hillary,etc. Sometimes John's post is followed immediately by Bill's.
> Do you think maybe this person is confused and forgets who he is trying to
> be? I believe it is the same person because both talk the same childish
> inmature crap.
>
>

861. Re: Quick License?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tork <tork@cts.com>
Message-ID: <01bd49e0$64c3d6e0$76ddd8cc@tork.cts.com>
Source record: 167803

Want to be a Ham Radio Operator?

Now you can get an Amateur Radio license without learning the Morse code.
First, you need to study the FCC Rules that apply to Novices and Technicians, some antenna theory, and electronics theory. Next, you take a 30 question multiple choice test and a 25 question multiple choice test. You can buy a book with all the questions and answers in it at Ham Radio Outlet or any Radio Shack store ..and start studying.
If the Morse code does not scare you, you can get beginning code practice tapes with your study material and start with the Novice license which requires ability to copy code at 5-words per minute.
A Novice gets more HF privileges (longer distances) and a codeless Technician gets more VHF and UHF privileges. If you add the code at 5-words per minute to the Technician license, you get all of the Novice and Technician privileges.
PARC (Palomar Amateur Radio Club San Diego)annually conducts licensing and upgrade classes beginning in late spring and continuing through the summer. Classes meet one evening
per week and carry the student from Novice through the Advanced class license.
If you are interested in computers, you can access bulletin boards and contact other computers via packet radio. Technicians can also get involved with Amateur TV, microwave transmission, satellites, earth-moon transmissions, community service, transmitter hunts, and use mobile UHF and VHF radios.

Check out our home page at: http://www.electriciti.com/parc

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David Torkelson
KF6DGN
33.205 N 117.353 W&#65533;
Grid Square DM13
http://www.mirabilis.com/1588617
ICQ # 1588617

jim@animalmakers.com wrote in article <6dpmsjfrp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> I purchased a hand held unit for emergency use. Living in the hills of
> california, one never knows when telephone and utilities will be cut off.
I
> would like to know what is the easiest way to prep for the exam and get a
> license. Can i use the radio in the event of an emergency, even with no
> license?
In an emergency almost anything goes, within reason.

862. 800 mhz booster?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: history67@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307160501.LAA16683@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167804

I would like to boost the signal to my scanner. I have a cheap RS 30-1000mhz antenna trunk mounted to feed my pro 2046. I have seen many broad band amplifiers, but really need only the 800 band (everything else comes in good, the local Erickson system is awful) other than getting a cellular antenna, I can think of no other way of improving the signal (I use low loss cable) the trunking system has towers all around me, all within 5 miles, but half of all signals are weak

Sean in Worcester

863. MOTOROLA MAXTRAC UHF $300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage11 <mirage11@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eaQtpYeS9GA.312@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 167805
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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mirage11 wrote in message ...
>
>mirage11 wrote in message ...
>>I have FS a number of Motorola Maxtrac radios
>>32ch
>>MDC signaling
>>40watt
>>16 pin port on rear
>>with
>>mike and Locking Bracket.
>>$300 each
>>Doug
>>
>>
>>
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>
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864. FS/trade - Alinco ELH-7400 UHF Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6drt8j$53g@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167806
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>Please make an offer for this item, I have no idea what its worth:
>
>Its in mint cosmetic condition; however, operational condition is
>unknown. Sorry, no box, no manual. It requires a 13.8 VDC power
>source which is not included. It did power up when I put a power
>supply on it. I purchased this at an estatee sale with a box of other
>electronics stuff. I am not a ham, and therefore have no need for
>this.
>
>The unit is all metal, approx 4" X 6" X 1"
>A tag on the bottom of it says "rated input 10W"
>The front of it has an "on-air" led, and three push buttons:
>
>1. Mode - SSB/FM
>2. RX - On/Off
>3. TX - On/Off
>
>I would be interested in trading this for a basic hand held scanner.
>Please let me know brand and model # on your scanner for trade. If
>necessary, I will add money to even up the trade.

865. Help! My 895XLT Intruction Manual is 150 Miles Away!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwhac4ca@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35027274.3957777@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 167807

My TrunkTracker Instruction Manual got left behind on a trip. I need to reprogram a fleetmap (E1P13). Can someone please post or e-mail me the steps/intructions for programming a bank fleetmap? Many thanks, in advance.

866. Help! My 895XLT Instruction Book is 120 Miles Away!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwhac4ca@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <350170f9.3578565@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 167808

My TrunkTracker intruction manual got left behind on a trip. I need the steps to program in a fleet map (E1P13). Someone, please e-mail or post the instructions so I can reprogram this map. Thanks very much in advance.

867. Re: Need BC800XLT IF mod to RX 137 MHZ NOAA Satellites

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6drs49$ovr@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 167809

In article <6dqcf4$3sb@nntp02.primenet.com>,
gwod <gwod@primenet.com> wrote:

>...The 800xlt is double conversion with a 10.7 MHZ 1st IF
>and a 450 KHZ second IF.....

The Uniden BC800XLT employs a 1st IF of 10.8 MHz.
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Copyright 1997, Bob Parnass, AJ9S parnass@bell-labs.com

Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

868. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6drrqe$o5n$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 167810
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35007d32.20127010@news.iaw.on.ca>, jabba@iaw.com says...
>
> You know Tyler I really think you have a problem! I asked Bill for
>some software relating to scanners and low and behold I got it, no
>problems at all!
> Only problem I can see is that maybe your boyfriend lost his
>wristwatch up your arse to make you act like you are!
>
> By the way I would like to thank Bill for his help!

You're a few days late on this one Jabba.

Tyler

869. Re: Pro 43 for sale $60.00 -damaged-

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6drsao$o5n$2@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 167811

In article <6dr9u5$c0t@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>, fx1@ix.netcom.com says...
>
>I have a Pro 43 for sale, here's the story, I am a weekend technician and I
>got a little carried away modifying this unit. I am selling it because I
>basicly soldered away d5, d4, and d3, trying to modify it for the all
>coverage including (shortwave). If you are good at fixing this unit I will
>sell it for $60.00, It still functions, you can get most frequincies using
>the 2,5,8,3,6, and 9 keys, however you cant use the 1,4,7, and 0 keys, I
>think I melted away a diode connector and it disabled it. Also, you cant
>use the manual or limit search options, you can only program it to store to
>banks. I still has the cell coverage, but remember, you can use all #'s but
>the 1,4,7, and) keys. born date is 6A2. Serial # is 008121 and FCC-ID is
>AA0020-300. some features that still work are the light, am/fm toggle,
>clear key, direct option, and you can turn on banks 2,5,8,3,6, and 9, (I
>think you get the picture)
>$60.00, you pay for shipping.
>PS: I am getting a Welz 2000, anyone know how good the unit is?
>Oliver
>
>

How about an address and a phone number oliver? What is the date code inside
the battery case of the scanner?

Tyler

870. Re: 800 mhz booster?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: orlscan@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307164400.LAA23018@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167812

Get A decent Antenna First

Jason Webb
http://members.aol.com/Orlscan

871. Re: RELM MS 200 Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: atlas@world.std.com
Message-ID: <EpGJsw.2oz@world.std.com>
Source record: 167813

JSPRINE (jsprine@aol.com) wrote:
: Anyone have any information, comments, or gripes/praise about the new Relm MS
: 200?

I've had my MS 200 for almost two weeks now. Here are some comments:

Nice looking radio. I like the simple appearance and function. The case
is plastic but fits together nice and feels sturdy. The display and
keypad are lit all the time by LEDs. Very nice, though the keypad could
be more consistently lit.

It comes with everything you need for a base or mobile installation
including back-of-set whip, AC adapter, mobile bracket, DC cable.

The radio is made in USA! The AC adapter is made in China. Can't win 'em
all I guess.

The user interface is fantastic and very easy to use. I have found a few
bugs in it but they are not too annoying. I especially like the frequency
entry. I also like the channel selector knob. It's a feature I'm used to
seeing only on HTs. As far as the alphanumeric display is concerned, why
did they use a Union Jack type LCD instead of dot-matrix character which
would have been easier to read? Alphanumeric is a step in the right
direction though. Now that I've used it, I don't know how I lived without
it.

The MS 200 is quite sensitive using only the included antenna. In fact
it's all you really need if you're in a crowded area like Eastern
Massachusetts where the VHF High and UHF bands are really crowded.

The MS 200 has a weather alert feature that detects the NOAA weather alert
tone to break the squelch. Unfortunately you must be in WX search for
this mode to work. It would be better if you could include the WX channel
in your normal scanning and tone squelch the alert tone that way.

I am having a horrible time with internally generated signals and mixing
products. I originally purchased this radio to use in my car, but I found
that 800 MHz was impossible to hear because of an intolerable number of
cellular phone images. Since I must listen to the trunked Massachusetts
State Police system, I had to put my old scanner back in my car.

I am using the MS 200 as a base unit instead. It behaves much better in
the home. However I am having a problem with the back-of-set antenna
receiving interference from the radio itself. I had originally thought
that the interference was from a CD player or computer because it
disappeared when I removed the antenna from the MS 200. I found however
that my other scanners couldn't hear the interference unless placed near

the MS 200.

Someone else here mentioned that they had a later version with significatly reduced images and internal interference. What is your unit's S/N? My S/N is 808-A0003214. I purchased it less than two weeks ago.

Overall a nice radio with great user features, but has a lot of interference problems, so many I couldn't use mine mobile. It makes a great base scanner though.

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/_______ { Alexander R Svirsky N1PRW ________
\,}_) atlas @ world.std.com __|___
^ . |

872. non-Motorola trunk tracker?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jason M. Warren" <jason.warren@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35017B5E.FA9D9063@ibm.net>
Source record: 167814

As I understand it, the Bearcat (and I think Radio Shack) trunk tracking scanners only work with the Motorola "standards." Our local community doesn't use that - they have (I think) GE radios which operate differently. Are there any scanners that handle this?

Jason

873. Re: FS: Post Tracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark <NOMAD@NOSPAM.COM>
Message-ID: <35017B62.595F22CB@NOSPAM.COM>
Source record: 167815

Hey James,iffin' ya gonna spam us,fix your web page.No URL.......will
not connect.

James Kearman wrote:

> Please take a few minutes to read this posting before you delete it!
> Like you, I used to be confused by cancelled and forged postings. Was
> it John Mackey, IWStirn or Bill Cheek? Is Bill Cheek also John Mackey
> disguised as IW Stirn? Is Bill Cheek really Big Foot?
>
> Why did I care? Because I live in an area so far from "civilization"
> that the local police don't even have trunked systems. They just use
> one frequency. How boring! No need to buy a new scanner. There was
> more excitement on the local McDonald's drive-through frequency than
> on the police bands.
>
> Then I discovered "Post Tracker." Post Tracker (patent pending)
> identifies the _real_ sender of every email and newsgroup posting you
> read. Nevermore will I read a posting from "nobody@nowhere.com" or
> iwstirn@bigfoot.com and wonder "who the $%&* is that guy???" Now I
> know, and you can too!
>
> Yes, I know, you've been offered panaceas before, but just think about
> this: No more unfocused rage at these children wasting bandwidth on
> your favorite newsgroups! Now you'll know who to hate! Folks, this is
> the best invention to hit scanning since the squelch control.
>
> For a limited time only, you can own a first generation Post Tracker
> of your very own. See our webpage at www.posttracker.com for details.
> Don't wait, get yours now while supplies last.
>
> --
>
>
> James E. Kearman
>
> NOTE: You MUST replace "dot" in my reply-to address with "." or your
> reply will bounce!
>

874. FS - Photocopy of Sony CRF-1 Service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6drtas$53g@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

>Complete photocopy of service manual with circuit board layouts and
>pictorials. $30 + $2 shipping to lower 48 States.

875. NCHP 800?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jc <jcleve@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35017FB7.6E3E@ibm.net>
Source record: 167817

Does anyone have any info on what the North Carolina HP is using
800 mhz for? They are still dispatching on low band and using
their high band for talk around etc. But I keep hearing them
refer to "800 system now 10-8". Are they using the local 800 system,
Charlotte-Mecklenburg, or do they have their own? Is it for sensitive
communication they don't want on the regular channels? I don't know. If
anyone has any accurate information, please e-mail me, jcleve@ibm.net.

Thanks

Jon C.

876. Re: HR2369 (Tauzin's bill)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spam Hater <spamh8@kktv.com>
Message-ID: <350180CF.2B87865@kktv.com>
Source record: 167818

Could this bill still mean that when we buy future SW receivers, there will be certain frequencies deleted out on them like on scanners today ? Right now, you could buy a SW receiver that covers from 1.6 MHz (end of AM Band) all the way up to 30 MHz but some freq's be cut out later like 10 MHz to 11 MHz for example ?

JTWard01 wrote:

> This makes it clear that Congress is not trying to ban the use of
> shortwave radios. Although not all shortwave communications may be covered by
> the listed exemptions, the vast majority of communications that most SWLs are
> interested in are covered.
>
> John

877. Re: non-Motorola trunk tracker?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <35018492.1B21@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 167819

> As I understand it, the Bearcat (and I think Radio Shack) trunk
> tracking scanners only work with the Motorola "standards." Our

Check out http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/RADIO.HTM for current scanner info.
Posted are some 'rumors' about new trunktrackers that may scan GE.

Chris

878. scanner freq. over the net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mike D. Oppliger" <oppliger@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <350173A7.6D8FAB2B@bigfoot.com>
Source record: 167820

Can somebody give me some good homepages with links to police/fire dept.
radio?
Would like to listen to this stuff over the internet.
Thanks
-mike

879. Help asap please re pro-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@albany.net
Message-ID: <3501859d.694966@news.albany.net>
Source record: 167821

I took the diode out of 4, and now it doesn't work rright. The only buttons that works are scan, light, dly, l/out. Pgm. manual, limit etc don't.

Why isn't there mouse-flavored cat food?

Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
Jroulier@albany.net

880. Re: Pro-26 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <3501418e.3048728@news.total.net>
Source record: 167822

http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/pro26.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/pro26.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/pro26.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/
for pro-26 information

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 21:07:34 -0600, hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:

Joli Gar&#65533;on (&#65533;galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
&#65533;tudient @ Informatique et Math&#65533;matiques d'Universit&#65533; McGill
Montr&#65533;al, Qu&#65533;bec, Canada
C&#65533;: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit&#65533; McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!

881. FS: MISC.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@ptd.net
Message-ID: <T8gM.58$W85.220422@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 167823

Percom Spectrum Frequency Database CD Winter 95
Mr. Scanner FCC Frequency Database CD May 1996
both for $ 10

Compton's Interactive Encyclopedia CD New in box 1995 edition $ 10

Altec Lansing ACS-100 amplified speakers. 3" base and 11mm tweeter with box,
cables and power supply. Sound great hooked up to a radio. $ 30.00

All prices include shipping.

Contact John, N3ZQJ at johnl@ptd.net if interested. Thanks.

882. Re: BC9000XLT Discriminator Mod ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C.G. Buysrogge" <c.g.buysrogge@consunet.nl>
Message-ID: <6ds28h$lt2$1@news.worldonline.nl>
Source record: 167824

>http://home1.swipnet.se/~w-15926/ubc9000xlt
Kees

883. Re: $$$$$$GRE Super Converter 9001 base model For Sale$$$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <EpGI2B.Bwy@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 167825

On Sat, 7 Mar 1998, THX-1138 wrote:

>
>
> fgp wrote:
>
> > A Used Super Converter 9001(allows you to hear 800MHz) from GRE America,
> > Inc. with original box and connectors
> >
> > Price=$95+shipping and handling C.O.D
>
> RIP-OFF

So don't buy it. It's not a bad price, if you need something like that.
But to expose yourself like that isn't necessary or terribly smart!

Opinions expressed are my own and do not necessarily
represent those of my lawyers!

884. Re: Getting arrested...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6ds31k$cbm@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 167826

"NEWT" (jmul@iland.net) writes:
> for listening to a cellphone call is about as likely as getting arrested
> for removing that tag from your mattress, or a cop writing another cop a
> traffic ticket, it just doesn't happen!!
>
Unless you do something to ATTRACT ATTENTION TO YOURSELF!!! like the old
couple who taped Newt Gingrich and sold the tape to the media... I agree
if you keep your mouth shut, no one will know.

885. Re: Eric Oyen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307185300.NAA14712@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167827

FRG9600 wrote:
> Are you like Hellen Keller ?

Unfortunately, Eric is able to type.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

886. Re: HR2369 (Tauzin's bill)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307190700.OAA17109@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167828

>Could this bill still mean that when we buy future SW receivers, there will
>be certain frequencies deleted out on them like on scanners today ?

Yep. This is only the beginning of our government deciding which radio signals we have the "privilege" to listen to. Welcome to AmeriKa.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

887. The new law

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill carty <102150.03700@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <35014784.50F9@compuserve.com>
Source record: 167829

First off it isn't a law until both houses pass it and the president

signs it, or both houses of the congress votes to over ride a veto.

that hasn't happened.

Secondly....

We as a group need to show concrete examples why having a

scanner benefits the american public. We also need to express to our

elected representatives that they shouldn't outlaw the owning of this piece of equipment but punish the improper, illegal use of it.

thirdly....

we need to be as self policing as the ametures are. Let folks know what the laws are that govern out hobby and possibly turn in the worse offenders. If a couple of people got a notice of financial liability from the FCC then some folks would stop passingo n what they heard on a cell phone signal. Point our fellows user to the 1934 communications act, and the others that amend it. Request that scanner manufactures with their documentation put a copy of the law in with their instructions. They have as much to loose by having it become illegal to own these devices. In other words we need to be part of the solution.

In other words my fellow wire heads, communications specialists, radio

junkies, and all the other folks who listen to ham radio, police and

fire calls, and what have you, could we be part of the problem. So now we got to find a way to be part of the solution that sounds less like we

are members of the far right, or the far left, and that we are

reasonable, citizens who think things out rather just reacting because

some bought and paid for congressman has proposed a bill and has

convinced others that he is right.

So what we need to do is very calmly, and in an organized manner write

letters, not form letters that we copy from the net/web, not reactionary letters, but well thought out letters that are copied not just to our state senators, but to the FCC, and the other 98 senators in the senate. We need to copyt hese same letters to the president, and to the news media.

We need to show how a scanner has been used in a responsible manner with narratives and stories from common citizens, police officers, search and rescue volunteers, ham radio operators, and others who use their scanners to aid the citizens of thier states in the prevention or mitigation of the loss of life and property. Stories of how a citizen was able to help a pollice office arrest and bring to justice a drunk driver. Or how when you as the writer of the letter heard about the search for a lost child and was able to spot her and help return her to her parents by using the information heard on the scanner. But these can't be just yeah I heard of this happening. It's got to be from you the writter, even if its just passing something along you have to be able to document it with name, dates, incidents reported and what really went on. Something that can be back checked. Other wise we still are part of the problem. In all the conversations, and postings I heard on this bill no one mentioned this!

Okay I'll get off my soap box. The only good news about this is that the senate wont be taking it up right away. I am not even certain as of this time if it's been sponsored in the senate and is on the calendar for debate and voting.

Regards,

Bill Carty

888. Oregon State Police air-ground freq found !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: garretw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307192601.OAA24521@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167830

Traveling down I-5 around Roseburg (south of Eugene) I found the OSP issuing speeding citations using a fixed-wing plane and 3 ground units. They were using 155.475, the NLMARS frequency.The plane would fly north for a mile or so, then radio down when the speeder was passing the unit. Then the plane would fly south and monitor the southbound traffic. On that day, they were around milepost # 148 around the truck stop and rest area. My question to the locals is what other frequencies does OSP use for air-to-ground speed enforcement ?? They also seem be fond of hiding in the center divider (w/ radar) south of Eugene, around Cottage Grove.

889. Re: SEEKING A QUALITY THROAT MICROPHONE MANUFACTURER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bilbrey <dvillepd@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <658722936EF4315D.38DC932E76740E4A.E85EB53F75BFC4CB@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 167831
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Our SWAT teams uses the ear mics and they take a little tweaking and tuning, but once you get them right they are great. Then can pick up a whisper perfectly.

Keith

Barbara C. Manganis wrote in message ...
>
>I've seen "ear microphones" that work on the premise that if you can
>hear yourself talk, so can a microphone. I haven't played with them very
>much, but a bunch of tech weenies I know seem to like them. The nice
>thing is that you end up with both parts of your radio in your ear.
>
>I always wondered if they would make good emergency service equipment...
>
>Barbara C. Manganis, 1LT, USAF
>Volunteer Firefighter/EMT
>Bernalillo County Fire Department
>New Mexico

890. FS PRO-2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.B. Hansford" <dbh@sb.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4a03$1e9ced00$405c8fd0@default>
Source record: 167832

Mint, box, telescoping antenna and copy of the manual. No mods have been done to this unit. $ 250.00 + shipping. Need more info, e-mail me, dbh@sb.net.

891. ICOM PCR-1000 Software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ss@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <3501a4cd.4762756@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 167833

Picked up a PCR-1000 and the UT-106 DSP module. Wow! Dynamite receiver. Features, functionality and capability are absolutely top rate. I'd recommend this combo to anyone. I have found a site that has a shareware, spectrum analyzer program for the PCR-1000. I was just curious if anyone new of any other sites that support the PCR-1000. with other virtual hardware add-ons, frequency files, or what have you. Lastly, anyone using SCANCAT with it and if so, what do you think/ Thanks for any assistance, Tony N2SS

892. frequency for pa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James P. Condon" <topofmt@epix.net>
Message-ID: <3501A74C.4CAC@epix.net>
Source record: 167834

can someone give me frequencies for police and fire.
for monroe county pa

thank you

jim

893. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3501A7CC.96BB3CA7@primenet.com>
Source record: 167835

George Vetterle wrote:
>
> On 6 Mar 1998 19:22:00 -0700, Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Patrick wrote:
> >>
> >> Sorry but I couldn't resist. I'll admit I have been lurking the group for
> >> about six months now, and I just have one question. How long HAS this flame
> >> war been going on now?
> >>
> >> Patrick
> >> <He who lurks in the shadows holds the power in the kingdom>
> >
> >This particular flame war has been active for about two years now.
> >After Mackey got evicted from the fido forums, he migrated to the
> >internet to continue his harassment and electronic stalking of
> >Bill Cheek. Historically speaking, Mackey is a sore loser.
>
> ^^^^^^^
>
> Figuratively as well as literally. I think John's posterior is still
> bruised, along with his ego, from the boot Bill applied to him.

To think it only took *one* good swift kick to hit both at once.

894. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3501AAE0.22605912@usa.net>
Source record: 167836

Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> George Vetterle wrote:
> >
> > On 6 Mar 1998 19:22:00 -0700, Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
> > wrote:
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> > >Patrick wrote:
> > >>
> > >> Sorry but I couldn't resist. I'll admit I have been lurking the group for
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> > ^^^^^^^
> >
> > Figuratively as well as literally. I think John's posterior is still
> > bruised, along with his ego, from the boot Bill applied to him.
>
> To think it only took *one* good swift kick to hit both at once.

Not only that, look at how long he has whined from that one hit!

Either Cheek is a heavyweight on Mackey is a lightweight. Take your
choice!

895. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3501AA87.37E486E7@primenet.com>
Source record: 167837
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John "I'm proud to be Richard Simmonds boy toy" Mackey- KA0SSF
tried to hide his illegal activity with circuitous rantings:

You claimed:

> About 18 months ago I was in a work situation where I had internet
> (T1) access but NO internet address.

I say you lied. You had no valid internet address because you stole
access, and therefore had to obscure your illegal activity. But, your
employer was smarter than you, and they caught you. Your refusal to
precisely identify the employer and the work situation reinforces the
fact that you lied about the whole thing. This is just another one of
your prozac induced delusions.

> There was NO theft of services! If there was, prove it!

> I did NOT lie about NOT having a real internet address, I really
> did not have one AT THAT TIME.

Possessing and using a valid internet address is not theft of services.
Not having a valid internet address, gaining (illegal) access to
someone else's access, and using non valid addresses to cover up your
activities *is* theft of services. You admit using a non valid address
in a dubious situation. Therefore, translated from the convoluted
language of Toilet Boy, you lied, you are guilty of theft of services.
Now you can add thief to your list of infamous accomplishments. You
know, that's the one that includes liar, fraud, fool, and moron.

> NO, read it again. Here, I'll write it again incase you have trouble.
> Get ready, now pay attention:
> > > Eventually, we did get access to a mail server & then I started
> > > using an internet address

I have no trouble discerning that you are trying very hard *not* to
admit you got caught and had to find another method of internet access.
Poor Toilet Boy, you hate it when I see the transparency of your lies.
Especially when I point out that you're demonstrating that your prozac
and preparation-h abuse induces denial and general stupidity.

> No my work was providing me access to the internet for FREE, it was
> a part of my job to stay active on the internet for testing
> purposes. (You're just JEALOUS! hehehehehe)

Stealing access to the internet is usually free, that is until you get
caught as you did. As far as testing of any type goes, you couldn't test

a flashlight for proper operation, let alone anything related to a T1 connection. If you think I'm jealous of you, you're even stupider than you look. At the most, you provide amusement at just how inane and moronic you can be.

> > I never gave any fraudulent address.
> I said it was "BOGUS", it was not "fraudulent". If you don't
> understand the difference between those words let me know & I
> will post definitions.

Ah, so you DO want to ride the elliptical ferris wheel regarding the definition of bogus and fraudulent. I thought you might like to take that ride. So, I'll save you the trouble, Toilet Boy. My dictionary shows the following definitions for bogus and fraudulent:

bogus - hoax, hypocrisy, an imitation or counterfeit purporting to be genuine, an act intentionally committed to give a false impression, a trick that deludes, imposture, John Mackey or anything said by John Mackey

fraudulent - deceit, intentional perversion of the truth to deceive or misrepresent someone or something, one who is not what he pretends to be, John Mackey or anything said by John Mackey

Now applying those definitions to you and this particular lie of yours leads one to the following conclusions.

You are a fraud, liar, and thief. You have every intentions of playing out those traits to anyone who's attention you can garner.

> Sorry, there was no theft of services. You are just JEALOUS
> that I was getting PAID to be on the internet!

You used multiple phony addresses with rapidly changing of access points to the internet. ISPs are smarter than you think, Toilet Boy. They kept catching your illegal access and cutting you off as fast as you could break in somewhere else. No matter how you attempt to evade the issue, it's still theft of services. See above regarding jealousy.

> > I've never publicly or privately proclamed Bill Cheek a hero.
> Your actions say it!

By my actions and my words, I say you're a fraud, liar, and thief. In your mind, and I use the term *very* loosely, the world is divided into two segments: Those that are gullible enough to believe your lies, and those who don't. As you've shown so many times already, anyone who doesn't buy into the evangelical ramblings of John Mackey is a Bill Cheek fan.

You can't stand it that I see right through your sniveling, your twitty rantings, and your lies. You can't stand it that I openly proclaim what a fraud and a liar you are. That squarely puts me in the camp that doesn't buy into your stupidities. In your delusional mind, anyone in

that camp is someone who thinks Bill Cheek is a hero.

You overlook the fact that there are a lot of people who have no clue who Bill Cheek is, and therefore don't know if he is a hero or not. But, they know you are a liar and a fraud. If a person doesn't know of Bill Cheek, but they know you're a liar and a fraud, does that make them think Bill Cheek is a hero?

896. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6ds73g$e1f@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 167838

CBRambo (cbrambo@aol.com) writes:
> In article <19980306215001.QAA09867@ladder03.news.aol.com>, radioman27@aol.com
> (Radioman27) writes:
>
>>Just allow them to delete the entire hobby,I am moving to Canada,as
>>soon as I get the money.In canada you STILL can get scanners with full
>>coverage.LOL!
>
> Hope you enjoy paying 15% sales tax on everything you buy, $6/pack cigarettes,
> beer @ $30/case, etc.
>
Hmmm, I don't smoke but my roommate does! Cigarettes are only $4.00CDN
(or under $3.00 US) per pack. Ontario Sales Tax is 7% plus the Federal
GST of 8% (total 15%) but this changes inevery Province, Alberta has no
Provincial Sales Tax. Beer is close to $30 for a 24, but it's Canadian
Beer not USA water!!! Scanners with full coverage do exist, but are not
sold by Radio Shack, Uniden, Icom etc are harder to find, you have to
find a Ham Store. Funny Thing some folks up here buy them from USA mail
order stores because it is not against the ECPA to export cell scanners...
For more Ottawa area scanner info: http://www.achilles.net/~dhoisak

Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

"Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

897. Re: ECPA of 1986

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6ds779$e2a@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 167839

Douglas Larson ("Douglas Larson"@ix.netcom.com) writes:
> For information about the Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986,
> visit these two websites:
>
> http://www.eff.org/pub/Legal/ecpa.law
>
> http://www.eff.org/pub/Legal/ecpa_laymans_view.article
>
> What is your opinion?
>
Don't forget the April 1994 Ammendments to the ECPA that added more
comm services to the original ECPA

898. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3501AE0F.6E83E228@primenet.com>
Source record: 167840

-John "Richard Simmonds, good for what ails me" Mackey- KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > This particular flame war has been active for about two years now.
>
> WRONG!
>
> Truth:
> Off & on for about 18 months (started July '96).

As usual, you lie again, Toilet Boy. You came onto the internet in March 1996 starting your nonsense. At that time you were using the address John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org.

Knowing you have very poor mathematical skills, my arithmetic shows that to be about 24 months.

> It dies down then either Richard Kendrick or Bill Cheek (sometimes
> under one of their alias names) starts up all the CRAP AGAIN!

The scanner groups quiet down when you lay low for a while after you get your sorry derriere soundly trounced with the truth. You wait and then come back like nothing has happened and start up again.

> > After Mackey got evicted from the fido forums, he migrated to the
> > internet to continue his harassment and electronic stalking of
> > Bill Cheek.
>
> WRONG!

I'd say 24 months of attacking anything Bill Cheek says is continued harassment and electronic stalking.

> Truth: MANY months after Cheek & I had a disagreement ending in my
> leaving his fidonet echo, I came here only to find a MASSIVE
> flame war with nearly everyone against Bill Cheek because of SEVERAL
> things he did to cause problems in this forum. (Would you
> like me to post some examples of people complaints of that time?)
> I simply became part of the group to keep Cheek in line & out of
> out hair on this NG.

Yeah, a group of one. The only person that has been completely out of line is YOU. I've tried to tell you many times, Toilet Boy, watch your doses of prozac. You're starting to believe the hallucinations again.

> > Historically speaking, Mackey is a sore loser.
>
> WRONG!

Your behavior over the last two years proves YOU wrong, Toilet Boy.

> Truth: Bill Cheek brings up the Fidonet problem, NOT ME! I believe
> in NOT carrying grudges & getting on with life.

Two years of stalking and harassment in not carrying a grudge? You
really
are delusional, Toilet Boy. You have to have a life first before you can
get on with one. If you had a life, you wouldn't be here attempting to
cause so much mayhem.

899. OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: olp@texas.net
Message-ID: <3501ab7b.2822608@news.texas.net>
Source record: 167841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I know I'll burn in hell for this but...

I regularly lurk in about 50 newsgroups, plus I jump in and out of dozens more. What I'm I getting at? This group has the most ornery bunch on usenet! I don't know if I love it or hate it. I can't wait to get home to see what happened on "as-the-rec.radio.scanner/alt.radio.scanner-turns".

Thanks for a most interesting, if not somewhat annoying group.

900. Re: The new law

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dsap1$qia@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167842

RCR News reported the house measure passing. They also pointed out that the Senate already has a "Senate Version" that is so close to the house version that it will "no doubt be brought to the Senate without benefit of a joint house/senate committee to work out differences." And Clinton is quoted as ready to sign. As much trouble as he is in, he probably wants to insure none of his late night calls to his Bimbos are monitored. Its a DONE DEAL, just a matter of very little time.

By the way, the one dissenter in the House stated he voted against the bill because it "virtually took away the presumption of innocense for those accused, as is provided for in the Constitution."

bill carty wrote:
>
> First off it isn't a law until both houses pass it and the president
>
> signs it, or both houses of the congress votes to over ride a veto.
>
> that hasn't happened.
>
> Secondly....
>
> We as a group need to show concrete examples why having a
>
> scanner benefits the american public. We also need to express to our
>
> elected representatives that they shouldn't outlaw the owning of this
> piece of equipment but punish the improper, illegal use of it.
>
> thirdly....
>
> we need to be as self policing as the ametures are. Let folks know what
> the laws are that govern out hobby and possibly turn in the worse
> offenders. If a couple of people got a notice of financial liability
> from the FCC then some folks would stop passingo n what they heard on a
> cell phone signal. Point our fellows user to the 1934 communications
> act, and the others that amend it. Request that scanner manufactures
> with their documentation put a copy of the law in with their
> instructions. They have as much to loose by having it become illegal to
> own these devices. In other words we need to be part of the solution.
>
> In other words my fellow wire heads, communications specialists, radio
>
> junkies, and all the other folks who listen to ham radio, police and
>

> fire calls, and what have you, could we be part of the problem. So now
> we got to find a way to be part of the solution that sounds less like we
>
> are members of the far right, or the far left, and that we are
>
> reasonable, citizens who think things out rather just reacting because
>
> some bought and paid for congressman has proposed a bill and has
>
> convinced others that he is right.
>
> So what we need to do is very calmly, and in an organized manner write
>
> letters, not form letters that we copy from the net/web, not reactionary
> letters, but well thought out letters that are copied not just to our
> state senators, but to the FCC, and the other 98 senators in the
> senate. We need to copyt hese same letters to the president, and to the
> news media.
>
> We need to show how a scanner has been used in a responsible manner with
>
> narratives and stories from common citizens, police officers, search and
>
> rescue volunteers, ham radio operators, and others who use their
>
> scanners to aid the citizens of thier states in the prevention or
>
> mitigation of the loss of life and property. Stories of how a citizen
> was able to help a pollice office arrest and bring to justice a drunk
> driver. Or how when you as the writer of the letter heard about the
> search for a lost child and was able to spot her and help return her to
> her parents by using the information heard on the scanner. But these
> can't be just yeah I heard of this happening. It's got to be from you
> the writter, even if its just passing something along you have to be
> able to document it with name, dates, incidents reported and what really
> went on. Something that can be back checked. Other wise we still are
> part of the problem. In all the conversations, and postings I heard on
> this bill no one mentioned this!
>
> Okay I'll get off my soap box. The only good news about this is that
>
> the senate wont be taking it up right away. I am not even certain as of
>
> this time if it's been sponsored in the senate and is on the calendar
>
> for debate and voting.
>
> Regards,
>
> Bill Carty

901. Bearcat 160

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "jpl931@anet-stl.com" <jpl931@users.anet-stl.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.96.980307140028.18523A-100000@users.anet-stl.com>
Source record: 167843

Have on old BC 160, any mods for it or is it even worth the time to mess with it?

902. Help New Scanner (Techniscan)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fredp757@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307203300.PAA05786@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167844

Hi all,

I bought some times ago something called 'Techniscan'. That's in design a Yaesu front panel of the 80s, I've got it packed up in the original case, with docs. Does anyone know about the accessories quoted in this doc (converter, mainly) or any modifications which could be applied to the model. It currently scans from 26 to 520 MHz, am, fm and WFm. It works rather well for its age, but would even be better with improvements.

Thanks.

903. Re: HR2369 (Tauzin's bill)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307204701.PAA08034@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167845

>Could this bill still mean that when we buy future SW receivers, there will
>be certain frequencies deleted out on them like on scanners today ? Right
>now,
>you could buy a SW receiver that covers from 1.6 MHz (end of AM Band)
>all the way up to 30 MHz but some freq's be cut out later like 10 MHz to 11
>MHz
>for example ?
>

Well, this bill doesn't include a provision prohibiting shortwave receivers from covering certain frequencies, although it may inadvertantly make listening to certain shortwave communications illegal, such as press RTTY, private facsimile, etc. However, no where does HR2369 say it intends to have any effect on shortwave monitoring, nor are any communications (other than cellular and PCS) specifically protected.
As for blocking bands, I suppose someone who uses certain types of communications could come to Congress much the same as the cellular industry did. Who knows what would happen then. However, there are a couple of things that make that unlikely.
First, there are very few U.S. shortwave users that are not covered under Chapter 119's exemptions. Second is the very nature of shortwave transmissions. It would be awfully silly to ban receivers that cover certain bands in the U.S. when those EXACT SAME transmissions can be heard virtually worldwide. (Now I'm not talking about the same TYPE of transmissions, ala U.S. cellphone vs. British cellphone, but the very same transmissions.) Finally, since shortwave communications are dispersed throughout the bands and other users share the same bands (and sometimes frequencies) it would be technically inefficient (perhaps impossible) to block certain individual frequencies. At worst, I think the situation may mirror what we have with the 46MHz cordless phones. While it's illegal to listen to those communications, because other users share the same part of the spectrum the scanners continue to cover that range. Frankly, given the statement of intent that accompanies HR2369 I don't see it ever becoming a problem for shortwave listeners.

John

904. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4a0b$70003780$43dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 167846

John,
Have someone read this to you. It is your own words. YOU wrote them.
Now, Have someone do the Mackey to English translation.
Notice anything odd??? Reread your last line moron. Now, what does it
say???

You`re way to pathetic to let go on this one! Not only are you
worthless, you are a liar. YES, I said LIAR. I hope you take me to court
on this, because I will own everything you own. (not that I would want
your fleas and broke`n down dodge), but just to shut you the hell up!!!

You are good for a laugh every now and again, but that`s it. (well,
there is that bad example thing you got going too)

I`ll give you 1 week to post SOMETHING on scanners. After that, POOF. I
can Get a good laugh from watching another monkey f_cking a football.

What do you say, Mac? Up to it?

Hoping you an early keyboard failure,
Charlie

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote in article
<3500F244.34E7@usa.net>...

> Off & on for about 18 months (started July '96). It dies down
> then either Richard Kendrick or Bill Cheek (sometimes under one
> of their alias names) starts up all the CRAP AGAIN!
>
> MANY months after Cheek & I had a disagreement ending in my
> leaving his fidonet echo, I came here only to find a MASSIVE
> flame war with nearly everyone against Bill Cheek because of SEVERAL
> things he did to cause problems in this forum. (Would you
> like me to post some examples of people complaints of that time?)
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> out hair on this NG.
>Bill Cheek brings up the Fidonet problem, NOT ME! I believe
> in NOT carrying grudges & getting on with life.

905. Re: Canadian vs US Taxes (was: Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4a0c$e33f95a0$43dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 167847

Add into this what Americans pay for health insurance. Now, Check Canada.
Anyone have a French book I can borrow?
Charlie

Bryce Lee <brycelee@globalserve.net> wrote in article
<35015247.60598998@news.globalserve.net>...
> On 7 Mar 1998 12:18:08 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:

906. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307210501.QAA06774@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167848

In article <3501ab7b.2822608@news.texas.net>, olp@texas.net (Ollie Pruitt) writes:

>I know I'll burn in hell for this but...
>
>I regularly lurk in about 50 newsgroups, plus I jump in and out of
>dozens more. What I'm I getting at? This group has the most ornery
>bunch on usenet! I don't know if I love it or hate it. I can't wait
>to get home to see what happened on
>"as-the-rec.radio.scanner/alt.radio.scanner-turns".
>
>Thanks for a most interesting, if not somewhat annoying group.

Thanks for your interesting, if not somewhat annoying response.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

907. Re: Sharon Hines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4a0e$1b8a7be0$43dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 167849

Lot 47 <synman@ramparts.com> wrote in article
<synman-ya023480000603982101350001@news2.transport.com>...

> All of this is a result of his manic, headlong rush to discredit one
> individual, at any cost and by any means. I honestly think that he may
need
> professional help bad enough that his close friends and supporters,(if
any)
> could hardly be faulted for seriously considering an intervention.

Dr. Jack?

908. BC 2500XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sjblack@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6dsdql$h0n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167850

Iam selling my scanner to the highest bidder on ebay. follow this link

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7406549

The Scanner is a BC2500 XLT hand held unit comes with operating guide,rubber antenna,AC adapter/charger,earphone,leather-like carrying case,belt clip,and also cigarett lighter powercord.

the model # is #35007758

It is in original Box maybe used five times.

Thanks for the intrest

Steve Black

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

909. pro-2021

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5wxh@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dsfprjdr1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167851

anyone have mods to enhance the pro-2021?
i will be grateful for your help. thanks.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

910. Pro 51>>>>54-108MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: batwanger@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307221501.RAA18616@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167852

Does anyone know of any diode work or mods to get the Pro51 to recieve
the 54---108 MHZ
thanks

911. Re: SEEKING A QUALITY THROAT MICROPHONE MANUFACTURER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Carr <robertcarr@msn.com>
Message-ID: <eVHcNbhS9GA.349@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 167853
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.r_c_m_p,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Keith Bilbrey wrote in message
<658722936EF4315D.38DC932E76740E4A.E85EB53F75BFC4CB@library-proxy.airnews.net>...
>Our SWAT teams uses the ear mics and they take a little tweaking and
tuning,
>but once you get them right they are great. Then can pick up a whisper
>perfectly.
>
There's a Fire Department is getting some forehead microphones to test out on an experimental basis. The technology seems promising. I forget where I read about this - I think the technology came from some military app.

Rob

912. Re: Canadian vs US Taxes (was: Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3501c9d8.9784746@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167854

On 7 Mar 1998 16:05:12 -0800, "Charlie Dwenger"
<cdwenger@hsonline.net> wrote:

>Add into this what Americans pay for health insurance. Now, Check Canada.
>Anyone have a French book I can borrow?
>Charlie
>
>Bryce Lee <brycelee@globalserve.net> wrote in article
><35015247.60598998@news.globalserve.net>...
>> On 7 Mar 1998 12:18:08 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:
>
>
Stand in line at a clinic in Windsor sometime....just to see the doc
for something silly.....a cold, or flu. you'll be glad to pay for the
care we get here.
Try going in for a by-pass operation in Canada.....IF they find the
time to schedule you, you'd best hope it's prior to your funeral.
I was just in Canada today, for their only TRUE virtue and
resource......Molsen XXX Beer......ahhhhhhh

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

913. Re: HELP:WOODPECKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tweek@netcom-NO.SPAM-com
Message-ID: <EpH1nE.A5I@moraga.ness.com>
Source record: 167855

Karsten Krause <PSYPHY@t-online.de> wrote:
>Hi,
>I�m looking for audio recordings and any information (dates, freqs.,
>durations, bandwidths, logs...) of woodpecker signals for a scientific
>documentation.

"Any" information? Well, the following is from a yellowed piece of
paper which has been up on the wall in my hamshack/computer room for
nearly ten years. I'm gonna have to type it in by hand, as while I
still believe I have the file on disk, it is in PetASCII text format
and recorded on media understandable by the Commodore 1541 disk drive.

I'm not sure about the origin, probably either the ham or broadcast
forums on either Compuserve or Quantumlink, or off of Ham packet.

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REPORT ON THE WOODPECKER SIGNAL

The Federal Communications Commission's high frequency network collected
data concerning "Woodpecker" radio transmissions during a one week period
begining August 14, 1988. All thirteen FCC Monitoring stations participated.
Over 400 observations of the "Woodpecker" signal were recorded.

The findings were:
1) The pulse rate remains at the 11 to 11.5 pulses per second.
2) The pulse width remains at 4 milliseconds.
3) The lowest confirmed frequency was 7 Mhz and the highest 1 Mhz.
4) The lowest confirmed bandwidth was 20 Khz and the highest 800 Khz.
5) The most occupied bands appeared to be 10.5 to 11.0, 12.2 to 13.0, and
16.0 to 17.0 Mhz.
6) The least occupied bands appeared to be 9.7 to 10.5, 11.0 to 12.2, and
13.0 to 15.0 Mhz.
7) The bandwidth mean was 150 Khz, and with a standard deviation of 207 Khz.
8) The air time of a signal was as a minimum, 7.7 minutes for the mean, 3.0
minutes for the medium, and with a standard deviation of 12.3 minutes.
9) All of the transmissions originated from a single source that was fixed
at 51 degrees 24 minutes North by 137 degrees 42 minutes East near the
city of Komsomolsk in the USSR.

These observations are essentially in agreement with the findings of
monitoring conducted February 23 through March 1, 186. This appears to
be the permanent pattern of the operation of the "Woodpecker"...

Questions or comments to James Beckham
FCC Field Opperations Bureau
202-632-6977

or Via N6AN

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Had your share of stoopid(tm) people?	
View the "Contra Costa Whines" at	[This space for lease]
http://www.io.com/~tweek/cocowhine/	

914. PRO-64 Leather Case on sale at RS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: aellery@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307225300.RAA24715@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167856

Stopped by the local RS today and found that the leather case for the PRO-64 was on sale and in stock. Price has dropped from $19.99 to $9.97

Allen

915. For Sale AOR 8000~/~Scout model 40 and Optoelectronics DC440 decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Best <gene@surfsouth.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4a24$0235cbc0$LocalHost@gene.surfsouth.com>
Source record: 167857
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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AOR 8000 with cell mod's and Opto Scout Model 40. AOR 8000 also has the mod's for the scout so it can "reaction tune" the frequency that the Scout catches. also novex mod's done also.
Also included is the Optoelectronics DC 440 Tone decoder and the Optoelectronics "CI-V~ CX12" and AOR RS232 computer interface for the Scout, DC440 and the AOR 8000. And two opto DB32 mini antenna's
Everything was bought and kept just as the day it arrived all boxes, chargers, cable's, paperwork, invoice and accessories and all equipment have Nicad batteries.
All Equipment was bought from EEB and mod's were done there as well.

The total price I paid for all equipment with everything was $1451.00 and the first $1095.00 takes it all. Anyone interested or need any more info can email me at gene@surfsouth.com

I have a scanned .bmp of the invoice if anyone would like to see it.

916. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3501E786.151EFC4@primenet.com>
Source record: 167858
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Lot 47 wrote:
> bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
> > It's John Mackey up to his old tricks again.
>
> Um-hum... He even admitted that he uses Netscape as a newsreader. A not
> exceedingly common thing for someone on the Windows platform to do. Plus,
> he was online on the same system at the same time the cancels were issued.
> Straining the bounds of coincidence, that!

I agree with you that Toilet Boy has tried to strain the limits
coincidence in the scanner groups. He is really naive if he thinks
people will believe is point of view or tolerate him in the long term.
But, from such an immature child, could you expect less?

> Will he admit, like a man, just what it was he did, now that
everybody
> knows? (HAA! What do YOU think?)

John Mackey is not a man, he is a liar, a fraud, and a coward. No matter
how many lies he is caught in and no matter how many times he is caught
dead to rights in some form of internet abuse, he will continue to try
to
lie his way out of the situation with his extensive denials. In his
twisted
little (very little) mind, he is blameless and the world at large, and
Bill
Cheek in particular, are responsible for all his woes. All those years
Mackey has been looking out of the window below is navel has distorted
his
perceptions of reality. In the future, we can expect more tap dancing,
lies,
and moronic behavior from Toilet Boy as this drama continues to play
out.

917. fs/bc2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sanders <jdsand@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3501EE96.2720@flash.net>
Source record: 167859

have a like new bc2500 in box with manual for $285.00 TNX JOHN

918. Anyone know state laws re: using scanner in car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chester Howes <howesc@delphi.com>
Message-ID: <5vQLI2J.howesc@delphi.com>
Source record: 167860

I'm sorry if this is already in a FAQ, but after searching yahoo, excite, etc., and looking at rtfm.mit.edu, I didn't find my answer.

Can anyone advise the legality of using a scanner in a vehicle. Main interest is Ohio, Indianna, and Kentucky: I chas the railroads, not the public service guys.

Any info will help.

Dirving the question: Someone told me Indianna prohibits them except for authorized public safety.

Thanks again,
Chester Howes
<howesc@delphi.com>

919. FS: Diamond Mobile Wide Band Antenna w/ Amp @eBay Auctions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadioActive <jjga52NS@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6dsu3n$78u$1@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 167861
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

7-day auction: started 03/01 - ends 03/08 shortly after 1pm Pacific Time:

http://iguana.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7274722

920. Old Bridge, NJ Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Plent <eplent@injersey.com>
Message-ID: <35020B63.106E7B10@injersey.com>
Source record: 167862

Can anyone tell me if the Old Bridge New Jersey Police have changed their dispatch frequency? The old frequency of 460.3750 went silent about a month ago, and I haven't been able to track them down since. The Police Call book lists some 800mhz frequencies but they too seem to be dead.

Any help would be appreciated.

- E
eplent@injersey.com

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"What is this ice
that gathers 'round my heart...
To stop the flood of warmth
before it even starts..."
- TTWS

921. Wanted:Leather Case & Manual for Pro -34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duff Gray <duff@imt.net>
Message-ID: <35020A53.7763@imt.net>
Source record: 167863

Hi,

I am still searching for the accessories to go with my Pro - 34. If you can help me out with anything at all, please email me.

Thanks...Duff

922. Re: PRO-64 Trunk tracking scanner???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Earl <ecwjr@REMOVEpacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35020F48.2991@REMOVEpacbell.net>
Source record: 167864

The PRO-64 is not a trunk tracker, but it is pretty fast. If you plan on
only using a couple of TRUNK freqs, it can be done, but your best bet is
to buy the PRO-90 for TRUNKs.
The Pro-64 is a great scanner for the things that interest me.

merrypaws wrote:
>
> Pro-64 owners , can u tell me if the pro-64 is a trunk tracking scanner???.
> I have call 2 Radio shack stores and I got two different answers. Pro64
> are on sale this month $149.00 good deal???

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If you are ever in Las Vegas, Go and see LORETTA HOLLOWAY
She is a true DIVA!!!
http://www.lorettaholloway.com

923. Bearcat 230XLT: mods, and estimated value

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <pupascoopa-0703982212430001@ip243.asheville3.nc.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 167865

I've been looking around and can't see any articles that cover modifications for this scanner. If anyone has any buried on their HD's somewhere, send 'em this way!

Another thing: what would be the value on a BC 230XLT scanner? It's in excellent condition, two rechargeable batteries, home and car power supplies. Is $200 too much to ask? Thanks for all responses!

pupascoopa@earthlink.net

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--Luke

924. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tvine@teleport.com
Message-ID: <tvine-0703981956050001@pdx49-a48-44.teleport.com>
Source record: 167866

In article <350d0c12.118033527@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:

> tvine@teleport.com (bud powell) wrote:
>
> > From: tvine@teleport.com (bud powell)
>
> What's with the 'Bud Powell' name by your
> e-mail address, Petey? You fixing to start
> off on a forging campaign?

Cheeks, you've finally gone over the edge. What in the name of God are you on about? Have you lost your fucking mind?

925. Re: Cellphone Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul J. Troiani III" <pjtroi@planetx.bloomu.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.96.980307221420.76470A-100000@planetx.bloomu.edu>
Source record: 167867
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

mine needs a 6 digit code... some use a 3 digit code ... otherwise, dont know!

On Mon, 2 Mar 1998, Andy*Kapp wrote:

> I have a motorola meteor handheld phone, its not aflip phoe , but I
> found it on the street and its locked. can anyone tell me how to unlock
> it and scan with it? any help appreciated e-mail me if you can thanks a
> lot in advance
>
>

"But for every one of the liberated prisoners, the day comes when, looking back on his camp experiences, he can no longer understand how he endured it all. As the day of his liberation eventually came, when everything seemed to him like a beautiful dream, so also comes the day comes when all his camp experiences seem to him nothing but a nightmare.

"The crowning experience of all, for the homecoming man, is the wonderful feeling that, after all he has suffered, there is nothing he need fear any more -- except his God."
-- Victor Frankl

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926. Scanner Software Shareware

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Arthur <Shannona@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <0E32C20B3E187155.CFE399E29876D07C.6DCD7E6F0E207500@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 167868
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,ncf.sigs.radio-scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am looking for A good shareware software for scanners

927. Pro-26 Virtual Down-conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6dt4fakmi1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167869
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'm preparing to modify my Pro-26 for 800MHz reception via the "virtual down-conversion" method. I have the service manual and a small (30W) solder iron. I would also like to install some type of on/off switch to allow for normal operation as well. What is the best place to install the switch and what type of switch would work best? Could using the switch generate any type of static charges, possibly damging the radio. Thank you for your information.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

928. Rogue Cancels Originating from SprintNet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhayes3rd@digizen.net
Message-ID: <35024BCA.4949@digizen.net>
Source record: 167870
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

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*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF wrote:
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> Lot 47 wrote:
> > Thanks especially for pointing out the thinness of Mackey's attempted
> > cover-up of cancelling a couple of his own posts! That was just one more
>
> Bullshit!
>
> All it did was point out the thinness of Sharon's own accusation!
>
> x

John, why don't you just admit that you've been caught?

Like an IDIOT, you CANCELLED Bill Cheek's and Richard Kendrick's
posts from the same NNTP posting host (206.133.225.31) in which
you posted 6 of your own articles.

I've enclosed the headers for the 6 Posts and 2 Rogue Cancels
that originated from your ISP (SprintNet) below. By the way,
this information has also been forwarded to abuse@sprint.net.

Did you know that Richard Kendrick's post was cross posted to
the news.admin.net-abuse.usenet news group. It takes real balls
to issue a Rogue Cancel in that news group. I guess that doesn't
scare you.

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Subject: PRO-2009 question
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 00:54:17 -0800
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>

Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!su-news-hub1.bb
nplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: PRO-2009 question
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 00:54:17 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Lines: 4
Message-ID: <34FD16B9.424A@usa.net>
Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
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Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: news1.apstech.com rec.radio.scanner:97596

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Subject: Re: My confession.
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 00:58:35 -0800
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>

Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!su-news-hub1.bb
nplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: My confession.
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 00:58:35 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Lines: 6
Message-ID: <34FD17BB.7F5E@usa.net>
References: <34FB4FB1.2568@usa.net>
Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: news1.apstech.com rec.radio.scanner:97597

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Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>

Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!su-news-hub1.bb
nplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Control: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>
References: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: news1.apstech.com control.cancel:5418766

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Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:11:06 -0800
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>

Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!su-news-hub1.bb
nplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy
Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:11:06 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Lines: 33
Message-ID: <34FD1AAA.3103@usa.net>
References: <34FB4DC4.7E4@somewhere.com>
<34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com> <34ff7a5a.87471767@news2.cts.com>
<350039f8.4160437@news.newsguy.com> <34fc5af7.144981188@news2.cts.com>
<350c7e04.21582850@news.newsguy.com>
Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: news1.apstech.com rec.radio.scanner:97598
rec.radio.amateur.policy:56328

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Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:12:47 -0800
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>

Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.
com!newsfeed.gte.net!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy
Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:12:47 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Lines: 12
Message-ID: <34FD1B0F.59B3@usa.net>
References: <34FB4DC4.7E4@somewhere.com>
<34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com> <34ff7a5a.87471767@news2.cts.com>
<350039f8.4160437@news.newsguy.com> <34fc5af7.144981188@news2.cts.com>
<350c7e04.21582850@news.newsguy.com> <34fdb889.168938932@news2.cts.com>

Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: news1.apstech.com rec.radio.scanner:97599
rec.radio.amateur.policy:56329

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Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:19:28 -0800
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>

Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!su-news-hub1.bb
nplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy
Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:19:28 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Lines: 52
Message-ID: <34FD1CA0.5FF8@usa.net>
References: <34FB4DC4.7E4@somewhere.com>
<34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com> <34ff7a5a.87471767@news2.cts.com>
Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: news1.apstech.com rec.radio.scanner:97601
rec.radio.amateur.policy:56330

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Subject: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:40:43 -0800
From: Cheek haters club <wa7twi@primenet.com>

Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!su-news-hub1.bb
nplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: Cheek haters club <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Newsgroups:
news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
Control: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:40:43 -0800
Lines: 1

Message-ID: <34FD219B.D31@primenet.com>
References: <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: news1.apstech.com control.cancel:5418802

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Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:51:08 -0800
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>

Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.
com!newsfeed.gte.net!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:51:08 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Lines: 12
Message-ID: <34FD2319.6330@usa.net>
References: <34FB4DC4.7E4@somewhere.com>
<19980302230801.SAA16353@ladder02.news.aol.com>
<34fd5ce7.79931883@news2.cts.com>
Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: news1.apstech.com rec.radio.scanner:97603

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929. FS PRO 2006 scanner, like new

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "csc@smartt.com" <csc@smartt.com>
Message-ID: <35023B79.3CB9@smartt.com>
Source record: 167871

For Sale

Realistic PRO 2006 scanner.

Condition is excellent, like new.

25Mhz to 560 Mhz and 760Mhz to 1300 Mhz without gaps.

Complete with all documentation, original box and packaging.

$300 US, shipping included.

Please reply to csc@smartt.com if interested.

Colin

930. Help on Regency MX-3000 scanner error message

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Yuen <miltonan@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35023183.64CCC366@pacbell.net>
Source record: 167872

I have an old Regency MX-3000 scanner. This scanner has served me well for years but now when I select scan, it will scan for a second or two and then it will give me an error message. I no longer have the manual. Anybody have any suggestions on how I can troubleshoot this?

Milt

e-mail: fire4779@juno.com

931. looking for AOR 2700 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brent Andre <brent5@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6dtenj$61u$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 167873

I'm looking for an AOR 2700 in excellent cond with no scratches and capable of cellular.

Brent

932. Radio Shack Pro 43?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brent Andre <brent5@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6dteeg$5da$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 167874

Is there any difference in a Pro 43 modified for cell phone and one that was made before the bann. Does one have the ability to get more frequencies than the other?

Brent

933. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3501EB40.2294@icss.net>
Source record: 167875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Eric F. Richards wrote:
>
> In rec.radio.scanner Darrell A. Larose <ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA> wrote:
>
> > Huh!! What happened the the Electronics Communications Privacy Act of 1986?
> > (ECPA) and the April 1994 ammendment to it? The ECPA made it illegal to
> > monitor cell (and other services)or to sell scanners that could monitor
> > cell phone. The April 1994 Ammendment added cordless phones and other
> > services to the original law, plus that made it illegal to sell scanners
> > that could be modded to get the "restricted frequencies" You should
> > pay attention to another bill that will make it illegal to monitor almost
> > everything else. Monitoring Times (http://www.grove.com) and Popular
> > Communications magazines has covered the new Bill's in detail. In simple
> > terms it covers most of the radio comm spectrum...
>
> This *IS* that bill.
>
> The wording of the original "Communications Act of 1934" changes from
> "intercept and divulge" to "intercept OR divulge." In other words, if
> you are a ute- or milcom monitor, you may be outta buisness. (Well, not
> you; your legislators apparantly think. But _we_ are stuck.)
>
> Well, I plan to give the maximum allowable contributions to Mackey and
> Tauzin's opponents in the next election. What else would I do with the
> money, buy a radio that listens to the 49 meter band exclusively? :-(
>
> --
> Eric F. Richards
> efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
> "The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
> - Dilbert

The manufacturers will grow tired of making "special" radios for
Americans, and will simply stop complying with FCC nonsense and get out
of the American market. The Canadians will then do a booming business
selling electronics to opressed Americans.

Brian

934. FS: Radio Shack PRO-2004 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Maynard <mmaynard@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6dsashgvj1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 167876

I am selling my PRO-2004 scanner to the highest bidder on eBay.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7725394

This scanner is in excellent condition and has the D513 mod.
Thanks,
-Mike-
mmaynard@sprynet.com

935. Re: Blocking cordless freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Pearcy <bpearcy@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6dsttv$6os$1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 167877

What is on 147.435 and 145.460 in southern CA. ??
Jeff Johnson wrote in message <3500eb76.41980836@news.idt.net>...
>> I have a 12 year old son very interested in monitoring. I have an old
Radio
>> Shack PRO-34 20 channel scanner I was going to give to him. I am not too
crazy
>> about the idea of his listening in on cordless phone calls. (Sometimes
kids
>> are not very discreet.) Is there a mod or a filter available to block the
40-50
>> Mhz range?
>>
>> Thanks in advance.
>>
>> Randy
>
>If you live in Southern California you should be more concerned about
>your son tuning in to 147.435 and 145.460.

936. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350098de.88536406@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167941

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:

> You were playing "anonymous Joe salesman" until the
> similarities were pointedout between that account
> and your real one.

They're BOTH real, you dumbshit. Besides, way before
then, I was accused of being "Billy Thunder" because
of "similarities" of the accounts.

So go pack it up your grump stump, Flump.

937. Descrambling Frequency Inversion For Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307005901.TAA06268@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167942

Cordless Telephones that employ speech inversion scrambling (typically 3300
3700 Hz), as well as some police communications (typically 3500 Hz)
can be descrambled utilizing a balanced modulator/demodulator circuit.
We have developed such a unit and are now offering it on our web site.

CTP Descramblers

938. $$$$$$GRE Super Converter 9001 base model For Sale$$$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fgp <bmw540@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4964$d764b2e0$a66284a9@bmw540.idt.net>
Source record: 167943

A Used Super Converter 9001(allows you to hear 800MHz) from GRE America, Inc. with original box and connectors

Price=$95+shipping and handling C.O.D

939. $$$$$$GRE Super Converter 9001 base model For Sale$$$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fgp <bmw540@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4965$3a6d2d40$a66284a9@bmw540.idt.net>
Source record: 167944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.amateur

A Used Super Converter 9001(allows you to hear 800MHz) from GRE America, Inc. with original box and connectors

Price=$95+shipping and handling C.O.D

940. $$$$$$GRE Super Converter 9001 base model For Sale$$$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fgp <bmw540@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4965$36bb21c0$a66284a9@bmw540.idt.net>
Source record: 167945
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.amateur

A Used Super Converter 9001(allows you to hear 800MHz) from GRE America, Inc. with original box and connectors

Price=$95+shipping and handling C.O.D

941. $$$$$$GRE Super Converter 9001 base model For Sale$$$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fgp <bmw540@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4965$33078fa0$a66284a9@bmw540.idt.net>
Source record: 167946
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.amateur

A Used Super Converter 9001(allows you to hear 800MHz) from GRE America, Inc. with original box and connectors

Price=$95+shipping and handling C.O.D

942. Re: RELM MS 200 Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cfortner@netrover.com
Message-ID: <3502a811.7511803@news.netrover.com>
Source record: 167947
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On 6 Mar 1998 20:18:30 GMT, mrw39@aol.com (MRW39) wrote:

>>Anyone have any information, comments, or gripes/praise about the new Relm MS
>200?
>
>>> James S. Prine http://www.prinebooks.com

>
>> I just purchased the M-200. Not too bad. However, I find that the
>selectivity is very poor. Local 155.535 Sheriff Repeater comes in on 155.490,
>another local channel. Have also found problems with FM Broadcast stations
>being demodulated on various high band frequencies. Some birdies too. One is
>on 155.750 another local channel used in my area.

>
>The sensitivity is excellent! Birdies fair. Selectivity not so good!
>> Bill, WA8WG wbecks@sun.lssu.edu

>
>I've heard quite a few mixed reviews on this. I'd like to see some more
>comments. Also, a few months back, there were some url's of Relm dealers, with
>pretty good prices. If you know of one, could you email me with please?

The going rate for one of these seems to be about $240. Check
http://www.lentinicomm.com/

943. Re: Cell Phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: DoctorsAreTooGreedy@ShaftThem.net
Message-ID: <3500a5a2.3677716@news1.lig.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 167948

On Fri, 6 Mar 1998 16:31:15 -0600, "David M. Hitchner"
<NoOne@NoWhere.net> wrote:

>With me it's not the fact they don't want us to listen to cell phones, it's
>that the government is slowly limiting what we can and can't do. Also
>anything that's put in the airways and not encrypted should be fair game.
>I think US laws should be like the Canadian laws. Listen all you want but
>don't tell. Unfortunately, the ones with the power and influence don't see
>it
>that way.
>
>Second, cell phone companies should have been forced to inform customers
>that
>their phone conversations could be intercepted. Many people don't realize
>that their phone is a radio. My mother-in-law now refuses to buy a cordless
>phone after I explained to her that she was broadcasting. I explained to
>her
>that she should never use a cordless phone if she was concerned about
>someone else hearing and that was it.
>
>That's just my opinion.
>
>
>Leroy wrote in message <350030D5.4622A299@zebra.net>...
>>Not that I'm against it, but is the ability to listen to people on cell
>>phones all that important? I've listened to them on scanners, before it
>>became illegal to make scanners that covered these ranges and also heard
>>them on "ghost" frequencies. I've never heard anything good enough to
>>really get me into the whole "cell" thing. What gets everybody so fired
>>up about this whole cell thing.
>> Even if the federal government outlaws cell conversions, there will
>>still be ways to intercept. I mean they are not going to outlaw
>>frequency doublers and all other sorts of ways to convert the signal.
>>So why get so upset. The best thing the federal government could do is
>>force all cell providers to switch to digital transmissions, this would
>>solve the interception problem for a while, and also with compression it
>>could free up a lot of valuable bandwidth for more interesting things.
>>This is just my opinion, I'm curious to see what the rest of you think.
>>Opinions are wonderful things; never take mine; form your own.
>>
>>Leroy {8>Q
>>
>
Surfdom responds:

I could not agree more that our laws should be at least as liberal as Canada, after al we are supposed to be the "home of the Free and Brave. That is Brave enough to not protect ourselves so much from doing stupid things like assuming that a transmitter of any type cannot be intercepted with silly laws that tax us to death and end up living in an Amerika instead of an America. This is the threat from the left. Now the threat from the Fascist holy rolling empire, bans on adult porn, access to the internet, and of course the right loves to protect big "BINNESS" like the cell phone industry. Proof of this is the fcc's inaction on allowing us to own readily available long range phones up 10 125 mile rage that uses your existing home telephone line. All you pay is for local telephone service. No tolls, no BY the minute bullshit! But the poor widdle substandard cell industry would rot on the vine. Wouldn't that be nice?

944. WTB: PRO-20,22,23,24,27 etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: leec71@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307024200.VAA28323@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167949

I have a need for an inexpensive dedicated monitor/reciever that I don't have to worry about being abused/destroyed. Thought maybe somone might have any of the following units lying around.

PRO-20
PRO-22
PRO-23
PRO-24
the OLD PRO-26
PRO-27

or possibly a PRO-38/BC55xlt if the price is reasonable enough.

LeeC71@aol.com

945. FS: Opto Xplorer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Franklin Reed <freed@ionet.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4975$897fd760$e668cccf@franklin>
Source record: 167950

For Sale
OptoElectronics Xplorer WITH cellular unlocked. It is in excellent condition used very little, still in original box. Xplorer, manual, cables and software that came with it, $750. I will pay shipping and COD charges to you. If interested e-mail me with your your phone number and I will call you.

freed@ionet.net

946. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham <gcros@late.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4978$fc13c860$201796d0@graham.surfsouth.com>
Source record: 167951

> >From: radioman27@aol.com (Radioman27)
> >Date: Fri, Mar 6, 1998 16:50 EST
>
> >That's your United States of communist america,meaning the laws NOW work
> >against the people ,not FOR the people.
>

NOT TRUE! Criminals have mega protection under our laws. The law works wonderfully for them.

73,
K4XA

947. Re: FS: Opto Xplorer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-ZMiEFfBXmCyi@slip-32-100-170-161.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 167952

How is it that you've been using your Xplorer. I've been looking for something that will help me find out freqs for radio transmissions from city employees.

Is that what this product does for you?

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

948. Getting arrested...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: NEWT <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4979$b3aef4e0$99e7f2cd@default>
Source record: 167953

for listening to a cellphone call is about as likely as getting arrested
for removing that tag from your mattress, or a cop writing another cop a
traffic ticket, it just doesn't happen!!

949. Re: The end of a great hobby??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Beefus <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd497c$aa31ba80$99e7f2cd@default>
Source record: 167954

If it's digital you probably can't afford the equipment to listen in. If it's an Errickson system, they themselves probably won't be able to hear each other, just ask the Kansas City Missouri police/fire departments. They spent $20 million and they can't talk to each other in the same building! Really!! As a matter of fact some of the police/firemen are sueing Errickson for putting their lives in danger. For real!

950. Re: WCW/WWF freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Gordon <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd497d$150daf80$99e7f2cd@default>
Source record: 167955

Just use the NASCAR frequencies, it's all the same scripted show!

951. Re: Virtual banks! PLEASE READ!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <3500d558.4965294@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 167956

foxcat@mindspring.com (foxcat) wrote:

:The scanner manufacturers should add to scanners...
:
:VIRTUAL BANKS.
:
:Where the user could select the number of channels per bank. If the
:scanner had 1000 channel storage, the user could define bank 1 to hold 6
:freqs., bank 2 to hold 15 freqs, bank 3 to hold 8 freqs., etc., until all
:storage was filled. More of an opimizing solution. So the possibility of
:entering bank 1000 could be possible. So... we need some new buttons.
:
:<MANUAL> <PRGBank> <ENTER> 248 <ENT> 6 <ENT>
:
:would create a new bank "248" with 6 freqs. slots available Then...
:
:<PRGBank> 248 <ENTER> <MANUAL><MANUAL> 506.8175 <ENT>
:
:would store 506.8175 into freq. slot 3 of bank 248.
:
:This way we wouldn't waste banks with x channels of 0.0 (locked-out)
:freqs. Sort/Swap/Delete banks and Resize banks would be available.
:
:Is this so difficult? It's a computer with ears, for god sake!
:
:Of course, if I've thought of it, it's already been done. [sigh]. Whodunnit?

The FT-3000 has 7 banks and 70 channels. Any number of channels may
be assigned to each channel. E.G. 60 channels to bank 1, 2 to bank 2,
5 to bank 3 and so on.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the Xs from my
return address.

952. Re: Blocking cordless freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <3500d560.4973416@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 167957

randycz@aol.com (RandyCz) wrote:

:I have a 12 year old son very interested in monitoring. I have an old Radio
:Shack PRO-34 20 channel scanner I was going to give to him. I am not too crazy
:about the idea of his listening in on cordless phone calls. (Sometimes kids
:are not very discreet.) Is there a mod or a filter available to block the 40-50
:Mhz range?
:
:Thanks in advance.
:
:Randy

You can acheive that by simply adding or removeing a diode. The effect
is to remove 30 to 50 Mhz but add 76 to 90. The 76 to 90 range won't
receive anything without further mods so in effect the mod simply
removes 30 to 50 Mhz.

Search for the mod on the web or ask in this newsgroup.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the Xs from my
return address.

953. Bill/John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: BURT <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4980$2d718da0$99e7f2cd@default>
Source record: 167958

I've noticed that there will be a post from Bill Cheek followed immediately by a post from John Mackey. Is this just mere coincidence, or is this the same person working both sides of the street, you know, like Jekyl/Hyde, Bill/Hillary,etc. Sometimes John's post is followed immediately by Bill's. Do you think maybe this person is confused and forgets who he is trying to be? I believe it is the same person because both talk the same childish inmature crap.

954. Pro 43 restoration...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@albany.net
Message-ID: <3502cfdf.12570960@news.albany.net>
Source record: 167959

How's it done?

Why isn't there mouse-flavored cat food?

Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
Jroulier@albany.net

955. Re: More Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner from Sprint Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ingramj@erols.com
Message-ID: <3500D4A1.6E62@erols.com>
Source record: 167960
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

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*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF wrote:
>
> HARDLY!
>
> The same "evidence" you claim ALSO was used to cancel MY POSTS,
> according to YOUR earlier statements!
>
> Jesus Christ, WAKE UP & get with the program!
>
> Sharon Hines wrote:
> > You have NOT be cleared of this anything! It's pretty obvious to
> > everyone in the group that YOU issued the Rogue Cancels on Mr Cheek's
> > and Mr Kendrick's posts of 206.133.225.31.

John,

I just completed my own investigation on the Rogue Cancels that
occured in rec.radio.scanner and guess what?

It appears that you Cancel Posts which belong Bill Cheeks and
Richard Kendrick! The headers below prove it! All of the Posts
and Rogue Cancels have the same NNTP posting host!

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These are the headers for the Rogue Cancel of Bill Cheeks post
at 01:03:32 PST on March 4th:

Path:
lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de!zrz.TU-Berlin.DE!fu-berlin.de!newsfeed.direct.ca!news-peer-west.sprin
tlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Sprint!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Control: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>
References: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de control:785680
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This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

These are the headers for a post made by you 8 minutes after you
cancel Bill Cheeks post. This message was posted at 01:11:06 PST
on March 4th:

Path:
lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de!zrz.TU-Berlin.DE!news-ber1.dfn.de!news-lei1.dfn.de!news-nue1.dfn.de!u
ni-erlangen.de!newsfeed.nacamar.de!newsfeed.direct.ca!news-peer-west.sprintlink.net!news.s
printlink.net!Sprint!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy
Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:11:06 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Lines: 33
Message-ID: <34FD1AAA.3103@usa.net>
References: <34FB4DC4.7E4@somewhere.com>
<34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com> <34ff7a5a.87471767@news2.cts.com>
<350039f8.4160437@news.newsguy.com> <34fc5af7.144981188@news2.cts.com>
<350c7e04.21582850@news.newsguy.com>
Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de rec.radio.scanner:5377 alt.radio.scanner:7422
rec.radio.amateur.policy:1848

Hank Hampton wrote:

> BULLSHIT!! There were several posts that examined the
> "coincidence" of you posting domains. This went on
> for about 2 days before you "made it clear".

That's TRUE, Bill only admitted several days after it had been
made EXTREMELY clear my everyone else on the NG. Even some
of Bill's supporters had to admit it!

> It's kinda sad that you truly think your version
> is the truth. I guess if you lie enough you start
> to convince yourself of it.

That is a constant problem for Bill Cheek.

> Hey, at least you didn't deny your own obsession with
> that quadrasexual crap you made up as well as being
> excited with furry little animals!

That is another constant problem for Bill Cheek.

These are the headers for a post made by you 9 minutes after you
cancel Bill Cheeks post. This message was posted at 01:11:06 PST
on March 4th:

Path:
lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de!zrz.TU-Berlin.DE!news-ber1.dfn.de!news-ham1.dfn.de!news-han1.dfn.de!n
ews.fh-hannover.de!news.uni-stuttgart.de!uni-erlangen.de!newsfeed.nacamar.de!news.sprintis
p.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy
Subject: Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:12:47 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Lines: 12
Message-ID: <34FD1B0F.59B3@usa.net>
References: <34FB4DC4.7E4@somewhere.com>
<34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com> <34ff7a5a.87471767@news2.cts.com>
<350039f8.4160437@news.newsguy.com> <34fc5af7.144981188@news2.cts.com>
<350c7e04.21582850@news.newsguy.com> <34fdb889.168938932@news2.cts.com>
Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xcanpos: shelf.01/199803111301!0029463188
Xref: lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de rec.radio.scanner:5378 alt.radio.scanner:7423
rec.radio.amateur.policy:1849

Typical Smart assed Bill Cheek comments, after someone
confronts him & he has nothing to defend himself with, he
starts crap like below to avoid the main issue.

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Tell ya what, Hankie Spankie.....we can settle
> all this, you and me.
> I will send you a pair of my crustiest skivvy
> shorts and you can have 'em for dinner.

These are the headers for the Rogue Cancel of Richard Kendrick post
at 01:40:432 PST on March 4th:

Path:
lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de!zrz.TU-Berlin.DE!news-ber1.dfn.de!news-fra1.dfn.de!news-kar1.dfn.de!n
ewsfeed.nacamar.de!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: Cheek haters club <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Newsgroups:
news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
Control: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:40:43 -0800

Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD219B.D31@primenet.com>
References: <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref: lisa.rz.hu-berlin.de control:785826

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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956. PCR1000 Command set here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter <ibelings@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6dqkj1$dlp@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 167961

http://wave.home.mindspring.com/pcr1000.html

957. Re: RELM MS 200 Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307060901.BAA28072@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167962

Just received my MS 200 from Grove the other day. After waiting a week for my unit to arrive from Lentini, I gave up on them and asked Grove if they could match the price-they did, and the order was placed. As for Lentini, well let's just say there's nobody home.

I'm in a small town 8 miles west of Pittsburgh, and find the 200 works extremely well on a simple antenna, at the moment I'm using a Grove Omni, and am able to receive NOAA weather from Central Ohio and West Virgina...only birdie I've found is on low band; spoke with a engineer at Relm, and was told that while the earlier 200's had intermodulation/selectivity/birdie problems the current production run had incorporated some changes to the IF section. The small size, along with the back lit keypad makes it a nice choice for a mobile install. The programming software is neat, but mine won't work...have to spend some more time with it.
A excellent, feature packed radio for under $250.00....
Ed Hutton N3KEX

I am not a Relm employee, just a radio geek who loves radios.

958. Phoenix PD-FD to go digital

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dittybop1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307062501.BAA00117@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167963

An article in the Arizona Republic, Friday 3/6, (page B2 if you're interested) states that the Phoenix City Council has agreed to spend $70 million to convert the city's radio system, starting with police and fire, to a digital system that would "meet standards by the Association of Public Safety Communicating Officials." It does not state if it is a Motorola sytem, or whatever. The article also states that Mesa, Az, also is "buying an 800 MHz system that would meet association standards." The public safety portion of the system would be operational by late 2000.

959. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3500e527.12056147@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167964

On 6 Mar 1998 19:22:00 -0700, Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
wrote:

>Patrick wrote:
>>
>> Sorry but I couldn't resist. I'll admit I have been lurking the group for
>> about six months now, and I just have one question. How long HAS this flame
>> war been going on now?
>>
>> Patrick
>> <He who lurks in the shadows holds the power in the kingdom>
>
>This particular flame war has been active for about two years now.
>After Mackey got evicted from the fido forums, he migrated to the
>internet to continue his harassment and electronic stalking of
>Bill Cheek. Historically speaking, Mackey is a sore loser.

^^^^^^^

Figuratively as well as literally. I think John's posterior is still
bruised, along with his ego, from the boot Bill applied to him.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

960. Other Mobile Data Terminals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kel Krosschell <kitenut@millcomm.com>
Message-ID: <z56M.19$iH3.273309@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 167965
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Who are other manufacturers of MDTs for law enforcement? (Besides
Motorola...)
Are their protocols publicized?

I am able to copy ARDIS transmissions, but MDTW1234 does not seem to decode
the local MDTs...

Later,

Kel
--
Kel Krosschell "THE MN KiteNut"
kitenut@millcomm.com
http://www.millcomm.com/~kitenut/

961. Re: Blocking cordless freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcj99@mail.removethis.idt.net
Message-ID: <3500eb76.41980836@news.idt.net>
Source record: 167966

> I have a 12 year old son very interested in monitoring. I have an old Radio
> Shack PRO-34 20 channel scanner I was going to give to him. I am not too crazy
> about the idea of his listening in on cordless phone calls. (Sometimes kids
> are not very discreet.) Is there a mod or a filter available to block the 40-50
> Mhz range?
>
> Thanks in advance.
>
> Randy

If you live in Southern California you should be more concerned about
your son tuning in to 147.435 and 145.460.

962. FS: Pro-2035 New in box $300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Flatter <bill@bigsky.net>
Message-ID: <3500F8D2.33D0@bigsky.net>
Source record: 167967
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

For more info please drop me a line at bill@bigsky.net

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If you are planning a trip to Montana this year then go here
first, http://www.missoula-mall.com for all your travel needs
such as lodging, dining and guide service.
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963. Re: MINT Pro-2006 FS: $285.00 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad178@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6dqqko$eam@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 167968

Thomas W. Demers (ad178@FreeNet.Carleton.CA) writes:
> Comes with original box, manual, and antenna.
>
> --
> Life's too short to worry... :)

Thanks to all that responded, the scanner has been SOLD!!!

--
Life's too short to worry... :)

964. Re: $$$$$$GRE Super Converter 9001 base model For Sale$$$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: THX-1138 <Porchnoy@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3500FBB6.10AF7B1A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167969
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.amateur

fgp wrote:

> A Used Super Converter 9001(allows you to hear 800MHz) from GRE America,
> Inc. with original box and connectors
>
> Price=$95+shipping and handling C.O.D

RIP-OFF

965. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3501fe40.114494139@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167970

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > ....that your ass is fixing to get a fire
> > lit under it if you ain't more careful.
> > You can't be pulling this forgery crap,
> > Smacksie, and expect to get off scot-free
> > for very long.

> Funny,,,,

Yes, you are. Imbeciles are very funny at times.

> We have PROOF that it came from the server of YOUR ISP!!!!

Well, you lying sack of horse dung, I defy
you to exhibit it.....or even to show it to
my ISP and complain about it. Do it, you
low-life, sorry offspring from a mass Siberian
gang orgy. Do it!

> I am not the one heading for trouble! But I suppose you will just
> hop to a new ISP AGAIN like you do about once a year!

You are so full of it, Smacksie. Just do
your "proof" thing....and do it to my ISP.
They definitely don't take a shine to shenanigans
and treachery. So whip it on 'em, you scumbag.

966. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <3509f61e.36895878@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 167971

"Patrick" <surfbear@ptialaska.DIESPAM.net> wrote:

>Sorry but I couldn't resist. I'll admit I have been lurking the group for
>about six months now, and I just have one question. How long HAS this flame
>war been going on now?

Ever heard of Deja News?

--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

967. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3502ff45.114755856@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167972

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > You didn't, you horse's ass. You screwed up
> > and went into your own server. And left tracks.
> > And got reported to NET.ABUSE.......

> Should THAT scare me?

I don't know....should it?

> LOTS of people have reported to you net.abuse for things you
> were guilty of & nothing happened.

Rubbish! Only thing I ever did was give you
a resounding kick on the arse when I sent
you sailing out of Fidonet. I only wish I
could do it again.....because I would.

> Hell I am innocent anyway!

Thus you have absolutely no regard for truth.

968. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35050208.115462922@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167973

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > That wasn't ME, you nincompoop. I saw 'im, too,
> > but the SAN.RR.COM domain covers the north half
> > of San Diego, you idiot. There are a lot of

> Sorry Bill it was TOOOO coincidental. Billy Thunder was on at the
> same times as you, held all the same opinions & enemies as
> you, & wrote like you. You are lying!

No, colon-head, I don't lie. I have a high regard
for truth and straightness. You just whooped it
up and jumped on it like stink on doo-doo.

Hey, Smacksie, ummmmmm, you are THE doo-doo, and
what you say is the stink.

In other words, shitferbrains......

969. Re: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350400f1.115184207@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167974

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > You're a friggin imbecile, Smacksie. No one
> > accessed the CTS server, you idiot! It was
> > your Portland server....that only YOU can
> > access.

> Bullshit!
>
> CTS.COM was right there in the path statement you
> LIAR!

You put it there, you friggin idiot. You had to,
else the cancel would not have been accepted.
CTS.COM wasn't the point of origin. Portland's
Sprintnet was, stupid.

Whatthehellsthematter with you? You got a
harmonic rhythm going on betwixt your brain
and your sphincter?

Take your head out before you break wind and
blow your vacuum brain to Kingdom Come.

970. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350602e2.115681191@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167975

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Seriously, you can't expect an employer to pay for a T-1 connection
> if it is not needed!

Hey, Smacksie, *my* connection is 7 times faster
than a T1. If I can have one of those, then
most any employer can have a T1 or better.

Your logic comes from your rectal polyps. Better
get 'em cut out, Bucky.

971. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35070377.115830081@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167976

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > > What proof do you have of this?
>
> > You. Your presence. Your mere existence is
> > prima facie proof.

> As USUAL, when asked to provide proof of his statements,
> Bill Cheek can not provide ANYTHING of substance other than
> his child-like comments!

When prima facie proof is available for the public
viewing, it is not necessary to provide corroborating
materials.

You? You are a lying, conivving, degenerate,
reprobate. You and your posts are prima facie
evidence of it....at all times.

You are a nincompoop, at best, Smacksie.
For that matter, you are a laughingstock.

972. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35080546.116292411@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167977

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> (which is also the reason I only use windows 3.1 and NT)

Win 3.1 I can believe because of the headers
of all your imbecilic posts and cancels.

But NT? Ha ha ha ha ha ha. All you know
of NT is that it comes from Microsoft. And
even THAT might have come as news to you
just now.

You don't have the mental capacity to do
an NT logon, Oh Mindless One.

973. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35090605.116483476@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167978

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> I guess it depends on how dedicated you are & what lengths you
> are willing to go to.

Only an imbecile has to use Win 3.1 to stay
familiar with it.

You're just a pitiful, low-life idiot, Smacksie.
You have never amounted to anything and you
never will.

974. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350a06de.116700676@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167979

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> The people who were on scanradio BEFORE Bill Cheek became moderator
> would certainly argue with you on that you little fool!

Not many. Just the half-dozen or so evictees
is all. You are one of them with a Size #13EE
still smoking on the seat of your pants.

> Sorry, but you are lying again. I was kicked off of scanradio, but NO
> OTHER ECHO, PERIOD.

Then you lie. You were 'persona non grata' to
ALL of FidoNet.

Just like you are here.

> That is not a lie, it is true! How do you figure it is a lie?

Because you don't know truth from Duluth.

> >(A clear case of theft of services).

> Hardly true, my job at the time was to be on the internet testing
> digital communications.

Ha ha ha ha ha ha..... what, posting
nonsense to the forums?

That's all you can do. That's all you've EVER done.
That and blow snotbubbles over your sour squaw
and bedwetting kids.

You ever get them kids to go pottie instead?

975. Eric Oyen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRG9600 <frg9600@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bd49a4$f3482e20$2fafbacd@mikey>
Source record: 167980

Are you like Hellen Keller ?
--
http://members.aol.com/FRG9600/Yaesu.html

976. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350b081a.117016817@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167981

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com> wrote:

> *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF wrote:
>
> > You are lying again Eric.
> >
> > I was NEVER run off of Fidonet!
> >
> > I was removed from ONE fidonet echo by Bill Cheek as were about 30-50
> > other people in a hostile take-over he did of the echo.

> I was wondering......is there a centralized assignment agency responsible for
> placing lunatics like you in their respective newsgroups? Or do you all just
> blunder into groups on your own accord?

We adopted him as our "man in the barrel".
He's the "village idiot".....

Just use him as a reminder of how, but for the
grace of your deity of choice, could go you!

That right there is an instant "feel good".
Mackey makes us all feel good. Even Hankie
Hampton and Petey Joe Boe admire themselves
when standing next to ol' Smacksie.

977. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350f0d28.118311221@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167982

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

ingramj@erols.com wrote:

> In article <34FD219B.D31@primenet.com>,
> Cheek haters club <wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:
> >
> > This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
> >
>
>
> It appears that a Rogue Canceller is cancelling posts
> in rec.radio.scanner again!!!
>
> Someone from SprintNet has cancelled one of Richard Kendrick's
> posts to rec.radio.scanner.

It's John Mackey up to his old tricks again.

978. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350c0953.117330482@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167983

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Truth: MANY months after Cheek & I had a disagreement ending in my
> leaving his fidonet echo,

That is a lie. You didn't "leave" Fido.
You SAILED from it....with the greatest
of ease....like the man on the flying
trapeze.....except there was no trapeze
and you had a smoking imprint of a Size #13EE
crosswise on your sorry patooty.

> I came here only to find a MASSIVE
> flame war with nearly everyone against Bill Cheek

Yes, you came here to find one, and when
you didn't find it, you started it.

> because of SEVERAL things he did to cause problems in this forum.

Ha ha ha ha ha ha......what? Tell the forum the
TRUTH of your FidoNet sailing adventure? THAT
sure caused you a problem.

> > Historically speaking, Mackey is a sore loser.
>
> WRONG!

RIGHT. Your arse is still sore from my Size #13EE.
It still sticks in your gullet...my foot went in
so deep. You and me had to turkey-trot down to
the hospital on three legs to get my foot removed
from your sorry arse.

> Truth: Bill Cheek brings up the Fidonet problem, NOT ME!
> I believe in NOT carrying grudges & getting on with life.

Ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha.....

Yes....THAT is another one of those 'prima facie'
deals I was telling you about. Why don't you
call for a VOTE of confidence on that idiotic
statement you just made above?

You are a very sick little fellow, Smacksie.

979. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350d0c12.118033527@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167984

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

tvine@teleport.com (bud powell) wrote:

> From: tvine@teleport.com (bud powell)

What's with the 'Bud Powell' name by your
e-mail address, Petey? You fixing to start
off on a forging campaign?
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980. Re: Sharon Hines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350e0c5f.118109671@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167985

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> With the info you brought to the surface, you showed that the server
> listed was used to cancel MY messages, thereby clearing me as I
> certainly would NOT have canceled MY OWN messages!

You would have done it in a heartbeat to
allay suspicion, Smacksie.

It's kind of accepted that you would
do that, because you are so damned stupid.

981. ECPA of 1986

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Larson <"Douglas Larson"@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3501B8FF.701F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167986
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.cellular.tech,alt.cellular.gsm

For information about the Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986,
visit these two websites:

http://www.eff.org/pub/Legal/ecpa.law

http://www.eff.org/pub/Legal/ecpa_laymans_view.article

What is your opinion?

-- http://www.cauce.org ----

982. Pro 43 for sale $60.00 -damaged-

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: FX1 <fx1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6dr9u5$c0t@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167987

I have a Pro 43 for sale, here's the story, I am a weekend technician and I got a little carried away modifying this unit. I am selling it because I basicly soldered away d5, d4, and d3, trying to modify it for the all coverage including (shortwave). If you are good at fixing this unit I will sell it for $60.00, It still functions, you can get most frequincies using the 2,5,8,3,6, and 9 keys, however you cant use the 1,4,7, and 0 keys, I think I melted away a diode connector and it disabled it. Also, you cant use the manual or limit search options, you can only program it to store to banks. I still has the cell coverage, but remember, you can use all #'s but the 1,4,7, and) keys. born date is 6A2. Serial # is 008121 and FCC-ID is AA0020-300. some features that still work are the light, am/fm toggle, clear key, direct option, and you can turn on banks 2,5,8,3,6, and 9, (I think you get the picture)
$60.00, you pay for shipping.
PS: I am getting a Welz 2000, anyone know how good the unit is?
Oliver

983. Re: Bill/John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: FX1 <fx1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6drbqr$mve@dfw-ixnews12.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167988

Burt, Bill Cheek's information and dedication of helping others in this group doesn't qualify him as a immature child or that he gives crappy info. For all I know he is well known in this group and well respected. So what if he is suspected of having two names. If there is anyone that's immature it's the person who whines about it.

Just my opinion. ;)

cheer up,
FX1

BURT wrote in message <01bd4980$2d718da0$99e7f2cd@default>...
>I've noticed that there will be a post from Bill Cheek followed immediately
>by a post from John Mackey. Is this just mere coincidence, or is this the
>same person working both sides of the street, you know, like Jekyl/Hyde,
>Bill/Hillary,etc. Sometimes John's post is followed immediately by Bill's.
> Do you think maybe this person is confused and forgets who he is trying to
>be? I believe it is the same person because both talk the same childish
>inmature crap.
>

984. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanoich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <e4Iqp9bS9GA.323@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 167989

CBRambo wrote in message <19980307001001.TAA02581@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>In article <19980306215001.QAA09867@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
radioman27@aol.com
>(Radioman27) writes:
>
>>Just allow them to delete the entire hobby,I am moving to Canada,as
>>soon as I get the money.In canada you STILL can get scanners with full
>>coverage.LOL!
>
>Hope you enjoy paying 15% sales tax on everything you buy, $6/pack
cigarettes,
>beer @ $30/case, etc.

Maybe you have not checked the American Tax situation:

28% Income Tax
6% to 10% Sales Tax (Dependant upon what state and product)
$.15 to $2.00 surcharges for phone and communications
service to support United Services Fund for
low income communities.
6% to 15% Property Taxes (dependant upon State and Local
Govt.)

and on and on.

Every pay check I lose "donate" about 35% of my paycheck to Federal, State and Local Governments who only goal is to maintain their life style and work as little as possible.

I do not know what it like to live in Canada but, I do know what it is like to live here. From experience, the things I enjoied in amatuer and the scanning hobbies are now gone. I see my tax money wasted on the extreme rich and poor, with little services being returned to those who finacially support the system.

985. Re: PRO 2021 mods. wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307001000.TAA28018@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168087

In article <35002E8E.B49B82C5@gulftel.com>, "Anne B. Lowery"
<lowerys@gulftel.com> writes:

>Does anyone know mods. for the RS Pro 2021?

If you're talking about the supposed 800Mhz mod, forget it. Urban myth. You can get the frequency readout to display it, but no reception is possible because this scanner lacks the necessary front end to receive these frequencies.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

986. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307001001.TAA02581@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 168088

In article <19980306215001.QAA09867@ladder03.news.aol.com>, radioman27@aol.com (Radioman27) writes:

>Just allow them to delete the entire hobby,I am moving to Canada,as
>soon as I get the money.In canada you STILL can get scanners with full
>coverage.LOL!

Hope you enjoy paying 15% sales tax on everything you buy, $6/pack cigarettes, beer @ $30/case, etc.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

987. Re: Any Mods Please RS Pro 2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darren Kearins <dwk@ozemail.com.au>
Message-ID: <3501A369.A28@ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 168089
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,ncf.sigs.radio-scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> "Michael Arthur" <Shannona@airmail.net> wrote:
>
> > Are there any freq extension mod's for this scanner please
>
> Like what, cellular? Clip D513. It may be
> located on the top side of the board, or
> on the bottom side.
>
> No other freq expansions are possible by
> CPU addressing.
>
> +---+
> | Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
> | PO Box 262478 ~ San Diego, CA 92196-2478 |
> | Busn-Voice: (619) 578-9247 (1:30pm-5:30pm, PDT) FAX: anytime |
> | E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
> |WWWeb Site: http://204.210.9.135 |
> | Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
> | FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
> | or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
> +---+
The PRO 2004 can be modded to:
400 channels instead of 300
30khz spacing in cellular band
faster skip rate

There is a location on the net, can't exactly remember where, try
searching "pro 2004" you'll probably find it....

988. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350303CE.53F3@usa.net>
Source record: 167741
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Mr. Kendrick-

Your response made many false accusations of issues people commonly
say about YOU.

WHEN are you going to GROW UP?

Richard Kendrick wrote:
babbling rubbish deleted

989. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3502f44d.8539342@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167742
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 08 Mar 1998 12:27:30 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Yes, & isn't it SAD that BILL CHEEK is always the one to
>bring up all the wierd stuff like sexual issues, accuse others
>of personal problems, etc.
>
>Perhaps if BILL CHEEK would change his ways, all the 'noise'
>would go away!
>
>Food for thought!
>
>
>Bill Cheek wrote:
>> Well, it is interesting....especially in the psychology
>> of the whole thing. You ever notice how the noisiest
>> and orneriest ones are those who have nothing to
>> contribute and basically no interest in scanners, and
>> otherwise, a host of personal problems?

Bill just described you to a "T" here MACKEY and you think he's the
problem?

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

990. Re: WARNING!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6duqff$t6j@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 167743
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Tracey (tracey12@swbell.net) writes:
> According to the lastest newswire, the new anti-scanner law not only
> bans listening into cellular conversations, but it also BANS THE
> OWNERSHIP OF ANY DEVICE CAPABLE OF LISTENING TO CELLULAR RADIO
> TELEPHONES!
>
This would include those old TV sets that have UHF channels 72-83!!!
So if you have an old TV, you are also a felon...

Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

"Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

991. Re: Sharon Hines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3503022B.1798@usa.net>
Source record: 167744

If I were as stupid & pathetic as YOU then, YEA, I would too!

Lot 47 wrote:
> I'd pull my own plug before the Sun was too awfully
> high in the sky!)

992. Re: Bill/John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350302EF.3562@usa.net>
Source record: 167745

Charlie Dwenger wrote:
> Do you really think that some one could lose 100 IQ points in just
> a matter of seconds?

Besides, I would NEVER give some of the ROTTON advice that Cheek gives,
like telling people to use a metallic schrewdriver to adjust a RF
oscillator
coil.

993. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3503068E.145F@usa.net>
Source record: 167746
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:

> > Should THAT scare me?
> I don't know....should it?

NO!!!!

> > LOTS of people have reported to you net.abuse for things you
> > were guilty of & nothing happened.
> Rubbish! Only thing I ever did was give you
> a resounding kick on the arse when I sent
> you sailing out of Fidonet. I only wish I

WHY can't you let go? WHY must you always relate current issues
to something that happened 2 or 3 years ago as you support?

I am talking NOW Bill, TODAY! People have reported YOU to net.abuse
lot of times & nothing happened, SO WHAT?

> Thus you have absolutely no regard for truth.

You must be looking in the mirror when you say this.

994. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350307DE.32ED@usa.net>
Source record: 167747

You're just JEALOUS because I have higher FCC licneses than YOU!

hehehehehehehe

DICK Kendrick wrote:
> Mackey doesn't even rate high enough to be considered a wanna-be
> amateur.

995. Re: kenwood tk 801 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <csi@cyberlink-inc.com>
Message-ID: <3502FF9B.7D06@cyberlink-inc.com>
Source record: 167748
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

Paul wrote:
>
> I have a Kenwood TK-801 UHF radio and I was wondering how to re-program
> the frequencies. Any help would be appreciated.
> Thanks in advance.
>
> Paul.
> paulgm@mailexcite.com

The TK-801 uses 2 proms for programming. The only way to reprogram the
radio is to use new proms and program them with Kenwood's programmer.
You'll need to find a Kenwood Communicatons dealer that has a
programmer from that era.

Steve
csi@cyberlink-inc.com

996. What's left in Calgary?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: smason@editthisagt.net
Message-ID: <3502fd7e.33541365@news.agt.net>
Source record: 167749

I have 2 computer controlled Pro2006 scanners, a pro-43 and an AOR-1000 all garthering dust. What's left to monitor in Calgary?
I miss knowing wht HAWCS is hovering nearby.....

Steve
Remove the doubled characters to reply.

997. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35030E0B.1B47@usa.net>
Source record: 167750

Bill Cheek wrote:

> You SAILED from it....with the greatest
> of ease....like the man on the flying trapeze....

Yea, all those LIES you made up about my activity
worked pretty good to a sysop who was not aware of the
real situation!

> and you had a smoking imprint of a Size #13EE
> crosswise on your sorry patooty.

And when I came to deal with you, YOU ended up with
a imprint of my size# 15EEE boot on YOUR pathetic ass!

> > I came here only to find a MASSIVE
> > flame war with nearly everyone against Bill Cheek
>
> Yes, you came here to find one, and when
> you didn't find it, you started it.

Oh, it WAS NOT started by ME, would you like me to post some
NG messages from that time to show who the people were that
started it? (you KNOW I can do it!)

> > because of SEVERAL things Cheek did to cause problems in this forum.
>
> Ha ha ha ha ha ha......what? Tell the forum the
> TRUTH of your FidoNet sailing adventure?

Notice how Bill wants to change the subject to
the fidonet problems of 2 or 3 years ago. He does
NOT want to talk about the problems he has cause this forum!

> Your arse is still sore from my Size #13EE.

You are even MORE sore about my size# 15EEE boot which
was PART of the group holding YOU responsible for YOUR
behavior on this NG.

> > Truth: Bill Cheek brings up the Fidonet problem, NOT ME!
> > I believe in NOT carrying grudges & getting on with life.

Bill's response a few lines up proved this statement to be TRUE!

x

998. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35030B05.2C0D@usa.net>
Source record: 167751

Charlie Dwenger wrote:

> I hope you take me to court
> on this,

Since you own nothing & are on welfare, I would have nothing to gain.

Besides, ERIC OYEN is the one who is always threatening everyone to take them to court. That isn't my style, I believe in handeling things myself.

> I`ll give you 1 week to post SOMETHING on scanners. After that, POOF.

I don't give a DAMM about what you are gonna give me!

999. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35030A4D.5B3E@usa.net>
Source record: 167752

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> As usual, you lie again, Toilet Boy. You came onto the internet in
> March 1996 starting your nonsense. At that time you were using the
> address John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org.

My entrance to the online world & when the "Cheek War" started are NOT
the same thing. BTW, you are stating that my presense on "FIDONET"
was the same as the internet and THAT IS WRONG! Fidonet is a seperate
online system & is stand-alone from the internet. If you knew anything,
you would know that!

> Knowing you have very poor mathematical skills, my arithmetic
> shows that to be about 24 months.

Since I came onto Fidonet, YES. The internet is a different
story. Your arguement has MANY, MANY holes!

> The scanner groups quiet down when you lay low for a while after you
> get your sorry derriere soundly trounced with the truth. You wait and
> then come back like nothing has happened and start up again.

Funny, people say this about YOU & CHEEK all the time!

> > Truth: MANY months after Cheek & I had a disagreement ending in my
> > leaving his fidonet echo, I came here only to find a MASSIVE
> > flame war with nearly everyone against Bill Cheek because of SEVERAL
> > things he did to cause problems in this forum. (Would you
> > like me to post some examples of people complaints of that time?)
> > I simply became part of the group to keep Cheek in line & out of
> > out hair on this NG.
>
> Yeah,

Thanks for your agreement on this one DICK!

> > Truth: Bill Cheek brings up the Fidonet problem, NOT ME! I believe
> > in NOT carrying grudges & getting on with life.
>
> Two years of stalking and harassment in not carrying a grudge?

You are right there, 2 years later Cheek is still harassing me.
Someone should do something about HIM.

x

1000. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35030F34.2BD6@usa.net>
Source record: 167753

Bill Cheek wrote:

> But NT? Ha ha ha ha ha ha. All you know
> of NT is that it comes from Microsoft.

Hardly, you are once again a FOOL, Bill. I have TAUGHT
classes for NT users in the past, TO PEOPLE LIKE YOU!!!

> You don't have the mental capacity to do
> an NT logon, Oh Mindless One.

What an idiot you are!

You don't even know there is a way to automate the NT logon!

1001. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35030FEC.15E8@usa.net>
Source record: 167754

Bill Cheek wrote:

> *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > The people who were on scanradio BEFORE Bill Cheek became moderator
> > would certainly argue with you on that you little fool!
>
> Not many. Just the half-dozen or so evictees is all.

Bill, you were kicking 3-5 people off there per week for about a month.

Be real!

> Then you lie. You were 'persona non grata' to
> ALL of FidoNet.

Do you want me to post some messages I received on fidonet just last
fall? (Gee, I even think I got one from YOU!)

1002. DOWNLOAD MYTUNER or RFBASE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John P Corea <jcorea@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <3503056A.24040642@monmouth.com>
Source record: 167755
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Download MYTUNER, listen to real audio broadcasts on the net by clicking on an icon
http://www.monmouth.com/~jcorea/mytuner.zip - required real audio player and vbrun300.dll

Download RFBase for Windows 95 (beta version) - a powerful, easy to use logbook program for SWL/DX/SCANNER monitoring

http://www.monmouth.com/~jcorea/rfbase.zip

--
mailto:jcorea@monmouth.com
http://www.monmouth.com/~jcorea/index.html

1003. Re: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35031064.2124@usa.net>
Source record: 167756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The first server is ALWAYS the beginning of the path you IDIOT!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> You put it there, you friggin idiot. You had to,
> else the cancel would not have been accepted.
> CTS.COM wasn't the point of origin. Portland's
> Sprintnet was, stupid.

x

1004. Need info on AOR AR2700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bretth@westnet.com
Message-ID: <3503055c.4967651@news.westnet.com>
Source record: 167757

Can anyone tell me about this radio? When was it made? Is it a decent full coverage radio? How is the shortwave reception on it?

Finally, anyone know what it is worth in excellent condition (used)????

Thanks for the help!

Brett Hager

1005. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3503119A.D0A@usa.net>
Source record: 167758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Cheek wrote:

> > Bill Cheek wrote:
> > > That wasn't ME, you nincompoop. I saw 'im, too,

How FUNNY of you to say those words!!!! I was at the Tacoma, Washington
hamfest yesterday & someone complimented on how I have been handeling
YOU here & called YOU a "nincompoop"!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!1

> I have a high regard for truth and straightness.

hehehehehe
those who know you know better!

1006. scanner related software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kamst39+@pitt.edu
Message-ID: <6dv1hp$9ge@usenet.srv.cis.pitt.edu>
Source record: 167759

I'm looking for some software to decode some various subaudible tones
from my transceivers output. I can do DTMF via my mini dtmf decoder
from Opto that gets me DTSS decoding. I can do PL(CTCSS) with my DJ-580T.
Now, I want to be able to decode DPL, and a couple other tone types out there.

Now, I don't think my DJ-580T has a discriminator output and I dont think
there is a mod around to do that. However, the speaker output is definitely NOT
the same as the audio output jacks. Typically, with CTCSS, I can literally
hear the PL tone in the background. I can even tell a higher PL from
another just from listening. I can do this only from the audio output jacks,
either there is limiting circuitry on the speaker which blocks the low
frequencies or perhaps the speaker has a limited range of like 300hz and
up. Either way, I believe the audio output jacks should suffice for
decoding.

I need some software that is able to take a digitized file as input or
decode in real time from a soundcard. Has anyone seen anything out
there like this? It doesn't have to be tailored perse to DPL decoding but
just needs to display which frequencies(in hertz) are being used on
a specific audio channel.

TIA
Keith

1007. Re: New Jersey Scanner Lws

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: JPGRIFF <jpgriff@nospamworldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dv1q4$9o5@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167760

All true. Problem is that you'll find out that many NJ municipal police officers haven't been told about the updated law. Better to keep the scanner out of sight and avoid problems.
John
JPGRIFF@nospamworldnet.att.net
(remove nospam to reply)

Fishbags <fishbags@aol.com> wrote in article <19980308165901.LAA01736@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
> you can have a scanner in your car in n.j. unless you are in the "commission"
> of a felony at the time. in other words, it's ok except on the days you plan
> to rob gas stations &liquer stores, then leave it home.
>

1008. Re: Need info on AOR AR2700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35030A6C.7C3C@ibm.net>
Source record: 167761

bretth@westnet.com wrote:
> Can anyone tell me about this radio?

Nice enough radio. Good features and sensitivity but the
carrier-operated squelch allowed it to miss all but very
strong signals. Lots of internal noise so lots of birdies,
some of which are quite wide in coverage.

> When was it made?

Introduced in 1995, made for only about two years. Sold
for $400+ but clearance prices when discontinued were in
the lower $200s.

> Is it a decent full coverage radio?

Offered in two version : import(full coverage) and
domestic(cell blocked). It's a good 2nd or 3rd radio
but I wouldn't want to use it as my primary.

> How is the shortwave reception on it?

From the little testing I have done on it is on par
with the better radios in the field. But it doesn't
have SSB.

> Finally, anyone know what it is worth in excellent condition
> (used)????

I'd start at around $175.

Strong signals,
Rich N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Scanner User FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1009. Re: What's left in Calgary?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308213801.QAA18670@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167762

In article <3502fd7e.33541365@news.agt.net>, smason@editthisagt.net (Steve Mason) writes:

>I have 2 computer controlled Pro2006 scanners, a pro-43 and an AOR-1000 all >garthering dust.

Sell 'em! They're all worth pretty good US dollars!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

1010. Trade my 2006 for R-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308213800.QAA18764@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167763

I have an excellent Pro-2006 scanner I would like to do some trading for an Icom R-100 or a Yupi MVT-7100.

Has box, book and service manual.

Ed

1011. Pro 43 cellular mod ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brent Andre <brent5@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6dv34m$dj8$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 167764

I want a Pro 43 capable of cellular. I have seen one that says 800mhz mod for cellular (date code 12a3). Is this the standard mod for cellular? Is there another area for cellular freq? I want full cellular coverage.

Brent

1012. ATC frequencies in the Middle East

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: B|rre Ludvigsen <bludvigs@ulrik.uio.no>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980308224119.12654B-100000@ulrik>
Source record: 167765

Anyone have any ATC frequencies for the Middle East / Eastern
Mediterranean?

- Barre Ludvigsen

1013. Re: WARNING!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tweek@netcom-NO.SPAM-com
Message-ID: <EpIsx2.Bs2@moraga.ness.com>
Source record: 167766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Darrell A. Larose <ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA> wrote:

>Tracey (tracey12@swbell.net) writes:

>> According to the lastest newswire, the new anti-scanner law not only
>> bans listening into cellular conversations, but it also BANS THE
>> OWNERSHIP OF ANY DEVICE CAPABLE OF LISTENING TO CELLULAR RADIO
>> TELEPHONES!

Show me the text where it bans "owning" such a device. I believe
the ban is on "modifying" such a device. Also, show me where the
bill has been passed and signed into law.

>This would include those old TV sets that have UHF channels 72-83!!!
>So if you have an old TV, you are also a felon...

Indeed, if it bans "owning" such a device which was modified or capable
of such prior to the encatment of the law.

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Had your share of stoopid(tm) people?	
View the "Contra Costa Whines" at	[This space for lease]
http://www.io.com/~tweek/cocowhine/	

1014. Pro 39 with date code 3a4 any good??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dv6gl$hcl@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167767

Looking to see if a pro 39 with the date code of 3a4 is ok for modding

it is almost at the end of the mode limit with 4a4 being mostley the
last date code for modding like to know thanks..

1015. NASCAR listening

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jaybird X <axis@ivic.net>
Message-ID: <35032573.3E0BEF9C@ivic.net>
Source record: 167768

Afriend wants to listen to NASCAR drivers at the races. He rented a scanner/intercom/headsets at last race for $140! Question is, I know alot of the car telemetry/video is 900 mhz spread spectrum. Is the comm audio bunched with this or is it regular NBFM? Any suggestions on a scanner setup to do this?
Thanks in advance,
Jay

1016. Re: WARNING!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6dv8sv$sh4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167769

In article <3502554D.7C37@swbell.net>,
tracey12@swbell.net wrote:
>
> According to the lastest newswire, the new anti-scanner law not only
> bans listening into cellular conversations, but it also BANS THE
> OWNERSHIP OF ANY DEVICE CAPABLE OF LISTENING TO CELLULAR RADIO
> TELEPHONES!
>
> Many of you are now FELONS but you just have not been caught.
> Your government loves you. It feels your pain.
>
> Mark
>

If that is true, then it's now illegal to own many TV sets, since even many new ones can receive UHF channels 81-83 (868-890MHz). While the audio will be very garbled since TV audio is in WFM and cell-phones are in NFM, on some TV sets, a person could probably understand conversations. Virtually any receiver convering 800MHz frequencies will have images and other problems, allowing it to hear conversations un-modified. What language in the law bans ownership of cellular-capable radios?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1017. LAFD Firefighter dies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4aed$65c8b980$12abedcc@default>
Source record: 167770

Southern California monitoring enthusiasts over a wide area were among the many who heard firsthand of the on-duty death of a Los Angeles City Firefighter.

Many have asked what they might do in remembrance of Captain Joseph Dupee.

I encourage you to take a moment to put pen to paper for his surviving family. I can hardly imagine anything less sensitive than a stack of computer printouts. Instead, I encourage those who feel so inclined to send their personalized condolences via postal mail to:

The Family of Joseph Dupee
c/o the Los Angeles Firemen's Relief Association
2900 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90026

I am certain that Dupee' s wife Julieann, a 2-year-old son, and a 10-day-old son that was born on his last birthday, will draw tremendous solace from such handwritten notes for years to come.

While Captain Dupee's family has not yet chosen an honorarium, many (including some prominent monitoring enthusiasts) have inquired where they might send a donation to help offset his young family's true and pressing needs.

Widow's and Orphans Fund
Los Angeles Firemen's Relief Association
2900 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90026 USA

Telephone: (800) 244-3439 -or- (213) 380-2900 M-F during normal business hours (Pacific Time).

LAFRA is a registered non-profit organization that supports the families of Firefighters. His widow and children can take comfort in knowing that they will ALWAYS be taken care of. Your donation will help Firefighters shoulder less of the burden. The Relief Association has a website (under development!) at: http://www.lafra.org

Thanks in advance for your generosity and kind handwritten words.

While they may not have the story in altogether perfect detail, you can visit these sites for further info about the fire that took Captain Dupee's life:

http://www.channel2000.com/news/stories/news-980308-121722.html

http://biz.yahoo.com/upi/98/03/08/general_state_and_regional_news/cafire_2.html

http://biz.yahoo.com/upi/98/03/08/general_state_and_regional_news/cafire_3.html
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I hope this answers questions for the many who have asked.

MY E-MAILBOX IS ALREADY FULL. PLEASE NO E-MAIL REPLIES ON THIS SUBJECT.
THANK YOU.

With deep sadness,

Brian Humphrey
Firefighter/Paramedic
Public Information Officer
Los Angeles City Fire Department

LAFD website: http://www.lafd.org

1018. Re: Help on Regency MX-3000 scanner error message

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: grohe@galaxy.nsc.com
Message-ID: <35032b61.1413940@139.187.81.1>
Source record: 167771

On Sat, 07 Mar 1998 21:49:55 -0800,
in the newsgroup rec.radio.scanner,
M Yuen <miltonan@pacbell.net>
from Pacific Bell Internet Services thoughtfully posted:

> I have an old Regency MX-3000 scanner. This scanner has served me well
> for years but now when I select scan, it will scan for a second or two
> and then it will give me an error message. I no longer have the
> manual. Anybody have any suggestions on how I can troubleshoot this?

What's the message????

Have you replaced the backup battery lately?

If the error is just "error", then that usually means that the
PLL cannot lock-on to a frequency, either because of a simple
programming error or something more serious.

The MX-3000 is very "dumb", as there is no "error checking" when
you enter a frequency. You can enter "bogus" frequencies (ones
well outside it's receive range, ie: 800MHz) and it will accept
them. But when it tries to scan them, it gets "stuck" on the
"bogus" frequency with a "error" message. It is also easy to get
the decimal point in the wrong place and not even notice it.

Most likely the backup battery went dead and you have lost some
of the programmed frequencies, and now some random frequencies
are in their place.

Replace the battery and step through your channels and make sure
everything is correct. Reprogram any incorrect channels.

Good Luck!

Cheers,
Paul Grohe

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1019. FS RS 2003 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4gj <k4gj@citrus.infi.net>
Message-ID: <6dvbsa$ls1$1@nw003t.infi.net>
Source record: 167772

Pro 2003 in excellent condition, with op manual and frequency book for $85
plus shipping.
k4gj@citrus.infi.net

1020. Garland, Texas Doomsday cult.....need freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Shapiro <matzoman@flash.net>
Message-ID: <350355B7.16CD@flash.net>
Source record: 167773

In Garland, Texas there is a doomsday cult that is waiting to have a UFO land in Garland on March 31. I need the freq's for the FBI in Dallas so I can listen in to them on that day. I also want the secret service freq's for Dallas.

Thanks

Dave

1021. RS Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Davidson <legend@cyberpunk.net>
Message-ID: <35033F15.E0FCE0CD@cyberpunk.net>
Source record: 167774

I just found this ng via www.policescanner.com, and I just wanted to say

that it has more useful real-time information for part time enthusiasts
such as myself than I have been able to find most anywhere else.

I have had a RS Pro 2006 for many years now, and every once in a while
I'll take the time to tune in and try to locate new frequencies to
listen to. But, after a while, I find nothing new except the usual dull

boring broadcasts from city services, taxis & shuttles, and assorted tow

truck companies, so my enthusiasm diminishes and I just use it for
monitoring local police fire broadcasts as well as the weather.

I have a few questions that maybe some one reading this message might be

able to answer for me:

1) Are there any accessories that I can buy that will help enhance the
receiving range of my scanner?

2) During a recent move (in which I had to give up my $100 RS discone
ant., etc.!), I lost the manual for my scanner. Does anyone have a
(xerox) copy they could send me?

3) I accidentally erased the frequency for LAFD (Verdugo dispatch), and
my notes listing my freqs were lost in my recent move. If you
anyone
knows that frequency, could you please email me to me?

I have just now begun to realize the resources available to me (like
this NG) via the NET. Maybe now, I will find the energy to become more
of an active participant in monitoring.

Dave

1022. Re: Sharon Hines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <350343C7.6F4A@netwit.com>
Source record: 167775

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Same for me!
>
> With the info you brought to the surface, you showed that the server
> listed was used to cancel MY messages, thereby clearing me as I
> certainly would NOT have canceled MY OWN messages!
>
> Not bad, Sharon, THANKS! You're OK!
>

Nope. Her work didn't exactly depict you in the best light. In fact, I'd guess that there isn't anything you could say that would raise your ratings in the eyes of regular readers of this group. You're an amusing sideshow to an otherwise informative newsgroup. You're the "Otis" of "Mayberry Rec.Radio.Scanner". You're Damon Wayons as the homeless guy; filthy and three sheets to the wind, roaming about with your mayonaise jar of piss and shit tucked under your arm. Repulsing most and amusing the rest with your delusional take on the world.

Babble on John.

1023. Re: NEW CRIMINALS: Scanner Owners who have older scanners that can listen to cellular calls.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <Bob@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35036CA8.267F@nospam.hotmail.com>
Source record: 167776

You better hope Congress doesn't pass a law forbidding idiotic posts
like yours! The only fact you wrote was the number of Senators per
state, and that only applies to US residents...

Tracey wrote:
>
> YES, thats correct folks. All of you here who are trying to sell
> scanners that have the ability to recieve cellular calls may well be
> ending up in someones database for future prosecution should you happen
> to keep the scanner, and, or sell the scanner to someone that can be
> tracked down. You who own such scanners and make note of it here could
> be easy targets for the FCC crackdown due to appear in the near future
> once the many millions of tax dollars have been given to them for this
> very cause. What will the penelty be? You will not only lose your
> scanner, but as I understand it now, you will be convicted of a FELONY
> which means that you will lose all rights to vote and own guns.
> Did you sit on your ass while this bill made its way through
> Congress?
> YOU ARE NOW GUILTY UNTIL PROVEN INNOCENT!
> Where are sound minded men and women who can be trusted to run the
> country? We certainly do not have any in Washington today.
> Please contact your Senate members (you have two) and tell them that
> you will not support their reelection if they support any bills that
> place new restrictions on scanner operation or ownershp.
> If you and I do not call them, we will surely wish we had in due time.

1024. Discriminator Tap - PRO-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Stegner <dstegner@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6dvgl4$d4k$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 167777
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone have the instructions for doing this? Thanks.

Don Stegner
dstegner@erols.com

1025. Scanner Last 24 hours

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: sjblack@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6dvibe$95f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167778

Iam selling my scanner to the highest bidder on ebay. follow this link

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7406549

The Scanner is a BC2500 XLT hand held unit comes with operating guide,rubber antenna,AC adapter/charger,earphone,leather-like carrying case,belt clip,and also cigarett lighter powercord.

the model # is #35007758

It is in original Box maybe used five times.

Thanks for the intrest

Steve Black

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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1026. Re: request for help: Scout+R10 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Martin <rvrm@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35034D61.951060B6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167779

A few things to check.

Scout: On power up it displays "CIV".

R-10: Set to CIV=52, baud rate=9600, CIVTRN=ON.

Use CIV port on side of R10.

Turn R10 on first then Scout.

Best,
RM

Markus Buttinger wrote:

> "hi" from Europe,
>
> for almost a year my Scout "reaction-tuned" my
> Icom R10 flawlessly. All of a sudden the Scout
> still finds freqs but quit tuning the receiver to the
> detected freq.
>
> Can anybody tell me how to determine wether
> it's the Scout's fault (doesn't send CI-V data to
> the scanner anymore) or if my R10 suddenly
> went 'deaf'. (oh, and: yes, I did check the wire
> that connects them ;-)
>
> thank you, already in advance!
>
> /\/\arkus Buttinger
> Salzburg, Austria
>
> P.S.: There's still warranty on my R10,
> so I hate the idea of taking it apart...

1027. Re: Getting arrested...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: northd@XXXcvn.net
Message-ID: <35031203.3083240@cnews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167780

On 7 Mar 1998 03:33:10 GMT, "NEWT" <jmul@iland.net> wrote:

>for listening to a cellphone call is about as likely as getting arrested
>for removing that tag from your mattress, or a cop writing another cop a
>traffic ticket, it just doesn't happen!!
>

I agree, but it shouldn't even be illegal!

Remove the "XXX" in the author's return address
to reply to this message!

1028. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350374E1.75B7@usa.net>
Source record: 167781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

That is YOUR OPINION, which has been proven to not be worth
much.

The Cb Guy wrote:
> Bill just described you to a "T" here MACKEY and you think he's the
> problem?

1029. Re: PRO-2009 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350375C5.1510@usa.net>
Source record: 167782

hehehehe

I've always liked you raw sense of humor, George!

BTW- I confirmed it for myself with my service monitor, the IF is 10.7 Mhz.

George Vetterle wrote:
> Obviously another forged post since John *never* posts on topic.

1030. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3503769B.7E7B@usa.net>
Source record: 167783

I never claimed to be good at spelling, just competent in my area
of electronics!

Besides, how many Doctors do you know that have good penmanship?

George Vetterle wrote:
> It is truly regrettable that the FCC sees fit to issue a *license* to
> a buffoon that cannot correctly spell the word. A sorry state of
> affairs, indeed!

1031. Re: need freq ohio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan Griffith <bryan@bryan.cl>
Message-ID: <6dvpsu$4e8@m5.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 167784

Check out a book available at all RadioShack stores.

--
bryan@bryan.cl
UIN: 1842951
"He who dies with the most toys wins!"
JJJR wrote in message <6cpga7ipi1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>...
I need freq for lorain county sherrif, elyria police,lagrange
police,grafton police any help would help.

1032. Re: non-Motorola trunk tracker?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lidstrom <jlidstrom@accessone.com>
Message-ID: <35036D05.E4A1180B@accessone.com>
Source record: 167785

nope,not yet. I think it is probably a market share thing.
John

Jason M. Warren wrote:

> As I understand it, the Bearcat (and I think Radio Shack) trunk
> tracking scanners only work with the Motorola "standards." Our
> local community doesn't use that - they have (I think) GE radios
> which operate differently. Are there any scanners that handle this?
>
> Jason

1033. Re: Mot. Spectra Scan - Syntor X9K better

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lidstrom <jlidstrom@accessone.com>
Message-ID: <35036F81.14FEBE06@accessone.com>
Source record: 167786

re the motorola programming software:
a: I've heard rumor of a new version of the software in Beta which was not designed by a
b: brain dead engineer who gave no thought to people who had mutliple units in a complex
structure to deal with. I can't even use the early codeplug data to clone my newer radios
with the radio setup. What a pain in the ascii. I suggest the mobile radio division hire a
real programmer to fix these problems. And these problems exist in the HT1000, MT2000s,
ht600, et.al.
oops. sorry for the flame
John

Dr. Radio wrote:

> You are correct - most "professional" users don't listen to many channels.
> I use it like a scanner mostly since it is less susceptible to intermod and
> it has CTCSS.
>
> However, this still seems like a step back from what the Syntor X9000's will
> do. They have 64 modes and one can scan any or all modes. But the max.
> freq. separation is poor.
>
> An what's up with the Spectra's programming software? This stuff is
> brain-dead. Takes hours to program (multiple screens per mode? - argh!).
> It is somewhat improved over the Syntor, but it still cannot compare to that
> of the high-end Kenwoods which use a "spreadsheet" approach to freq, ctcss,
> names, etc.....
>
> I will get off my soapbox now...thx for the reply. I hope all those looking
> for the Spectra will read this and be aware.
>
> WB5SXK wrote in message <19980306002201.TAA14817@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> >>you can only have 16 channels at a time defined in the scan
> >>list....major problem.
> >
> >Not really a problem for the target users of the radio. You must remember
> that
> >this unit was not designed to be used as a scanner, but rather as a working
> 2
> >-way radio. In such a use, there is little need to scan more than just a
> few
> >channels. Most of the officers on our police department rarely program more

> >that three or four channels into their radios. We set them up here with the
> >selected channel as the priority 1 scan and the Primary Dispatch channel as
> the
> >priority 2 scan. The individual user may then program others as needed.
> >Bill Ford, WB5SXK
> >Systems Administrator
> >City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
> >Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
> >Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net

1034. Re: Motorola radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lidstrom <jlidstrom@accessone.com>
Message-ID: <35037121.D8CB432E@accessone.com>
Source record: 167787

Bryce
these radios are basically bombproof, fireman proof, cop proof, bicycle delivery proof, etc..
In other words, Motorola portables are fine radios. But they are not designed to be scanners.
The JT1000 with the keypad reprogram is probably your best bet.. But that is a bet that will run
well in excess of $600 upwards to 2K for a smartzone MTS2000. You can run through a whole
bunch of light duty bearcats for that amount of money.
ohn

Bryce Lee wrote:

> Have any readers utilized a Motorola JT1000
> as a scanner? Also similarly Motorola
> MT2000 series Models I and III?
> What about Kenwood?
> Am interested as to long term durability,
> audio output, available accessories.
> I am not a ham radio operator so
> am unable to enquire of that group of people.
> Can somebody advise as to cost, either
> new or preferably used.
> Have found the Uniden & Radio Shack
> products to be short-lived in terms of durability.
> The scanner would be used primarily for railfan
> use; monitoring of cellphones and police calls
> is not of interest.
>
> The ra

1035. rumored new scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lidstrom <jlidstrom@accessone.com>
Message-ID: <350372F5.5CC7D0AA@accessone.com>
Source record: 167788

I spoke with a fellow the other day who said
a compact mobile version of the trunktracker was
due. I've also seen vague references to new products
in scanner land. Would those of you in the know
please enlighten us with these rumored goodies of
the future?
Thanks
John

1036. RS Pro 34 Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kaukauna Police Department <kkpd@pop.athenet.net>
Message-ID: <350375F5.5742@pop.athenet.net>
Source record: 167789

Looking for Pro 34 user manual or copy of. If you can help, E-mail me.

Thanx
Don
djkk9@mailcity.com
or
kkpd@athenet.net

1037. Re: PRO-64 Trunk tracking scanner???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathy De Viney <cdeviney@ipa.net>
Message-ID: <350378BA.90CBAC53@ipa.net>
Source record: 167790

http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

Earl wrote:

> The PRO-64 is not a trunk tracker, but it is pretty fast. If you plan on
> only using a couple of TRUNK freqs, it can be done, but your best bet is
> to buy the PRO-90 for TRUNKs.
> The Pro-64 is a great scanner for the things that interest me.
>
> merrypaws wrote:
> >
> > Pro-64 owners , can u tell me if the pro-64 is a trunk tracking scanner???.
> > I have call 2 Radio shack stores and I got two different answers. Pro64
> > are on sale this month $149.00 good deal???
>
> --
> If you are ever in Las Vegas, Go and see LORETTA HOLLOWAY
> She is a true DIVA!!!
> http://www.lorettaholloway.com

1038. RE: 3000XLT FOR SALE FROM TOM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <350217d3.15130612@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167878

NEED Your E-MAIL address Tom so I can buy the Radio

1039. ****FS / Trade RS-Pro 2006****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: blade1@home.com
Message-ID: <3501db70.10887088@news>
Source record: 167879
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

I have a 2006 W/ in the box w/ manual , I will sell for $300.00 or trade for a Sony SW-55, 77, SW1, SW-100, Lowe-150, Pro-80, Grundig 700, or a Yupi-7100.

1040. WTB Tone Reeds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmtmn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308004500.TAA13342@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167880

I'm looking for the following tone reeds.
Motorola type.
TLN-6709 or KLN-6209
697.5 (G13)

If you have these, please let me know. Thanks. ->Dan

1041. Re: HELP:WOODPECKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308012100.UAA23627@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167881

Ah, yes. The old "Russian Woodpecker." Been around for years.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

1042. Re: Canadian vs US Taxes (was: Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning h

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308012100.UAA23634@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167882

In article <3501c9d8.9784746@news.det.ameritech.net>, thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb Guy) writes:

>time to schedule you, you'd best hope it's prior to your funeral.
>I was just in Canada today, for their only TRUE virtue and
>resource......Molsen XXX Beer......ahhhhhhh

Well, yes :-) And you can drink it legally at age 18 there. I'll bet Windsor makes a ton of money on that deal from thirsty 18-20-year-old Detroiters!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

1043. Re: Canadian vs US Taxes (was: Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning h

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308012100.UAA19408@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167883

In article <01bd4a0c$e33f95a0$43dd0ad0@default>, "Charlie Dwenger"
<cdwenger@hsonline.net> writes:

>Add into this what Americans pay for health insurance. Now, Check Canada.
>Anyone have a French book I can borrow?
>Charlie

At least we get decent care. If Canadian socialized medicine is such a great idea, why do affluent Canadians flock by the thousands to the U.S. when they need to obtain major procedures?

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

1044. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308021001.VAA27655@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167884

>"intentionally intercept or
>> divulge the content of radio communications.'
>
> The divulging of radio communication content has been illegal for over 60
>years. New legislation will not help if the existing laws aren't enforced.

Please note. HR2369 makes not only divulging, but the simple act of listening to certain communications illegal. It changes the wording from "intercept AND divulge" to "intercept OR divulge."
Fortunately, most of the things scanners users monitor are exempt from the bill's effects.

John Ward

1045. Re: Anyone know state laws re: using scanner in car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308024301.VAA03394@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167885

In article <5vQLI2J.howesc@delphi.com>, Chester Howes <howesc@delphi.com>
writes:

>Can anyone advise the legality of using a scanner in a vehicle. Main
>interest
>is Ohio,

Legal

>Indianna

Not legal

>and Kentucky

DEFINITELY not legal, even with a ham license. Kentucky is known for having some of the most restrictive scanner laws in the country. A few years ago, there was a big news story about local cops in KY harassing a teenager who carried his HTX-202 (2m ham transceiver) on his bicycle and confiscating his radio.

>guys.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

1046. #Scanner open on DalNet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: R <i@like.racing>
Message-ID: <01bd4a3e$a4be3ac0$220ca2d1@robb>
Source record: 167886

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Just me
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1047. Re: F.S. Bearcat 4/6 Thinscan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35021812.992494@news>
Source record: 167887

On 5 Mar 1998 22:46:55 GMT, jmurray407@aol.com (JMURRAY407) wrote:

>F.S. Bearcat model 4/6 Thin Scan Hand Held scanner.
>The scanner is in new mint condition.
>It is a 6 channel crystal controlled. COmes with leather case and charger.
>It runs on 4 AAAA batteries. I also have original users manual.
>Price $150 plus shipping

WOOOOOW !

AAAA batteries?

>If interested email jmurray407@aol.com

1048. Re: RELM MS 200 Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sean G. Douglas" <kb8ixp@lightstream.net>
Message-ID: <35022DC0.5B14@lightstream.net>
Source record: 167888

Can someone tell me how many alphanumeric characters the user can program as a tag?

Thank you,

Sean

1049. Re: RELM MS 200 Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: stmagnum@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308061200.BAA11010@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167889

>Can someone tell me how many alphanumeric characters the user can
>program as a tag?
>
>Thank you,
>
>Sean
>
>

You can program a SEVEN(7) character alpha-numeric label for EACH of the 200
channels.

-- St. Magnum

1050. Regency mx7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy/DeeDee/Robin <dc@citynet.net>
Message-ID: <35023289.C9B05E6@citynet.net>
Source record: 167890
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Saw a scanner I really liked, not sure of the model..regency mx7000 or something to that effect. Grey/blue, slant face with blister keys, about 6" across and 9" deep (kinda like the older regency/relm bus. band mobiles..). At any rate, if anyone knows what these are, I'd like to know how hard it would be to come by one; price, availability, and when they were discontinued (if they're d/c'd).
thanks,
Randy

1051. FS: Mint Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad178@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6dtb7h$s7t@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 167891

Original buyer lost funding, this is a repost.

MINT Pro-2006, box, manual, antenna.
Later model with On/Off switch, NOT dimmer switch.
Display is nice and bright.
$285.00 shipped.

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Life's too short to worry... :)

1052. AR8000 For sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: icculus@i1.net
Message-ID: <35033cf4.349911574@news.primary.net>
Source record: 167892

Greetings All,

With a serious lack of money in my bank account, I have decided that I need to part with my AOR AR8000. Here is what is included:

AOR 8000 (Version A ..completely unblocked)
AC Adapter
4 Rechargeable Nicads
Car Cig Lighter Adapter
Rubber Duck Antenna
RS Telescopic Whip Antenna
Manual
Box

(only thing missing is the battery cover, as it has been attached to my optolynx for so long I have lost it - new ones can be purchased from Design EQ for around 5 bucks)

I am looking to get $400.00 (OBO), make me an offer.....

Will ship COD and split the shipping with the buyer

Thanks,
BW

1053. APCO Project 25 - Standards for Public Safety Digital Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Larson <"Douglas Larson"@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3502EC9B.7B31@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167893

for information about APCO's Project 25, visit the APCO website.

http://www.apcointl.org/project25/information.html#top

How will Project 25 affect our hobby?

Will we be "allowed" to own scanner radios compatible with project 25?

1054. Re: pro-2021

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35044edd.42500809@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167894

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

kc5wxh@worldnet.att.net wrote:

> anyone have mods to enhance the pro-2021?

Dozens.

But what are you looking for? A shopping
list....or perhaps something specific?

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| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.9.135 or ftp.204.210.9.135 |
| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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1055. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrbyron@worldnet.att.NOSPAM.net
Message-ID: <35024891.5010@worldnet.att.NOSPAM.net>
Source record: 167895
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner

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*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Funny,,,,
>
> We have PROOF that it came from the server of YOUR ISP!!!!
>
> I am not the one heading for trouble! But I suppose you will just
> hop to a new ISP AGAIN like you do about once a year!
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > ....that your ass is fixing to get a fire
> > lit under it if you ain't more careful.
> > You can't be pulling this forgery crap,
> > Smacksie, and expect to get off scot-free
> > for very long.

WRONG!!! The headers that I found indicate that it came from
Sprint Net!!!

Path:
goliat.c3.hu!absolut.taide.net!Talisker.taide.net!newsfeed.sunet.se!news99.sunet.se!news01
.sunet.se!194.22.194.4.MISMATCH!masternews.telia.net!news-feed.inet.tele.dk!bofh.vszbr.cz!
news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Control: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
Date: Wed, 04 Mar 1998 01:03:32 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <34FD18E4.599E@san.rr.com>
References: <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.31
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
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1056. WARNING!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <3502554D.7C37@swbell.net>
Source record: 167896

According to the lastest newswire, the new anti-scanner law not only bans listening into cellular conversations, but it also BANS THE OWNERSHIP OF ANY DEVICE CAPABLE OF LISTENING TO CELLULAR RADIO TELEPHONES!

Many of you are now FELONS but you just have not been caught.
Your government loves you. It feels your pain.

Mark

1057. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35054f53.42619259@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167897

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

olp@texas.net (Ollie Pruitt) wrote:

> I know I'll burn in hell for this but...

Wait a minute......let's get back to the subject line....
Don't you mean, "Okay, I'll bend over..."?

> I regularly lurk in about 50 newsgroups, plus I jump in and out of
> dozens more.

So.....you don't contribute much?

> What I'm I getting at?

I was wondering that myself......

> This group has the most ornery bunch on usenet!

Yes, they are a sorry lot, but since you don't
contribute and since no one's been ornery to
you, what difference does it make?

> I don't know if I love it or hate it.

Sounds like a personal problem. This group, sorry
lot that they are, can help you with scanner problems,
but not with personal problems. To come on here with
personal problems is like bending over...... and someone's
going to come along and help theirself.....

> I can't wait to get home to see what happened on
> "as-the-rec.radio.scanner/alt.radio.scanner-turns".

Well, it is interesting....especially in the psychology
of the whole thing. You ever notice how the noisiest
and orneriest ones are those who have nothing to
contribute and basically no interest in scanners, and
otherwise, a host of personal problems?

> Thanks for a most interesting, if not somewhat annoying group.

Interesting, yes. Annoying? How? Don't you know how
to control your own computer much? If not, maybe you
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need to haul off and kick the snot out of it and make
it behave a little better.

You shouldn't let an inanimate object possess you like
that. It's another personal problem that will get you
into a whole world of very deep doo-doo.

Words to the wise, my friend.

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| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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1058. Re: Help asap please re pro-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350651ef.43287147@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167898

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

jroulier@albany.net (Jeff) wrote:

> I took the diode out of 4, and now it doesn't work rright. The only
> buttons that works are scan, light, dly, l/out. Pgm. manual, limit
> etc don't.

You need to retrace your steps and undo
everything you did. Once it's back to
original condition, then start over.

Otherwise, take it to the Radio Shack
repair center........

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| or 204.210.9.135 (depends on your FTP program) |
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1059. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350853a8.43728301@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167899

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

tvine@teleport.com (PjB) wrote:

> In article <350d0c12.118033527@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
>
> > tvine@teleport.com (bud powell) wrote:
> >
> > > From: tvine@teleport.com (bud powell)
> >
> > What's with the 'Bud Powell' name by your
> > e-mail address, Petey? You fixing to start
> > off on a forging campaign?
>
> Cheeks, you've finally gone over the edge. What in the name of God are you
> on about? Have you lost your fucking mind?

No. But you have.....assuming you ever had one.
I'll invite you ONCE AGAIN to examine and explain
the header in a recent post of yours. See the
"Bud Powell" on the FROM: line? Only you put it
there, Oh Mindless One. Go ahead and look at it.
Then explain it, you miserable wretch.

Path: relief.cts.com!newshub.cts.com!usc!howland.erols.net!
newsfeed.direct.ca!News.Vancouver.iSTAR.net!news.istar.net!
hammer.uoregon.edu!nntp.teleport.com!news.teleport.com!
pdx49-a48-30.teleport.com!user
From: tvine@teleport.com (bud powell) <------------ !!!!!!
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: The Spectacle
Date: Tue, 03 Mar 1998 16:13:12 -0800
Organization: ***
Lines: 13
Message-ID: <tvine-0303981613120001@pdx49-a48-30.teleport.com>
References: <01bd4577$28aea1c0$61dd0ad0@default>
<19980302141701.JAA07983@ladder02.news.aol.com>
<34FAF747.B3FED821@usa.net>
<tvine-0203981146090001@pdx42-a48-11.teleport.com>
<34FB21E5.27D1D1CA@usa.net>
<tvine-0203981833180001@pdx42-a48-11.teleport.com>

<34FB71F3.7FA70736@usa.net>
<tvine-0203982358290001@pdx42-a48-11.teleport.com>
<34FC455E.EBF40895@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pdx43-a48-20.teleport.com
X-Newsreader: Yet Another NewsWatcher 2.1.8
Xref: relief.cts.com rec.radio.scanner:124952
X-Cache: nntpcache 1.0.7.1 (see ftp://suburbia.net/pub/nntpcache)
x-no-archive: yes 2957236718457

1060. NEW CRIMINALS: Scanner Owners who have older scanners that can listen to cellular calls.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <3502588C.DFF@swbell.net>
Source record: 167900

YES, thats correct folks. All of you here who are trying to sell scanners that have the ability to recieve cellular calls may well be ending up in someones database for future prosecution should you happen to keep the scanner, and, or sell the scanner to someone that can be tracked down. You who own such scanners and make note of it here could be easy targets for the FCC crackdown due to appear in the near future once the many millions of tax dollars have been given to them for this very cause. What will the penelty be? You will not only lose your scanner, but as I understand it now, you will be convicted of a FELONY which means that you will lose all rights to vote and own guns.
Did you sit on your ass while this bill made its way through Congress?
YOU ARE NOW GUILTY UNTIL PROVEN INNOCENT!
Where are sound minded men and women who can be trusted to run the country? We certainly do not have any in Washington today.
Please contact your Senate members (you have two) and tell them that you will not support their reelection if they support any bills that place new restrictions on scanner operation or ownershp.
If you and I do not call them, we will surely wish we had in due time.

1061. Re: scanner freq. over the net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff30@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308095301.EAA28485@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167901

Try www.policescanner.com

1062. Tucson area listeners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Joel C. Baese" <jcbaese@theriver.com>
Message-ID: <6dtr40ld1@usenet50.supernews.com>
Source record: 167902
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,az.general,rec.radio.scanner

Tucson area scanner listeners check out my web page. It's still a work in progress but I have the TPD codes and freqs up. Check it out and give me your feedback.

http://personal.riverusers.com/~jcbaese

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Joel C. Baese jcbaese@theriver.com
Tucson, Arizona USA ICQ#: 7205714
http://personal.riverusers.com/~jcbaese
http://wwp.mirabilis.com/7205714

1063. Re: NEW CRIMINALS: Scanner Owners who have older scanners that can listen to ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308130900.IAA06855@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167903

In article <3502588C.DFF@swbell.net>, Tracey <tracey12@swbell.net> writes:

>YES, thats correct folks. All of you here who are trying to sell
>scanners that have the ability to recieve cellular calls may well be
>ending up in someones database for future prosecution should you happen
>to keep the scanner, and, or sell the scanner to someone that can be
>tracked down.

As an aside, this is yet another good reason why all USENET postings should be made anonymously.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

1064. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35049f14.1255799@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167904

I'm waiting to see him squirm his way out of this one :-)

On Sun, 08 Mar 1998 08:20:46 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
wrote:

>tvine@teleport.com (PjB) wrote:
>
>> In article <350d0c12.118033527@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
>>
>> > tvine@teleport.com (bud powell) wrote:
>> >
>> > > From: tvine@teleport.com (bud powell)
>> >
>> > What's with the 'Bud Powell' name by your
>> > e-mail address, Petey? You fixing to start
>> > off on a forging campaign?
>>
>> Cheeks, you've finally gone over the edge. What in the name of God are you
>> on about? Have you lost your fucking mind?
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>I'll invite you ONCE AGAIN to examine and explain
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>there, Oh Mindless One. Go ahead and look at it.
>Then explain it, you miserable wretch.
>
>Path: relief.cts.com!newshub.cts.com!usc!howland.erols.net!
> newsfeed.direct.ca!News.Vancouver.iSTAR.net!news.istar.net!
> hammer.uoregon.edu!nntp.teleport.com!news.teleport.com!
> pdx49-a48-30.teleport.com!user
>From: tvine@teleport.com (bud powell) <------------ !!!!!!
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>Subject: Re: The Spectacle
>Date: Tue, 03 Mar 1998 16:13:12 -0800
>Organization: ***
>Lines: 13
>Message-ID: <tvine-0303981613120001@pdx49-a48-30.teleport.com>
>References: <01bd4577$28aea1c0$61dd0ad0@default>
><19980302141701.JAA07983@ladder02.news.aol.com>
><34FAF747.B3FED821@usa.net>
><tvine-0203981146090001@pdx42-a48-11.teleport.com>
><34FB21E5.27D1D1CA@usa.net>
><tvine-0203981833180001@pdx42-a48-11.teleport.com>
><34FB71F3.7FA70736@usa.net>

><tvine-0203982358290001@pdx42-a48-11.teleport.com>
><34FC455E.EBF40895@usa.net>
>NNTP-Posting-Host: pdx43-a48-20.teleport.com
>X-Newsreader: Yet Another NewsWatcher 2.1.8
>Xref: relief.cts.com rec.radio.scanner:124952
>X-Cache: nntpcache 1.0.7.1 (see ftp://suburbia.net/pub/nntpcache)
>x-no-archive: yes 2957236718457

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

1065. Re: 510 MHz - What's there?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6du6bn$rp2@hopper.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 167905

krubsack@sprintmail.com (Mark Krubsack) wrote:
> ... frequency counter. Driving around town I get a lot of hits around
> 509-512 MHz. The freq spectrum charts I've got indicate that's television
> or law enforcement.

In 13 metro areas, parts of the TV channel 14-20 spectrum are assigned
to Public Safety and general mobile radio use. In particular, TV Ch 20 is
used in Los Angeles and Philadelphia, with bases on 506-509 MHz and mobiles
offset 3 MHz at 509-512 MHz. Channel spacing is 6.25 kHz.
The General pool in both cities is 509.300 - 512.000, with additional
specific service assignments within the range. L.A. also has Public Safety
assignments between 509.300 - 510.275.
/* barry /&

1066. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cindy Goldstein <cgoldst@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3502D00D.1F13@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 167906
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace

The Cb Guy wrote:
>
> On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 18:06:57 -0500, Charles Adkins
> <chuck@chucks2way.com> wrote:
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> >
> >The Cb Guy wrote:
> >
> >> On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 21:27:16 -0500, Charles Adkins
> >> <chuck@chucks2way.com> wrote:
> >>
> >> >Check out these HOT SPECIALS! If you wanna order call US at 1-313-389-7189,
> >> >Don't delay! as these prices won't last forever!
> >> >
> >> >Take Care,
> >>
> >> Business so bad ya gotta start spamming now Chuckie?...geez
> >>
> >
> >
> >
> >Define the WORD spam for me.
> >
> >
> >Spam is the advertising of anything that is NOT related to the subject of the
> >Newsgroup, I posted my ad in the all the newsgroups related to what I carry,
> >which is NOT SPAM but advertising in related newsgroups. so, go read your
> >newsgroup articles and come talk to me what I'm doing is no defferent when what
> >Gene is doing or lou franklin is doing or anyone else, it's just that fact that
> >you have a hard on for me. and I basically am getting sick of it, and I am going
> >to be forwarding a copy your message to your ISP along with this reply to your
> >isp... and see who's doing what to whom.
> >
> >have a nice day, asshole
> >
> >
> >
> >> The Cb Guy
> >>
> >> http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm
>
> You posted your commercial ad in this ng. To me that is Spam.

> I'm sure the folks at my ISP will get a chuckle out of your letter,
> since all I did was post a non-profane reply to your spam, and you
> couldn't write a letter without a cuss word in it if your life
> depended on it.
> I'm calling your bluff.
> You Sir are a buffoon.
>
> The Cb Guy
>
> http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm
Spamming is sending a message to everyone or every newsgroup, whether or
not it's relevant to the receiver. It comes from the Monty Python sketch
that has the characters saying "SPAM" a lot. This would be different
from using a newsgroup for advertising.
- Max, KE4IIZ

1067. Re: Scanner Software Shareware

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <96EFBA5A4C0C786C.DFB64B3044DF67B4.8B6A42EE1C6C4056@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 167907

On Sat, 7 Mar 1998 22:28:38 -0600, "Michael Arthur"
<Shannona@airmail.net> wrote:

>I am looking for A good shareware software for scanners

Which scanners?
If you have a BC895, check out
http://www.webcom.com/autownet/freetrack.html

Others for general scanner use:

www.scancat.com
http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006/probe.html
http://www.interplaza.com/bensware/rm.htm
http://www.futurescanning.com/
http://www.lpcom.com/

1068. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@jedavisent.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4aa9$91069ca0$43ea03c7@main>
Source record: 167908

k-nee jerk re-actions onely(only) cause wasted space in space.

Doug Younker <dougy@ruraltel.net> wrote in article
<34FF0BFE.3E32@ruraltel.net>...
Hello,

It's kinda scary that some would think being prohibited from
eavesdropping on private conversations, "is a dark day for freedom".
Restrictions on listening to others telephone conversations is as old as
party-line telephones. Tes the original Tauzin bull was broad in it's
restrictions. It is my understanding the ARRL along with other
interests was able to get the billrewritten in a more favorable form.

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73, Doug Younker, N0LKK
near Plainville, KS
dougy@ruraltel.net
++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++
Ira Chineson wrote:
>
> WASHINGTON (AP) &#65533; The House decisively passed a measure
> Thursday to make it illegal for people to use scanners to
> intentionally eavesdrop on cellular phone calls.
>
> By a 414-1 vote, the House approved a bill that would prohibit
> people from modifying scanners to "intentionally intercept or
> divulge the content of radio communications." The bill, which
> would clarify and expand current prohibitions, would also eliminate
> the current $2,000 cap on penalties for violations.
>
> The bill arose after a Florida couple used a scanner to listen and
> tape-record a 1996 cellular telephone conversation that Rep. John
> Boehner, R-Ohio, was having with House Speaker Newt Gingrich,
> R-Ga., and House Majority Leader Dick Armey, R-Texas.
>
> "Little did I know that my words and my expressions were being
> recorded and end up as part of public relations campaign to try to
> destroy the speaker," Boehner, No. 4 in the GOP leadership, said
> during House debate.
>
> The tape made its way from Florida to the House ethics committee
> and was published by The New York Times.
>
> "I speak from personal experience about the outrage and sense of

> powerlessness one feels when they learn that their expectation of
> privacy has been destroyed," Boehner said.
>
> In addition to restrictions on individuals trying to eavesdrop, the
> bill
> would also extend current restrictions on scanner manufacturers to
> prohibit new machines that would intercept new conversations on
> the new generation of digital cellular telephones. And it would
> extend the Federal Communications Commission's ability to
> investigate and enforce violations.
>
> The bill's sponsor, Rep. Bill Tauzin, R-La., said it would expand
> the right to privacy in the digital age.
>
> "We in government ought to do everything we can to protect that
> expectation of privacy. That is what this bill is about," he said.
>
> The Senate has not yet passed a similar bill.

1069. Re: HELP:WOODPECKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@jedavisent.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4aaa$18866ac0$43ea03c7@main>
Source record: 167909

you are correct sir; they do exist. request info from FCC. They have recordings, dates, times, frequencies, s-levels, the whole ball of wire.

Karsten Krause <PSYPHY@t-online.de> wrote in article <6dnhds$5nj$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>...
> Hi,
> I m looking for audio recordings and any information (dates, freqs.,
> durations, bandwidths, logs...) of woodpecker signals for a scientific
> documentation.
> Most of that happened a long time ago but maybe someone still has
> recordings of those signals.
> Please msg me.
>
> Thanks
> Karsten
>

1070. ABUSE OF THE TERM "MINT"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308155601.KAA21808@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167910

SOME PEOPLE CALL ANY USED RADIO THAT IS NOT DENTED OR CRACKED "MINT"....CUT IT OUT. MINT IN MOST HOBBIES MEANS NEVER USED OR OPENED. A COMIC BOOK OR COIN 8 YRS. OLD THAT HAS BEEN USED CAN'T BE 'MINT'. A PRO-43 THAT WAS BOUGHT & LEFT IN THE PLASTIC & STYROFOAM BOX FROM DAY ONE MIGHT BE...BUT IF IT'S BEEN 'MODIFIED & USED FOR 5 YEARS IT AIN'T MINT WHEN YOU SELL IT.

1071. Re: HELP:WOODPECKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tweek@netcom-NO.SPAM-com
Message-ID: <EpIDC1.Axr@moraga.ness.com>
Source record: 167911

Oops, some typos made it into the following. Item 3) and the last
paragraph. The following is corrected.

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REPORT ON THE WOODPECKER SIGNAL

The Federal Communications Commission's high frequency network collected
data concerning "Woodpecker" radio transmissions during a one week period
begining August 14, 1988. All thirteen FCC Monitoring stations participated.
Over 400 observations of the "Woodpecker" signal were recorded.

The findings were:
1) The pulse rate remains at the 11 to 11.5 pulses per second.
2) The pulse width remains at 4 milliseconds.
3) The lowest confirmed frequency was 7 Mhz and the highest 19 Mhz.
4) The lowest confirmed bandwidth was 20 Khz and the highest 800 Khz.
5) The most occupied bands appeared to be 10.5 to 11.0, 12.2 to 13.0, and
16.0 to 17.0 Mhz.
6) The least occupied bands appeared to be 9.7 to 10.5, 11.0 to 12.2, and
13.0 to 15.0 Mhz.
7) The bandwidth mean was 150 Khz, and with a standard deviation of 207 Khz.
8) The air time of a signal was as a minimum, 7.7 minutes for the mean, 3.0
minutes for the medium, and with a standard deviation of 12.3 minutes.
9) All of the transmissions originated from a single source that was fixed
at 51 degrees 24 minutes North by 137 degrees 42 minutes East near the
city of Komsomolsk in the USSR.

These observations are essentially in agreement with the findings of
monitoring conducted February 23 through March 1, 1986. This appears to
be the permanent pattern of the operation of the "Woodpecker"...

Questions or comments to James Beckham
FCC Field Opperations Bureau
202-632-6977
or Via N6AN

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Had your share of stoopid(tm) people?	
View the "Contra Costa Whines" at	[This space for lease]
http://www.io.com/~tweek/cocowhine/	

1072. Re: EEPROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: prisioner <excon@thwalls.tdc>
Message-ID: <01bd4aab$a21b40c0$43ea03c7@main>
Source record: 167912

these are special devices that cost alot. send cash to my group at:
Inmates For Free Inter-prize
Walls Unit
Huntsville, Tx

Small bills perfered 20s or less. Drugs are ok, rolling papers, so so
handguns are nice, Each device cost $10,000.00 tax included.
Tracey <tracey12@swbell.net> wrote in article <34FF97A0.56E@swbell.net>...
> Help!
>
> I have no idea what this is, but my brother needs something called an
> EEPROM. He said the part is called "24LC16", "24LC32" and "24LC64".
> If you know where these can be found, please send me a reply and I will
> pass it along to him. One other thing..he needs two of each part
> number.
>
> Thank you for your help!
>
> Tracey
>

1073. Re: Digital Radio's any way to listen in?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@phoenix.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4aad$3420bbc0$43ea03c7@main>
Source record: 167913

I know how it's easy, but I am not gona tell cause people could listen in on my conversations. This would defeat the purpose for which I purchased the phone. Here's a hint tho, OKI, cpu, firmware, a couple of more chips. Or hack the phone you purchase.(Digital, spread spectrum of course.) canning the RX RF section and using a broader one.

ICE T <buck100@hotmail.com> wrote in article
<34ffb9b8.2938375@news.earthlink.net>...
> Once everyone moves to digital...is there any way to listen in?
>
> Intercept it? Decode it?
>
> I am sure someone can hack it.
>
>

1074. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3502C3AC.6910EC1F@primenet.com>
Source record: 167914

G Hansen wrote:

< snip >

> Not only that, look at how long he has whined from that one hit!
>
> Either Cheek is a heavyweight or Mackey is a lightweight. Take your
> choice!

Mackey doesn't even rate high enough to be considered a wanna-be
amateur.

1075. Re: Anyone know state laws re: using scanner in car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill carty <102150.03700@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <35025D53.DEE@compuserve.com>
Source record: 167915

CBRambo wrote:
>
> In article <5vQLI2J.howesc@delphi.com>, Chester Howes <howesc@delphi.com>
> writes:
>
> >Can anyone advise the legality of using a scanner in a vehicle. Main
> >interest is Ohio

Much deleted.

In ohio there is currently no law, city or county ordinance that prohibits the use of a scanning radio in an automobile, or in one's homes. It is currently legal to be ableto listen to police, fire, ambulance etc in your car. But please be responsible. If a bunch of us start using our scanners to go to the scenes of emergencies one of three things could happen, 1. if you get there at the right time you could be hurt. 2. If you become a problem you could have action taken against you, and 3 if enough of us do this irresponsible thing we could loose our priveledge to have a scanner in our cars. So please act responsibly.

Regards,
Bill Carty
> "Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

1076. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3502C748.2C9DADE5@primenet.com>
Source record: 167916

Charlie Dwenger wrote:
>
> John,
> Have someone read this to you. It is your own words. YOU wrote them.
> Now, Have someone do the Mackey to English translation.
> Notice anything odd??? Reread your last line moron. Now, what does it
> say???

Toilet Boy barely understands his own babbling, let alone the English language. Most of the lower primates suffer this limitation.

> You`re way to pathetic to let go on this one! Not only are you
> worthless, you are a liar. YES, I said LIAR. I hope you take me to court
> on this,

You have no fear of being sued by Toilet Boy. Even his own sister, the "lawyer" has assured him that nothing he says is prosecutable. With such a reputable source as that, you can sleep easy knowing, that by reciprocity, you can't be sued either.

> because I will own everything you own. (not that I would want
> your fleas and broke`n down dodge), but just to shut you the hell up!!!

Everything Mackey owns amounts to the complete collection of Richard Simmonds workout tapes and a defective sexual appliance. When you get custody of that Dodge Dart (the one Toilet Boy inherited from his mother),
be sure you get the stains in the back seat cleaned. She was very busy when she worked for Rent-A-Wench.

> You are good for a laugh every now and again, but that`s it. (well,
> there is that bad example thing you got going too)

Yes, Toilet Boy used to provide a laugh a minute. Now, sadly the laughs are few and far between. Excessive prozac consumption has addled what little mind he once had.

> I`ll give you 1 week to post SOMETHING on scanners.

Toilet Boy actually knows what a scanner is?

> After that, POOF. I can Get a good laugh from watching another
> monkey f_cking a football.

Mackey often wears his football costume.

> What do you say, Mac? Up to it?

"Up to it?" Nah, he's down on all fours again, his favorite position.

> Hoping you an early keyboard failure,
> Charlie

One can hope.

1077. Re: ABUSE OF THE TERM "MINT"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@phoenix.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4ab1$42492a80$43ea03c7@main>
Source record: 167917

the use of upper case douth get the point across keep it up

Fishbags <fishbags@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980308155601.KAA21808@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
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"MINT"....CUT IT
> OUT. MINT IN MOST HOBBIES MEANS NEVER USED OR OPENED. A COMIC
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> COIN 8 YRS. OLD THAT HAS BEEN USED CAN'T BE 'MINT'. A PRO-43 THAT WAS
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> LEFT IN THE PLASTIC & STYROFOAM BOX FROM DAY ONE MIGHT BE...BUT IF IT'S
BEEN
> 'MODIFIED & USED FOR 5 YEARS IT AIN'T MINT WHEN YOU SELL IT.
>

1078. New Jersey Scanner Lws

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: genmgr1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308165400.LAA00909@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167918

Does anyone know the laws in New Jersey regarding using a scanner in an automobile? Please advise if you have any information. Many thanks i advance for help.

1079. Re: Anyone know state laws re: using scanner in car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6duio9$1t3$0@207.18.224.27>
Source record: 167919

On 8 Mar 1998 02:43:39 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:

>>and Kentucky
>
>DEFINITELY not legal, even with a ham license. Kentucky is known for having
>some of the most restrictive scanner laws in the country. A few years ago,
>there was a big news story about local cops in KY harassing a teenager who
>carried his HTX-202 (2m ham transceiver) on his bicycle and confiscating his
>radio.
???????

Where was this? When?

I suspect you just have a very convulated story of the HAM in
Hopkinsville KY a few years ago, who had his HTX-202 confiscated.

He was a teenager, but not on his bicycle. And, after talking
personally to some of the people involved, there was much
more to the story than made the internet.

1080. Re: New Jersey Scanner Lws

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308165901.LAA01736@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167920

you can have a scanner in your car in n.j. unless you are in the "commission" of a felony at the time. in other words, it's ok except on the days you plan to rob gas stations &liquer stores, then leave it home.

1081. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jake Schmidt <shmjr@netins.net>
Message-ID: <889377850.59536@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 167921
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace

Cindy Goldstein wrote in message <3502D00D.1F13@bellsouth.net>...

<snip>

>Spamming is sending a message to everyone or every newsgroup, whether or
>not it's relevant to the receiver. It comes from the Monty Python sketch
>that has the characters saying "SPAM" a lot. This would be different
>from using a newsgroup for advertising.

Considering they use the word "spam" to describe the practice, I don't think
there is a definitive meaning of it...

Jake

>- Max, KE4IIZ

1082. Re: Radio Shack Pro 43? X-tra Frequencies Besides Cell?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <3502bfc9.498174@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sat, 7 Mar 1998 22:43:36 -0800, "Brent Andre" <brent5@flash.net>
wrote:

>Is there any difference in a Pro 43 modified for cell phone and one that was
>made before the bann. Does one have the ability to get more frequencies than
>the other?
>
>Brent
>

There are two versions of the Pro-43 model. The Model 20-300 model is
able to be modified for cellular and expanded frequency ranges and the
20-300A model is not able to be expanded.

The cellular modified Pro-43 can have more frequencies opened
up than just cell freqs. When you do the modification that opens up
the cellular frequencies, you can take the diode that you removed and
place it in another position which will open up the 54-88MHz range.
Some ppl would argue that there is nothing in that range to listen to,
but there is a utility band at 72-76MHz. Our highway patrol actually
uses some frequencies in these ranges. Usually you are not able to
receive these frequencies on a typical scanner. You can also get hits
on TV channels 2-6 in this range, but due to the fact that the scanner
does not have the WFM circuitry, it would be garbled and what I
considered not worth trying to make sense of it.
Now there is another mod that is worthwhile and does not take
away anything from the scanner. It has become what most ppl have named
the "Pro-43 Shortwave" modification. You just need to add another
diode (1N4148) in the proper place and it would allow you to receive
splinter frequencies. You can force the scanner into 12.5kHz steps in
the cellular ranges where the normal freq. allocated steps is 30kHz.
Why is this good? Normally it isn't good, but it gives us a
non-standard splinter frequency. We can store this frequency, return
to the normal frequency steps. Now we are able to evade the CPU
programming of the allowable band edges allowing the scanner to search
beyond the normal frequency ranges.
Since the scanner doesn't really have a Band Pass Filter for
the lower ranges, it is best that you make a modification which allows
better reception with these lower frequencies. You can usually get
fairly clear reception down to 6MHz with a decent antenna. I don't use
the lower freqs as much, but sometimes it is nice to be able to pick
up the CB'ers which are just below the scanner's 30MHz cutoff.

Wiggie

1083. OREGON STATE POLICE - air-ground frequency found !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: garretw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308173800.MAA12237@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167923

While traveling down I-5 around Roseburg (south of Eugene), I found the OSP citing speeders using a fixed-wing plane and 3 ground units. the plane would fly northbound for a mile and identify the speeding car to the units. They were using 155.475, the NLMARS frequency. That day, they were around Milepost # 148, around the Truck Stop and the Rest Area. My question to the locals is: are there other air-to-ground frequencies that OSP utilizes ??

1084. For Sale ESN reprogrammer... Cheap Must see!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: twax21@juno.com
Message-ID: <6duje0$2tc$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167924
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.cellular.gsm,alt.cellular

I have the following forsale...

Parallel port ESN reprogrammer for PC/MAC
fits most phones NEC,Nokia,
Audiovox... ect

Software included

Originally Paid $1,200

Will sacrifice $225.00 no offer refused...

Email Twax21@Juno.com if interested

Not to be used for illegal purposes...

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1085. Re: ABUSE OF THE TERM "MINT"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <3503c960.2953323@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167925
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 8 Mar 1998 15:56:07 GMT, fishbags@aol.com (Fishbags) wrote:

> SOME PEOPLE CALL ANY USED RADIO THAT IS NOT DENTED OR CRACKED "MINT"....CUT IT
>OUT. MINT IN MOST HOBBIES MEANS NEVER USED OR OPENED. A COMIC BOOK OR
>COIN 8 YRS. OLD THAT HAS BEEN USED CAN'T BE 'MINT'. A PRO-43 THAT WAS BOUGHT &
>LEFT IN THE PLASTIC & STYROFOAM BOX FROM DAY ONE MIGHT BE...BUT IF IT'S BEEN
>'MODIFIED & USED FOR 5 YEARS IT AIN'T MINT WHEN YOU SELL IT.

Yes, I agree that the term "MINT" is overused to some degree,
but I don't believe that MINT it isn't quite what you have described
it. If the unit that was bought and left in the plastic & styrofoam
box from day one would be considered to be "NIB" or "NEW-IN-BOX". You
just need to pay attention and ask questions. There are quite a few
scanners out there that have been 'babied' by the users and deserve a
few extra dollars for the care that they have been given over the
years. I bought a BC200xlt a few months back for $105 and had no
scratches, mods, etc. and what I would consider MINT shape. It comes
down to personal opinion and due to the fact that we can't keep posts
"on topic", I don't believe that we can properly set a "seller's
discription standard" which would be fair and uniform.

Wiggie

1086. Re: A Dark Day for Freedom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tweek@netcom-NO.SPAM-com
Message-ID: <EpIJ7G.B9z@moraga.ness.com>
Source record: 167926

joe <jedent@jedavisent.com> wrote:
>
> It's kinda scary that some would think being prohibited from
>eavesdropping on private conversations, "is a dark day for freedom".
>Restrictions on listening to others telephone conversations is as old as
>party-line telephones.

It's scarrier thinking that the next step would be that people are
prohibited from repeating anything told TO them, or NEAR them in a
public place.

Imagine that it would be illegal for someone to report on Reagan's
foopah "Bombing begins in ten minutes" microphone test, because while
the coment was made in open public, and on open circuits, it wasn't
"meant" to be presented to the public.

I have no problem with the privacy aspects of the law, IF, repeat IF,
efforts are taken to actually make the communication private. You can't
expect to take a crap on the side of the road and then complain that people
invaded your privacy because you didn't even try to to conceal yourself
behind your car or a bush.

There is NO reasonable expectation of privacy when you broadcast your
communications in the clear... however this world is full of unreasonable
idiots these days.

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Had your share of stoopid(tm) people?	
View the "Contra Costa Whines" at	[This space for lease]
http://www.io.com/~tweek/cocowhine/	

1087. Re: FRG 9600 (lungo)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick <Nick@no.spam.for.me.ta>
Message-ID: <6dun2d$2q2$1@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 167927
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Jas wrote in message <34f43b6b.3099307@193.76.127.2>...

> I've received feedback that although the above mod allowed the radio to
>tune the entire range, the dial seems restricted. This restriction can be
>overcome by using the interface for tuning. Alternatively, you might try to
>reset the machine by turning off the battery for a couple of minutes to see
if
>upon restarting, the MPU recognizes the new bands. This can be done by
>switching off the internal battery using the switch at the top right hand
side
>of the front panel, under the top cover. There is a tiny slide switch
there.

The signal OPT SEL (J03 pin 1) needs to be pulled low to enable the
out-of-range freqs. Try looking at
http://www.geocites.com/CapeCanaveral/8516/expand.htm where I found the mod.

1088. Re: ABUSE OF THE TERM "MINT"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3502dc04.2321566@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 08 Mar 1998 16:55:43 GMT, wiggie@midusa.net (Wiggie) wrote:

>On 8 Mar 1998 15:56:07 GMT, fishbags@aol.com (Fishbags) wrote:
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>few extra dollars for the care that they have been given over the
>years. I bought a BC200xlt a few months back for $105 and had no
>scratches, mods, etc. and what I would consider MINT shape. It comes
>down to personal opinion and due to the fact that we can't keep posts
>"on topic", I don't believe that we can properly set a "seller's
>discription standard" which would be fair and uniform.
>
>Wiggie

If I remember from my coin-collecting days...the term MINT was meant
for a coin sealed at the mint, never again touched with human fingers.
A coin in circulation but in "New" condition was termed "Very
Fine".....etc.
Mint should mean "as knew" no modifications, "tweaking" or other
changes to the equipment. I know for a fact when I see a rig
advertised as "Mint..with cell mod done" that it immediately turns me
away..cuz I've some of the so-called technicians in action...

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

1089. PRO-24 Problem ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: halifax_@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <3502d7fb.1006322@news.auracom.com>
Source record: 167929

Hi,I have a PRO-24 made by Uniden and it no longer allows any keypad entry.No keys work at all!
It's more than dirty contacts(they are clean).
Any guesses as to the problem?
I'm thinking the main cpu chip has been fryed?
When I plug in a 12 volt source(proper polarity yes)
with no batteries the LCD reads "L",I turn the scanner off and back on and it scans the channels and will break squelch(when I turn it down).
Initially the channels had their freq.'s in them and you would hear activity,but now,nothing.....I believe the memoies have been lost.

thanks

1090. Re: ABUSE OF THE TERM "MINT"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirtmeat@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308180201.NAA16153@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167930

I agree. without splitting hairs "mint" is pretty self-explanitory. too many people call their radios 'mint' just because they have kept the orignal box. I've had people try to sell me a "mint" radio & then they pull out a unit 'dulled' with age & dust or a radio thats been obviously just cleaned with windex. The funny part is that these people actually believe that their "baby" that they are parting with is MINT!!

1091. HELP! Spectra Scan Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rnav1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308180300.NAA16340@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167931

I have a Spectra 800 MHz with the remote cable kit, works OK except when I select scan...after 10 seconds, the radio reboots. Works 10 more seconds, then reboots....very annoying. Anyone know what the problem and fix might be?

Thanks for any help you might be able to offer....

1092. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3503dcc9.2518921@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167932

On Sun, 08 Mar 1998 09:55:26 -0800, tvine@teleport.com (PjB) wrote:

>x-no-archive: yes <350853a8.43728301
>In article <350853a8.43728301@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
>
>
>> No. But you have.....assuming you ever had one.
>> I'll invite you ONCE AGAIN to examine and explain
>> the header in a recent post of yours. See the
>> "Bud Powell" on the FROM: line? Only you put it
>> there, Oh Mindless One. Go ahead and look at it.
>> Then explain it, you miserable wretch.
>
>Explain WHAT? Has your paranoia finally taken you over utterly?
>Has your mind corroded like an old battery? What the fuck are you talking
>about, Tandy-Tinkerer? Hmmmm....?

We should all have know that Tyler would pull a MACKEY on this
one.....
THe name BUD POWELL appeared in Paranthesis after your e-mail address
on one of your posts. This was a post of yours, and the name could
only have gotten there if you put it there.
Pretend it didn't happen if you'd like....but many of us saw it, and
have just been giving you enough rope to hang yourself.
I see you're twisting in the wind already.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

1093. request for help: Scout+R10 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markus Buttinger <m.buttinger@salzburg.co.at>
Message-ID: <3502DFAA.47795A6D@salzburg.co.at>
Source record: 167933

"hi" from Europe,

for almost a year my Scout "reaction-tuned" my
Icom R10 flawlessly. All of a sudden the Scout
still finds freqs but quit tuning the receiver to the
detected freq.

Can anybody tell me how to determine wether
it's the Scout's fault (doesn't send CI-V data to
the scanner anymore) or if my R10 suddenly
went 'deaf'. (oh, and: yes, I did check the wire
that connects them ;-)

thank you, already in advance!

/\/\arkus Buttinger
Salzburg, Austria

P.S.: There's still warranty on my R10,
so I hate the idea of taking it apart...

1094. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3502E43A.607A8432@usa.net>
Source record: 167934
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> olp@texas.net (Ollie Pruitt) wrote:
>
> > I know I'll burn in hell for this but...
>
> Wait a minute......let's get back to the subject line....
> Don't you mean, "Okay, I'll bend over..."?

Wishful thinking Bill? :-)

> > I regularly lurk in about 50 newsgroups, plus I jump in and out of
> > dozens more.
>
> So.....you don't contribute much?

Probably not but I don't see in the FAQ where it states one has to
contribute to state an opinion. OTOH, he is now contributing his opinion
about the newsgroup activities to the newsgroup.

> > What I'm I getting at?
>
> I was wondering that myself......

You were not Bill. We all knew at this point what his point was going to
be. Even Toilet Boy knew by now. Well, maybe.

> > This group has the most ornery bunch on usenet!
>
> Yes, they are a sorry lot, but since you don't
> contribute and since no one's been ornery to
> you, what difference does it make?

Why do you object to somebody stating their opinion? Free speech and all
that what difference does it make that this lost soul felt the need to
tell it like he felt on a public forum?

> > I don't know if I love it or hate it.
>
> Sounds like a personal problem. This group, sorry
> lot that they are, can help you with scanner problems,
> but not with personal problems. To come on here with
> personal problems is like bending over..... and someone's
> going to come along and help theirself.....

You're drifting off into dreamland again Bill.

> > I can't wait to get home to see what happened on
> > "as-the-rec.radio.scanner/alt.radio.scanner-turns".
>
> Well, it is interesting....especially in the psychology
> of the whole thing. You ever notice how the noisiest

That would be Toilet Boy in first and you in a fly speck distant second.

> and orneriest ones

Damn Bill! I looked up ornery in the dictionary....never mind. Sorry dude, you are the orneriest of them all! Period.

> are those who have nothing to
> contribute and basically no interest in scanners, and

Flip side here Bill. You have contributed above and beyond. You rank at the top here Bill. From my years on Fido to those on the Net I have watched you help thousands of people with scanner problems and mods. By shear number you have a distant lead over most all that I know of in this hobby.

> otherwise, a host of personal problems?

We all have those, some just seem to bring them on here with them.

> > Thanks for a most interesting, if not somewhat annoying group.
>
> Interesting, yes. Annoying? How? Don't you know how
> to control your own computer much? If not, maybe you
> need to haul off and kick the snot out of it and make
> it behave a little better.

Hmmm. Why did you respond Bill? Monitor? Teacher? CyberCop? Annoyed? Out of control? Trolled and Hooked? Hypnotized by Toilet Boy? Possessed by Boy Prozac?

> You shouldn't let an inanimate object possess you like
> that. It's another personal problem that will get you
> into a whole world of very deep doo-doo.

So you too seem to have a "problem" with Ollie expressing his opinion? I mean you really got me confused here. OK, maybe easy to do but who forced you to read his post? It seems as if Ollie's opinion has become your personal problem.

> Words to the wise, my friend.

In the end, the spirit of Rodney King seeps through! ;-)

1095. Re: NCHP 800?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4znr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308184801.NAA19356@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167935

>
>Does anyone have any info on what the North Carolina HP is using
>800 mhz for? They are still dispatching on low band and using
>their high band for talk around etc. But I keep hearing them
>refer to "800 system now 10-8". Are they using the local 800 system,
>Charlotte-Mecklenburg, or do they have their own? Is it for sensitive
>communication they don't want on the regular channels? I don't know. If
>anyone has any accurate information, please e-mail me, jcleve@ibm.net.
>
>Thanks
>
>Jon C

Jon,
Here in the Raleigh/Durham area NCHP is still on
VHF-Low....BUT they do have a Talkgroup on the
Cary/Morrisville 800Mhz Trunk System....they Share this talkgroup (Uniden Dec
ID#4720) with pretty much all the
surrounding agencies (Cary PD, Raleigh PD, Durham PD,
Fire, Rescue, Duke LifeFlight, etc) as a way to communicate
with each other....They call this talkgroup "Tri-Comm" and
it stays QUITE busy as you can imagine!!! It sounds like you
live in the Charlotte area...gimme couple days to
look over my info for that area and I will email you
back if I find anything on Charlotte's 800Mhz system...
Hope This Helps and Happy Scanning and TrunkTracking!
Marshall Sherard, KE4ZNR, CFP[714]
Proud Co-ChairMan: North Carolina Tarheel Scanner/Shortwave Group
http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/RADIO.HTM
Proud Member and National Dispatcher: Carolinas Fire Page (c), CFP[714]
http://www.netcom.com/~cfp700

1096. OREGON STATE POLICE - air-ground freq found

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: garretw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308185401.NAA20404@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167936

While traveling down I-5 around Roseburg (south of Eugene), I found the OSP citing speeders using a fixed-wing plane and 3 ground units. They were using 155.475, the NLMARS frequency. The scanner was picking them up about 15-20 minutes ahead of the area. They were at milepost # 148, between the truck stop and the rest area. My question to the locals: what other air-to ground freqs does the OSP utilize ??

1097. PRO-64 programing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd4ykv2@fuse.net
Message-ID: <3505ea2c.12917536@nntp.fuse.net>
Source record: 167937

I went down to RS and picked up one of these slick little radios on close-out. If you use MS Works as a frequency data base, here's how to make frequency lists for use with Ken Plotkin's LOAD program. Go to http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/ to get the LOAD64.ZIP program.

Start Works and open a New database. In column 1 - Row 1 type a 1.
Next, highlight column 1 from row 1 down to row 400.
Next, click Edit/Fill series/Number/OK (make sure Step by: reads 1)
This will give you a sequential column of numbers from 1-400 to use for your channels. Give the column a name (CH). Go to column 2 and name it (FREQ). This is where you will Paste your frequencies to from your database. Now, Save As the document (LOAD.WDB), and your ready to use it.
NOTE When you Exit or Close the file you'll be prompted to Save changes. Click No and this will keep your document clear so you don't have to delete all the frequencies when you want to make a new .txt document.

Paste, or enter your frequencies in the FREQ column. Open a text editor program. I use Textpad. If you just want to load the frequencies and let the LOAD program assign the channel numbers, just Copy and Paste the numbers in the FREQ column to the text editor. The LOAD program will take these frequencies and load them into channels 1 to whatever. If you want to assign your own channels, then Copy and Paste both the CH and FREQ columns to the text editor.
NOTE - If after copying the CH and FREQ columns to the text editor, you have rows with channel numbers but no frequencies next to them, you must delete the channel number('s) or the LOAD program will not program properly.

The file should look like this:

1 154.190
2 154.220
3 155.760
4 453.325
etc.

*NOT * like this:

1 154.190
2
3 155.760
4
5 453.500

Save your text file('s) to the same directory as the LOAD program is located, and your ready to fly.

Randy
Northern Kentucky, Greater Cincinnati Scanner Page
http://home.fuse.net/rwtrue00

1098. Re: Anyone know state laws re: using scanner in car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308190000.OAA21377@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167938

In article <6duio9$1t3$0@207.18.224.27>, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) writes:

>I suspect you just have a very convulated story of the HAM in
>Hopkinsville KY a few years ago, who had his HTX-202 confiscated.

Yes, that's the one.

>He was a teenager, but not on his bicycle. And, after talking
>personally to some of the people involved, there was much
>more to the story than made the internet.

Yes, I have heard all versions. Whatever he did or did not do, however, there was no legal grounds for the local police to confiscate his amateur radio. None whatsoever. This was NOT a scanner...in fact, as everyone knows, the HTX-202 cannot even be modified for out-of-band reception! He had a license and a federally-granted right to carry that radio. Should have sued the department for violating his civil rights, IMO.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

1099. *FS: Transportable Cellular Phone w/ 2 antennas*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308193200.OAA01203@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167939

Hey there...

I have a Technophone 900 (clone of a Nokia) Transportible Cellular Phone for sale (or trade). Condition is about 5/10, but it works 100%!! Will work on the Analog (standart 800 MHz) system (both A and B carriers). Includes the Transceiver Unit, the Handset (with the cord), the 12 VDC plug (for connecting a ciggarrete ligher cord), original manual (in both Engligh and Spanish), two antennas, one is the "Rubber Duck" type which connects directly to the TNC connecter on the transciever unit, and a "Trunk Mount" mobile antenna, also with the cord and TNC connecter. Plus I also have some "Programming Info" for it. One more thing, the handset of the unit is damaged abit (there's a scratch going through the LCD) but the LCD functions perfictly. (Basicly only the handset is in rough shape, all else is in great shape.) Asking $30 + shipping. I am in the Philadelphia, PA area.

73s
N3ZVM

1100. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3502FF32.333F@usa.net>
Source record: 167940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Yes, & isn't it SAD that BILL CHEEK is always the one to
bring up all the wierd stuff like sexual issues, accuse others
of personal problems, etc.

Perhaps if BILL CHEEK would change his ways, all the 'noise'
would go away!

Food for thought!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Well, it is interesting....especially in the psychology
> of the whole thing. You ever notice how the noisiest
> and orneriest ones are those who have nothing to
> contribute and basically no interest in scanners, and
> otherwise, a host of personal problems?

1101. Re: SEEKING A QUALITY THROAT MICROPHONE MANUFACTURER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Moninger <moninger@emiris.iaf.uiowa.edu>
Message-ID: <35042BEB.41C6@emiris.iaf.uiowa.edu>
Source record: 167593
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.r_c_m_p,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Try;

http://www.eskimo.com/~antenna/22-430.html

http://www.connecti.com/~genesys/t-05.htm

http://www.emergencysec.com/headsets.html

http://www.sed01.com/

Tom
-
Thomas Moninger moninger@emiris.iaf.uiowa.edu
University of Iowa Central Microscopy Research Facility
http://www.uiowa.edu/~cemrf
Views expressed are mine.

1102. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35043BAF.779@usa.net>
Source record: 167594
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Your comment below uncovers the problem!

Robert wrote:
> If your information is accurate and not made up,

1103. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35043B47.32E0@usa.net>
Source record: 167595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You OBVIOUSLY have NOT been paying attention!

Just a few days ago I made a post about Pro-2009 scanners, George
Vetterle
even replied to me. A few days before that I made a post about
importing
the Yupiter 9000 & someone replied.

YOU need to use some common sense & get with the program before YOU
make a ass of yourself again. You've done well keeping Cheek in line
but you flunked here!

Hank Hampton wrote:
> How many challenges have been put to you to find posts of relevance YOU'VE made?
> You've successfully completed ZERO.

1104. FS: Motorola P110 2CH/5W VHF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your Name <mkparamedic@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e1bb7$nc@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167596

Mot Radius Model # P43QLC20A2AA
S#188TUQ2746

2CH/5W VHF with charger base, battery, no wall plug. Good Condition.

Do you purchase used radios? Will consider TRADES!!

1105. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35043CC0.570@usa.net>
Source record: 167597
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hardly!

You seem to understand little of the modern business world! In order to stay productive in the work force, you must maintain a work force that
is efficient, lean, & effective. When one scope of work is completed, you
must focus your energy & resources on the next scope of work. When the duties
of work change, you must change with them. If you can't do that, then you are of no value to your employer & won't have a job for long.

Oh, I forgot, you DON'T have a job!

Hank Hampton wrote:

> John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> >Only because the requirements of my work duties have changed,
>
> (In other words - he was fired)

1106. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35043E44.DF5@usa.net>
Source record: 167598
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Eric Oyen wrote:

> Richard, and others.
> I look at it this way: He will get his on judgement day.
> I just hope he is prepared.

Eric, yes I agree with you, Richard & the others will get theirs
on judgement day. (Actually, I was surprised to see you say that!)

> As for Mr. Mackey (ugh!), His own actions of late (over the last 2
> years) have spoken more valumes about him than any words he could

Anyway, YOUR actions have spoken large volumes of yourself also.
Even larger volumes have been spoken about YOU by other people.
Would you like me to post some of the comments people have made
about you?

> On top of it all, he makes bold claims that I "threaten people with
> court action" every time I turn around (gee, I wonder when the last time
> was that I did that?).

Would you like me to post some of the statements YOU have made? How
about if I post your old signature file where you used to threaten
people with legal action at the bottom of every message?

1107. Re: WARNING!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6e1dk4$2932$1@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 167599

hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote in message
<6dv8sv$sh4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <3502554D.7C37@swbell.net>,
> tracey12@swbell.net wrote:
>>
>> According to the lastest newswire, the new anti-scanner law not
only
>> bans listening into cellular conversations, but it also BANS THE
>> OWNERSHIP OF ANY DEVICE CAPABLE OF LISTENING TO CELLULAR RADIO
>> TELEPHONES!
>>
>> Many of you are now FELONS but you just have not been caught.
>> Your government loves you. It feels your pain.
>>
>> Mark
>>
>
>sets, a person could probably understand conversations. Virtually
any
>receiver convering 800MHz frequencies will have images and other
problems,
>allowing it to hear conversations un-modified. What language in the
law bans
>ownership of cellular-capable radios?

None, he's wrong. Even if it were illegal, a Bill of Attainder (a law
that retroactively criminalizes actions already performed) is
unconstitutional.

1108. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <350d3a0e.24531295@test2>
Source record: 167600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Hardly!
>
>You seem to understand little of the modern business world!

Oh. I'm sorry. You were laid off. Is that better, retard?

>
>Hank Hampton wrote:
>
>> John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>> >Only because the requirements of my work duties have changed,
>>
>> (In other words - he was fired)

1109. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <350c39de.24482471@test2>
Source record: 167601
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hey, retard, how is that relevant to challenges made months ago ?

You're a failure.

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>You OBVIOUSLY have NOT been paying attention!
>
>Just a few days ago I made a post about Pro-2009 scanners, George
>Vetterle
>even replied to me. A few days before that I made a post about
>importing
>the Yupiter 9000 & someone replied.
>
>YOU need to use some common sense & get with the program before YOU
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>but you flunked here!
>
>
>Hank Hampton wrote:
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>> You've successfully completed ZERO.

1110. Re: kenwood tk 801 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew Marshall <andrew@g8bur.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <UI1tBDApxEB1EwFH@g8bur.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 167602
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

In article <3502FF9B.7D06@cyberlink-inc.com>, Steve <csi@cyberlink-inc.com> writes
>
>The TK-801 uses 2 proms for programming.

Sounds like my TK802 (boot mount version).

> The only way to reprogram the
>radio is to use new proms and program them with Kenwood's programmer.
>You'll need to find a Kenwood Communicatons dealer that has a
>programmer from that era.

ISTR Lowe sold some 801s for amateur use a few years back - they might be able to help.

73,
Andrew G8BUR.
--
Andrew Marshall.
Unsolicited advertising matter unwelcome. Offenders may be blacklisted.

1111. Re: MDT hook up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Bailey <urban@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4b9b$d59b9800$186f9ecf@urban>
Source record: 167603
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello, My name is Rick- Would you happen to know how to hook up the
MFT-1213 data slicer interface to the discriminator of bc8500xlt scanner. I
know the audio baseband pin and can find a ground-Is this all I need to
hook up to the cable-What about rf-in pin and scan pin on the scanner-are
any of these used- I haven't got the cable yet- maybe they will explain
this, but as of now I am in the dark..Can you help..
Thanks Rick... Email: urban@cyberramp.net

pnw100 <pnw100@spiritone.com> wrote in article
<01bd47d1$de5b3c20$966d8bcd@default>...
> Hello all, anyone tried the MDT programs in PDX? Did it work? What freqs
> are they using? Thanks
>
>

1112. Startek Frequency Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: eddieb@perigee.net
Message-ID: <3505461b.284674800@cnews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167604

I am looking for opinions on Startek Frequency Counters. In particular the model ATH-30. I saw these counters at a recent Ham Show and was wondering what others may have heard or experienced.

Startek International Inc. is located in Ft. Lauderdale, Fl.

I appreciate your comments/advise.

Eddie B.
eddieb@perigee.net

1113. Forest Service Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: scsando@wazoo.com
Message-ID: <35045819.7E4C@wazoo.com>
Source record: 167605
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Does anybody happen to know any forest service frequencies used in the
Lincoln National Forest in southern New Mexico?

Thanks,
Shaun
scsando@wazoo.com

1114. Re: MDT-hook ups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Bailey <urban@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4b9e$9aa59220$186f9ecf@urban>
Source record: 167606

Hello, My name is Rick- Would you happen to know how to hook up the MFT-1213 data slicer interface to the discriminator of bc8500xlt scanner. I know the audio baseband pin and can find a ground-Is this all I need to hook up to the cable-What about rf-in pin and scan pin on the scanner-are any of these used- I haven't got the cable yet- maybe they will explain this, but as of now I am in the dark..Can you help..
Thanks Rick... Email: urban@cyberramp.net

1115. Re: scanner related software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "G.R. Triever" <grtriever@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350452F1.B8ABE2E@usa.net>
Source record: 167607

Keith A Monahan wrote:
>
> I'm looking for some software to decode some various subaudible tones
> from my transceivers output. I can do DTMF via my mini dtmf decoder
> from Opto that gets me DTSS decoding. I can do PL(CTCSS) with my DJ-580T.
> Now, I want to be able to decode DPL, and a couple other tone types out there.
>
--snip--

Keith,

Why not try a small shared repeater panel connected to your unit? I use
the TP-3200 from Communications Specialists (Dealer Price $279.00) with
my scanner and have been very happy with it. CTCSS, DCS, DTMF are all
included; it's completely programmable from any comm program or
over-the-air, and best of all, if you get tired of using it just for
monitoring, it's a damned good repeater panel!

1116. Re: State Police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "G.R. Triever" <grtriever@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3504543A.CAB7FC14@usa.net>
Source record: 167608

For which state(s)?

Revster wrote:
>
> What are some State Police Freqs?

1117. Pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6e1r3t$9lt$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167609

I'm preparing to do the "virutal downconversion" modification on my
Pro-26 and plan to install an on/off switch to allow normal operation
as well. What's the best place to locate the switch and what type of switch
should I use? I'm also concerned that some switches may generate harmful
static charges when used. Thank you for your information.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1118. Pro-26 CPU

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6e1r8e$9ot$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167610

On the schematic diagram of the Pro-26, many of the CPU's pins are grounded or are not connected to anything. What is the purpose of these pins? Could they be used to hide extra features in the CPU?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1119. WTB: Police Scanner $10?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Filice <cubit@mci2000.com>
Message-ID: <VrZM.25115$55.1516995@news.internetMCI.com>
Source record: 167611
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,ba.wanted,rec.radio.scanner

I'm looking for old Xtal controlled scanners. I've got a box of old crystals, and I figure most folks are throwing away those old scanners. I saw one ad for a guy in LA selling three scanners for $5 each. (They had sold a week before I emailed him.)

The crystals I have are cut for Regency scanners. I might take a chance on other models though.

I'm in San Jose, but for the right price I'll come pick yours up in the San Francisco Bay Area.

Also, I want one of those old Bearcat 101s. This was one of the first programable scanners. Got a broken one to unload?

How about an old Highband VHF variable receiver? vaccuum tubes? -no problem

I'm not rich, not a dealer, just have some time for putterring.

Dave

1120. AR8000 computer interface, which one do you have?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: buck100@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35046337.15174644@news.ucla.edu>
Source record: 167612

Which one do you have and what do you like about it?

Anyone got Javiation's?

Are they all the same?

What about that free program, will it accidentally fry your scanner?

-Tom

1121. Need info mods BC 590 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Boren <symntlab@texas.net>
Message-ID: <350466B3.8994EC92@texas.net>
Source record: 167613

Hi, I recently bought a Uniden BC 590XLT scanner. I can't seem to find any info or mods for this model. If anyone can help please e-mail me.

Thanks
Greg

1122. Re: FS. PRO2005 WITH MODS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: SKYHAWK <sky444@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e1p1t$esf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167614
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

S�ren Kristian Larsen wrote in message <350401BB.86B52291@danavox.dk>...
>One PRO 2005 with the following modifications.
>
>1. 16 block memory mod./ 6.400 channels
>2. A data/tone squelch installed. Makes shure the squelch doesn�t
>open on pagers,tones
> and other digital signals.
>
>3. S-meter circuit installed ready for external use (I use a
>Volt-meter)
>4. HamComm interface installed ready to decode pagers and others.
>5. Discriminatoroutput installed.
>6. Switch to turn on/off the beep.
>
>The scanner is in fine condition.
>
>Price: 450.- $ or highest bid.
>
>Reply to: andybenzon@hotmail.com
>

He He He He He He Ha Ha ha Ha H a Ha ha Ha Ha Ha Ha HeHe He He He Ha
Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha h a uhhhh uhh uhh uhhh ha ha aha ha heeee heeeeeee
Har Har He Ha Har Har.....!!!!!You have got to be kidding!!!!

1123. AR8000 antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: buck100@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35046950.16735631@news.ucla.edu>
Source record: 167615

Did anyone replace that thing?

It is so damn stiff..

which one did you replace it with?

-Tom

1124. HP 6266B Power Supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e1r04$ifj@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167616

Hi All
I have a for sale.
HP 6266B Power supplies 0-40V / 0-5A
$275.00 Plus shipping
Working good comdition
714-778-5151
Thanks

1125. CB Radio Modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duffield <duffield@reap.org.nz>
Message-ID: <01bd4bac$b0b741e0$8c2931ca@reap.reap.org.nz>
Source record: 167617

Could any one please help me as I would like some CB Modifications on the following Radio's Please:- Uniden Grant XL, Uniden Pro 640e, Uniden Washington, and GME Electrophone TX 830N.
This would be very helpful and very appreciated.

Craig
duffield@reap.org.nz

1126. Re: Varistor For A Uniden President Hr2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duffield <duffield@reap.org.nz>
Message-ID: <01bd4bae$324de3c0$8c2931ca@reap.reap.org.nz>
Source record: 167618

Could anyone please let me know if they have a Varistor for A Uniden President HR2510. This part number is BDFY0068001, this is small and round, black with a small white dot on it. I require two of them, as they have go the Finals of the radio, as I'm having trouble to try and locate these here in New Zealand. If you have one or two please let me know as soon as possible as I would like to have the radio back on airwaves again. Could you please let me know the price and leave me your details thank you.
Yours Sincerely
Craig
E-Mail Address:- duffield@reap.org.nz

1127. Re: What's left in Calgary?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Smyhte Sterling <sterling@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4bb0$01baf980$6a4522cf@juice>
Source record: 167619

Same here, I have a PRO-2023...what are these thins worth now???

Steve Mason <smason@editthisagt.net> wrote in article
<3502fd7e.33541365@news.agt.net>...
> I have 2 computer controlled Pro2006 scanners, a pro-43 and an AOR-1000
all
> garthering dust. What's left to monitor in Calgary?
> I miss knowing wht HAWCS is hovering nearby.....
>
> Steve
> Remove the doubled characters to reply.
>

1128. Re: Motorola radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mm505@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6e1uecbkm1@camel29.mindspring.com>
Source record: 167620

John Lidstrom <jlidstrom@accessone.com> wrote:

>Bryce
>these radios are basically bombproof, fireman proof, cop proof, bicycle
>delivery proof, etc..
>In other words, Motorola portables are fine radios. But they are not
>designed to be scanners.
>The JT1000 with the keypad reprogram is probably your best bet.. But
>that is a bet that will run
>well in excess of $600 upwards to 2K for a smartzone MTS2000. You can
>run through a whole
>bunch of light duty bearcats for that amount of money.
>ohn

Hmmm, my MTS2000 Flashport only cost me $450, a B5 model!

1129. Advice? Pro 2035 + Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffery R. Smith" <jeffsmith@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6e20m1lrd1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 167621
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Pro 2035 scanner, a computer, and an antenna on the roof. I am new to the hobby and have been reading this newsgroup long enough to learn there are evidently some better ways to use my resources. I have been looking at the scout and the board to go into the 2035. I have looked at Opto's webpage and think these may be a good investment.

I was wondering if any experienced scannists could give me the pros and cons about these devices. Also I am interested in monitoring the military aircraft band, would the scout be any good for this?

Any advice would be most appreciated.

Thanks,
Jeff

1130. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <350488DD.6F753225@primenet.com>
Source record: 167622

*-John "Richard Simmonds makes me squeal like the pig that I am"
Mackey-* KA0SSF sucked wind while trying to lie:

> My entrance to the online world & when the "Cheek War" started are NOT
> the same thing. BTW, you are stating that my presense on "FIDONET"
> was the same as the internet and THAT IS WRONG! Fidonet is a seperate
> online system & is stand-alone from the internet. If you knew anything,
> you would know that!

I stated you were using the address
John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org
on the Internet, not Fidonet. I know they are two separate systems just
asI
know what a liar your are.

> Since I came onto Fidonet, YES. The internet is a different
> story. Your arguement has MANY, MANY holes!

The only holes are in your miserable excuses you use to cover up your
lies.

> > The scanner groups quiet down when you lay low for a while after you
> > get your sorry derriere soundly trounced with the truth. You wait and
> > then come back like nothing has happened and start up again.
>
> Funny, people say this about YOU & CHEEK all the time!

You're hearing the voices in your head again. They are speaking to
you.

> Truth: MANY months after Cheek & I had a disagreement ending in my
> leaving his fidonet echo, I came here only to find a MASSIVE
> flame war with nearly everyone against Bill Cheek because of SEVERAL
> things he did to cause problems in this forum. (Would you
> like me to post some examples of people complaints of that time?)
> I simply became part of the group to keep Cheek in line & out of
> out hair on this NG.
>
> > Yeah,
>
> Thanks for your agreement on this one DICK!

My original statement is shown below. You got NO agreement from me on
this point. The only member of the "group" you claim were attempting to
"keep Cheek in line & out of out hair on this NG" were the multiple
personalities rattling inside your puny mind. As usual, you lie and
misquote. You're still hallucinating again, Toilet Boy.

> > Yeah, a group of one. The only person that has been completely out
> > of line is YOU. I've tried to tell you many times, Toilet Boy, watch
> > your doses of prozac. You're starting to believe the hallucinations
> > again.

> > Two years of stalking and harassment in not carrying a grudge?
>
> You are right there, 2 years later Cheek is still harassing me.
> Someone should do something about HIM.

Seems to me, *you* are the one harassing Cheek. You are so frustrated
with Cheek that if he says the sky is blue, you'll pronounce him wrong.
You are the one with a grudge that just can't let it go.

1131. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35048A14.75CE82FC@primenet.com>
Source record: 167623
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John "Make me squeal Richard Simmonds, I need it BAD!" Mackey-
KA0SSF droned:

> You OBVIOUSLY have NOT been paying attention!

I see you are blaming others for your personality disorders again.

> Just a few days ago I made a post about Pro-2009 scanners

And it exhausted you mentally for 12 hours just to even think about scanners.

> YOU need to use some common sense & get with the program before YOU
> make a ass of yourself again.

Common sense is something which you totally lack. Besides, you are the resident village idiot and ass here.

1132. Re: Descrambling Frequency Inversion For Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Dorsey <dorsey.remv@engr.sgi.com>
Message-ID: <350488AC.6201@engr.sgi.com>
Source record: 167624

CTPDS49 wrote:
>
> Cordless Telephones that employ speech inversion scrambling (typically 3300
> 3700 Hz), as well as some police communications (typically 3500 Hz)
> can be descrambled utilizing a balanced modulator/demodulator circuit.
> We have developed such a unit and are now offering it on our web site.
>
>
> CTP Descramblers

FYI, you can also do this in software (if it has already been done,
please mail or post a reference). The method is quite simple:

1) Sample the audio at 4x the inversion frequency
2) Invert every other sample (multiply by -1)
3) Play it back

That's all there is to it!

--
Bill Dorsey
(remove the ".remv" from my return address before replying)

1133. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35048D0C.519AD0F0@primenet.com>
Source record: 167625
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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*-John "Pump me Richard Simmonds. Pump me till I'm senseless"
Mackey-* KA0SSF moaned and cried because he was caught in a lie
again:
>
> Eric Oyen wrote:
>
> > I look at it this way: He will get his on judgement day.
> > I just hope he is prepared.
>
> Eric, yes I agree with you, Richard & the others will get theirs
> on judgement day. (Actually, I was surprised to see you say that!)

You're surprised allright, Toilet Boy. You're surprised when anyone sees
right through your lies.

> > As for Mr. Mackey (ugh!), His own actions of late (over the last 2
> > years) have spoken more valumes about him than any words he could
>
> Anyway, YOUR actions have spoken large volumes of yourself also.
> Even larger volumes have been spoken about YOU by other people.
> Would you like me to post some of the comments people have made
> about you?

Go ahead. For every one you post about Eric, there are three much
worse about you.
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1134. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35048C03.EA92EFDE@primenet.com>
Source record: 167626
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John "I love Richard Simmonds" Mackey- KA0SSF whined:

> Hank Hampton correctly observed:
>
> > John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > >Only because the requirements of my work duties have changed,
> >
> > (In other words - he was fired)

> You seem to understand little of the modern business world!

It looks as if he understands the modern world extremely well,
particularly as it applies to you, Toilet Boy.

> In order to stay productive in the work force, you must maintain a
> work force that is efficient, lean, & effective.

Translation: "Yep, I got fired for gross incompetence."

> When one scope of work is completed, you must focus your energy &
> resources on the next scope of work. When the duties of work change,
> you must change with them.

Translation: "Damn, these guys are sharp. They figured out I was a loser
in just a few minutes. This means I'll have to change fields again."

> If you can't do that, then you are of no value to your employer &
> won't have a job for long.

Translation: "I've never been of value to anybody. I'm lucky I can get
a job, let alone keep it for ten minutes."

> Oh, I forgot, you DON'T have a job!

Translation: "This unemployment sucks!"

1135. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35048E89.2632956E@primenet.com>
Source record: 167627

*-John "I am the best liar on the Internet today, and damn proud of it!"
Mackey-* KA0SSF drooled more hypocrisy:

> You advice would be sound for most but there are a few
> stubborn individuals who insist on causing trouble.

John Mackey aka Toilet Boy is the prime troublemaker in the scanner
groups.
He has zero technical ability and is jealous of anyone who does. He goes
to extreme lengths to prove he has the smallest mind here. If you need
technical advice, Mackey is not the person to ask.

> Primarily Bill Cheek & CB guy like to cause trouble here.
> CB guy is also well known on the other radio related
> newsgroups for causing trouble.

Toilet Boy has a problem with anyone who sees through his lies and isn't
afraid to speak up and say so.

> R wrote:
> > I am fairly new to this NG and scanning in general but I have got a
> > question for ya'all. Why is it that every time I come here to read up on
> > the latest in the scanner world I have to wade through tons of of BS about
> > this Bill Cheek character. Can't we just ignore him and his ramblings and
> > just discuss the topic we are all here to enjoy and learn more about. Just
> > my opinion. If you dont like it just ignore it

1136. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35048FF3.1E0C2823@primenet.com>
Source record: 167628

-John "I take my job as village idiot very seriously" Mackey- KA0SSF
lied some more:

> I never claimed to be good at spelling, just competent in my area
> of electronics!

Your area of electronic expertise is limited to blowing fuses.

> Besides, how many Doctors do you know that have good penmanship?

Several.

> George Vetterle wrote:
> > It is truly regrettable that the FCC sees fit to issue a *license* to
> > a buffoon that cannot correctly spell the word. A sorry state of
> > affairs, indeed!

You're so correct George. If it wasn't for a combination of the test
being
multiple choice and Toilet Boy liked the patterns he drew on the answer
form, he never would have passed the test. Based on the inaccurate
technical advice this moron has dispensed in the scanner groups, it's
plain to see he is actually incompetent in his area of electronics.

1137. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35049100.BCF7AE4E@primenet.com>
Source record: 167629
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John "I love my job as poster boy for birth control" Mackey- KA0SSF
sniveled:

> That is YOUR OPINION, which has been proven to not be worth
> much.

Formulating that thought must have cost you, what, about 12 brain cells?
Keep it up, Toilet Boy, at this rate, you'll be down to zero in about
4 milliseconds flat.

Your opinion is so worthless, you owe us.

1138. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <350492C2.699F4A68@primenet.com>
Source record: 167630

-John "Putz First Class (I got promoted)" Mackey- KA0SSF wheezed a
little brain flatulence:

> You're just JEALOUS because I have higher FCC licneses than YOU!

We both have the same class of commercial and amateur licenses. Except,
I have the radar endorsement.

> hehehehehehehe

That flatulence in your head is stuck again because the chorus of
voices inside your head are screaming to get out. Hit your head on
the wall a few times. The voices won't all talk at once. But, they
are telling you to jump off the bridge, Toilet Boy. It's good advice,
you should heed it.

1139. Re: Bill/John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35049394.28ADF51D@primenet.com>
Source record: 167631

-John "If I snivel enough will you like me?" Mackey- KA0SSF twittered:

> Besides, I would NEVER give some of the ROTTON advice that Cheek gives,
> like telling people to use a metallic schrewdriver to adjust a RF
> oscillator coil.

That's because you're incapable of giving accurate technical advice at
all.

1140. Re: FS. PRO2005 WITH MODS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: FlameMeister <Flame@aol.com>
Message-ID: <350498D3.61F1@aol.com>
Source record: 167632
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

SKYHAWK wrote:
> >Price: 450.- $ or highest bid.
> >
> >Reply to: andybenzon@hotmail.com
> >
>
> He He He He He He Ha Ha ha Ha H a Ha ha Ha Ha Ha Ha HeHe He He He Ha
> Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha h a uhhhh uhh uhh uhhh ha ha aha ha heeee heeeeeee
> Har Har He Ha Har Har.....!!!!!You have got to be kidding!!!!

That's a fair price if it's cellular restored. You cant buy them
cellular capable anymore so the law of supply and demand is in effect.
I have a 2005 without the Smeter and without the other stuff he has but
it is cellular capable and has the search and store mod and I wouldnt
sell it for less than 400.

1141. Re: ICOM PCR-1000 Software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip Scott <pwscott@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35049B0F.F495C72E@erols.com>
Source record: 167633

I'm using the PCR-1000 with ScanCat Gold SE and I'm very happy with the setup. I also use MAGIC! to import documents from the web and other sources. This way I can go to a given city and surf for some freqs, import them with MAGIC and start scanning right away with the PCR-1000. ALso the ZIP Drive case from Case Logic (avail at CompUSA) makes a great carry case for radio, power brick, antenna and RS-232.
Enjoy.

PHIL N3KDJ

Anthony R. Gargano wrote:

> Picked up a PCR-1000 and the UT-106 DSP module. Wow! Dynamite
> receiver. Features, functionality and capability are absolutely top
> rate. I'd recommend this combo to anyone. I have found a site that has
> a shareware, spectrum analyzer program for the PCR-1000. I was just
> curious if anyone new of any other sites that support the PCR-1000.
> with other virtual hardware add-ons, frequency files, or what have
> you. Lastly, anyone using SCANCAT with it and if so, what do you
> think/ Thanks for any assistance, Tony N2SS

1142. BC 200XLT Vs. Radio Shack PRO-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: zippy@united.com
Message-ID: <35049E4F.2D6C303C@united.com>
Source record: 167634

I have a pro-90 and a friend of mine has a BC 200 XLT. He can pick up cordless phones at 900 MHz while I cannot. I can enter the frequency but I can't hear a thing even if I use my scanner antenna that I've mounted on the roof. HOW Come? Can anybody help?

1143. Satellite Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matthew H <thatguy@mindless.com>
Message-ID: <3504A0CD.82AE8160@mindless.com>
Source record: 167635

I'd kinda like to listen to satellite frequencies on my home scanner. I've heard that amateur radio operators use satellites as repeaters as they pass over head. Does anyone have a list of these type of frequencies or know where I can find a list? Other types of satellites would be great too.

Thanks

1144. Re: FS. PRO2005 WITH MODS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <3504A77A.44E9@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 167636
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

> That's a fair price if it's cellular restored. You cant buy them
> cellular capable anymore so the law of supply and demand is in effect.
> I have a 2005 without the Smeter and without the other stuff he has but
> it is cellular capable and has the search and store mod and I wouldnt
> sell it for less than 400.

Dont' know anything (specs) about the 2005, but you can pick up a
european 2042 new for $450!

Chris

1145. STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: DCLIFF@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6e26b8$7e3$1@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 167637

By God I am tired of this ongoing crap about Bill Cheek and John Mackey. Enough is enough. People get a bait of this after so long. Its not funny anymore. Just goes to show how childish some people are. Quit making bigger fools out of yourselves than you already are. Thank you.

DENNIS in GA.

1146. Re: Frequencies too long?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bigdad <Bigdad@NOSPAM.tefbbs.com>
Message-ID: <3504C977.1CF@NOSPAM.tefbbs.com>
Source record: 167638

John Meyer wrote:
>
> I have norticed that some police frequencies are too long for my
> scanner. For example 865.4625 I can't add the last five. Plus,
> I am new at this, and many of them say "trunked". Can anyone help me
> on both of these problems? tks

Just drop the last digit...the scanner wont miss it one little bit
--
Remove NOSPAM from the address to reply...
Please send all junk mail to:
Bill Gates c/o Microsoft

1147. Re: FS. PRO2005 WITH MODS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JC <jc@aol.com>
Message-ID: <3504ADDF.25BA@aol.com>
Source record: 167639
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

> Dont' know anything (specs) about the 2005, but you can pick up a
> european 2042 new for $450!
>
> Chris

Well, I dont know the specs on the European 2042 or where you would buy one. The 2005 is 400 channels and if it's the older type, the type you cant buy anymore, its FULL COVERAGE . $450 is reasonable especially with the mods he put in. I would want more for it myself. :-)

1148. Re: Frequencies too long?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JC <jc@aol.com>
Message-ID: <3504AE71.13F3@aol.com>
Source record: 167640

> > I have norticed that some police frequencies are too long for my
> > scanner. For example 865.4625 I can't add the last five. Plus,
>
> Just drop the last digit...the scanner wont miss it one little bit

Yeah, the last 500 hertz dont make a difference :-) Only time 500 hertz matters at all is for quality sound in ssb voice reception

1149. Re: Garland, Texas Doomsday cult.....need freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Friedhelm Mehnert <fm@M1.whitespace.de>
Message-ID: <EpK0up.53t@whitespace.de>
Source record: 167641

Dave Shapiro <matzoman@flash.net> wrote:
: In Garland, Texas there is a doomsday cult that is waiting to have a UFO
: land in Garland on March 31. I need the freq's for the FBI in Dallas so
: I can listen in to them on that day. I also want the secret service
: freq's for Dallas.

Hmm...
I wonder, how come, you are not interested in those of the UFO.

Sorry, couldn't resist. :-)

Regards,
Friedhelm

--
Microsoft is NOT the answer. Microsoft is the Question.
The answer is: "NO!"

Friedhelm Mehnert, Berliner Allee 42, 22850 Norderstedt, Germany
phone + fax: +49-40-5236562 email: friedhelm.mehnert@gmx.net

1150. MyTuner Updated

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John P Corea <jcorea@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <3504ACB1.5AAC0413@monmouth.com>
Source record: 167642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

I fixed the Cnet URL so you get the latest news :-)

Click here to go to MyTuner download page

http://www.monmouth.com/~jcorea/mytuner.html

--
mailto:jcorea@monmouth.com
http://www.monmouth.com/~jcorea/index.html

1151. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3504B420.7560@usa.net>
Source record: 167643

Lot 47 wrote:
>
> *-John "Richard Simmonds makes me squeal like the pig that I am"
> > Mackey-* KA0SSF sucked wind while trying to lie:
>
> > > You are right there, 2 years later Cheek is still harassing me.
> > > Someone should do something about HIM.
>
> In article <350488DD.6F753225@primenet.com>, wa7twi@primenet.com corrected:
>
> > Seems to me, *you* are the one harassing Cheek. You are so frustrated
> > with Cheek that if he says the sky is blue, you'll pronounce him wrong.
> > You are the one with a grudge that just can't let it go.
>
> Now wait just one damned minute, Mackie! I was peacefully enjoying rec.
> and alt.scanner, and all was quiet. Then I read a couple of replys to
> various general scanner questions by Bill Cheek. Soon thereafter you chose
> to attack Cheek indirectly by replying to his reply and disparaging his
> qualifications and character. Cheek responded in his inimical manner,
> (understandable) and we wuz off tada races! This was at LEAST a year ago,
> so don't expect to see ME go runnin' off to Deja Vu to dig out the posts to
> support my recollections!
>
> And just out of curiosity, John-
> How many posts on "this" kind of shit do you figure you've posted, for each
> post that was on-topic for the newsgroup? You know, the ol'
> signal-to-noize ratio?
> 100-1? 1,000-1? 10,000-1?

You need to get off the drugs, cheek will tell you how they ruined his
life.

1152. Re: Mackey's idea of a scanner related post.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3504B188.32E8@usa.net>
Source record: 167644

BillSpang wrote:
>
> Here's John Mackey's idea of a helpful scanner related post>
> Whata think would happen to Mackey if he answered a
> question like this in person?

Spare me monkey boy.

1153. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3504B322.7F73@usa.net>
Source record: 167645

>Subject:STOP IT N O W
> Date: Mon, 9 Mar 1998 20:51:36 -0500
> From: DCLIFF@webtv.net (Dennis Lassetter)
> Organization: WebTV Subscriber
> Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner

Shut the hell up moron. You want to know the problem with the internet
today?
Yes you guessed it, services like WEBTV and AOL. Computers are no longer
limited to
the gifted, but the masses, and it is quite sad to think about the days
of 300baud
atari-400's, considering the state of affairs today.

Dennis Lassetter wrote:
>
> By God I am tired of this ongoing crap about Bill Cheek and John Mackey.
> Enough is enough. People get a bait of this after so long. Its not funny
> anymore. Just goes to show how childish some people are. Quit making
> bigger fools out of yourselves than you already are. Thank you.
>
> DENNIS in GA.

1154. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3504B452.365C@usa.net>
Source record: 167646

hahaha, sad..very sad

1155. Re: ICOM R10 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: krkirkwood@sprintmail.nospam.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f6e7f6644e4b2109896a4@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 167647

In article <6e2aum$ll5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, jhall@bledsoe.net says...
> Does anyone have any info on Icom's programming software for the R10. I'm
> thinking about buying it but don't know it's worth. Any comments appreciated
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>
I bought, but am very disappointed in it. However, since they use a
proprietary data file format, its a little hard to role your own. If you
order it, order it from Grove so you only pay $12.....
--
-K2
Its hard to know when your done if you dont know what your doing...

1156. Re: BC 200XLT Vs. Radio Shack PRO-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: DCLIFF@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6e29p9$m5f$1@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 167648

The reason is that you have the better receiver. He is receiving image freqs. and your scanner is filtering them out. Duel conversion vs. triple conversion.

DENNIS in GA.

1157. ICOM R10 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhall@bledsoe.net
Message-ID: <6e2aum$ll5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167649

Does anyone have any info on Icom's programming software for the R10. I'm thinking about buying it but don't know it's worth. Any comments appreciated

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1158. Re: ICOM R10 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Martin <rvrm@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3504DDFC.DB65BDE5@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167650

Dos based piece-o-crap.

RM

jhall@bledsoe.net wrote:

> Does anyone have any info on Icom's programming software for the R10. I'm
> thinking about buying it but don't know it's worth. Any comments appreciated
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1159. Pls help me with my PRO-66 and MDT hookups - Vancouver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Dodge <dodgefam@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <3504E033.7B085A85@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Source record: 167651

Hey everyone hows your doin?
Im just wondering if anyone can help me with the location of the discriminant.... I have looked in side the beast and fount a silk screen

tag "TP3{test point??}DISCRI." with a little arrow pointing at a solder dot on the top layer. The thing that puzzles me is that the "TP" is not

directly on the chip... there are a few or one diodes between the chip pin and the "TP". And also what should I use as the ground for my out-put to my little 741 amp?
the case ground will do?? or is there a "special ground".... also my RS

scanner book shows that the Vancouver City Plolice's Data freq. is 143.055. Will MDT.EXE or MDTW1234.EXE or MDTSTUFF.EXE work on this freq. if not what freq. should I use instead???? Please And Thank you.

1160. FS : Books: computers, electronics, scanners & shortwave, amateur radio, DX, SWL, WRTVH , telephone, Photofacts, BYTE, technical, automotive, aviation, electronics, hobby, automotive, arts & crafts - hundreds not listed - rrsc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Erickson <erickson@csnsys.com>
Message-ID: <3504EFDD.62B4@csnsys.com>
Source record: 167652

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Radio Angels, Stack WA6IPF, Ham Radio, 1st ptg, 1978, Only $3.
Analog Instrumentation Fundamentals, Leonard, Sams 21835,
1st ptg, 1981, list $19.95. $7.
FM Atlas and Station Directory. 7th ed, Dr. Bruce Elving,
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Miniprocessors: From Calculators to Computers, Heiserman, 195 pages,
2nd ptg, July 1978, TAB 971, list $5.95, $3.
Optoelectronics Guidebook---with tested projects, Fox, 190 pages,
HARD COVER, lst ptg, Jan. 1977, TAB 836, list $8.95. $2.

Introduction to Medical Electronics---for Electronics & Medical
Personnel, 2nd ed., Klein, HARD COVER, lst ptg, Jan. 1976, 310
pages, TAB 830, list $9.95, $3.
Aircraft Dope & Fabric, 2nd ed., Spencer, 160 pages, TAB 2313,
defective back cover, 1st ptg, 1981. List $6.95. $2.
VOM-VTVM Handbook, Risse, TAB 1390, 176 pages, 1st ptg, 1982.
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How to Test Almost Everything Electronic, Darr, 160 pages, TAB 132,
10th ptg, Jan. 1981, list $4.95. $2.
Basic TV Course, Kravitz, 222 pages, TAB 105, 9th ptg, April, 1980.
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The Fascinating World of Radio Communications, Wayne Green, HARD COVER,
176 pages, TAB 586, 1st printing, Oct. 1971, list $6.95. $2.
Saga of the Vacuum Tube, Tyne, Sams 21472, 1st ptg, 1977, 490 pages,
SOFT COVER, list $18.95. $10.
Shortwave Frequency Directory, 1.6-30 mHz, Robert Grove, 1st ed., 1982,
220 pages, spiral bound, $1.
The Handbook of Radio Publicity and Promotion, Macdonald, TAB 213A,
3-ring binder, 370 pages, 4th ptg, May, 1981, list $34.95, $18 OBO.
The Challenge of 160, Dunn, 54 pages, 1977, $3.
Reference Data for Radio Engineers, ITT, Sams 21218, HARD COVER,
48 chapters, list $44.95. $25 OBO.
S. Gernsback's Radio Encyclopedia 1927, McMahon, HARD COVER,
#1660 of 2000. Reprint 1974, 84% scale, Vintage Radio. 175 pages.
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1161. Norge og GSM (Norway and cellular phonesystem GSM) Winradio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: rayhil@nospam.online.no
Message-ID: <35057093.2321748@news.powertech.no>
Source record: 167653

Is there possible to listen to GSM transmission whit Winradio in
Norway??

Er det mulig ï¿½ lytte pï¿½ GSM med Winradio?

rayhil

1162. freq for sacramento

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mholbrook@csus.edu
Message-ID: <35039e1d.21483932@news.csus.edu>
Source record: 167654

Does anyone know what the frequencies for the sacramento police are or where I could find them? Thanks for any help

1163. Re: Writing BC895 software - any suggestions? (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JohnieFive <JohnieFive@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6e53bn$qo5@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Sounds great so far....
John

Home Slice wrote:
>
> I am writing a new program called FreeTracker - a Windows95/NT app
> specifically designed for the TrunkTracker 895. And best of all, it's
> free! Expect to see version 1.0 in a couple weeks.
>
> Does anyone have feature suggestions?
> Here's what is currently available:
> (pics at: http://www.webcom.com/autownet/freetrack.html)
>
> 1. Supports up to 5,000 "Virtual Channels" which are like the radio's
> normal channels, but add Callsign, Description, Color (for activity
> log), Alarm, location, Ctcss, hit count, line, delay, and lock status.
> VChannels can be scanned (20 chan per second) for activity.
>
> Descriptions:
> You can store Descriptions, Callsigns, and Locations for frequencies
> or Trunk talkgroups/ID's. When that freq/talkgroup appears, a
> description is shown.
>
> Alarms:
> A Wav file can be assigned (or speaker beep) to certain
> freq/talkgroups, or a .RTF file that pops up while that freq/group is
> active. For example, have all local police codes shown when a certain
> police channel comes active.
>
> 2. PerCon database lookups from their web page (stored as html) can be
> imported. (Dbase import comes later)
> btw: Can someone please send a *SMALL* exported database file from
> their PerCon CD? I need to see the format, so I can support it.
>
> 3. Activity log is color coded - you can assign any color to any
> specific freq/talkgroup, plus bolded text.
> 4. Search Ranges - you can store up to 2,000 search ranges, and
> double-click them to activate an immediate search of that frequency
> range.
> 5. All BC895 keys are supported, allowing a virtual radio on your
> desktop.
> 6. FreeTracker can be minimized as a TrayIcon, with a feature-rich
> right-click menu for easy access to popular functions.

> 7. Database-editing in a simple grid. Click the record you want, and
> change any value.
> Menu allows selecting any record to zoom to that frequency.
>
> 8. Communicate with your radio interactively - type any command in,
> and see the response.
> 9. Power users can utilize the quick-command box. Simply key in
> simple words to change frequencies, channels, scan, hold, search,
> manual, etc.
> Example Syntax:
> f15189 tunes radio into frequency 151.890
> c56 takes scanner to channel 56
> Up arrow emulates SCAN key
> Down arrow = Manual
> Right arrow = Search
> Left arrow = Hold
> ... plus about 50 more commands
>
> 10. Export all scanner channels/freqs to a text file, then import back
> into the scanner at a later date.
> 11. Complete logging to a file, or printing just about anything.
> 12. Export your VChannel/talkgroup database to a HTML file for posting
> on a web page.
> 13. Top 20 frequency hits organized into a right-click menu for easy
> access
>
> Later Features I'm adding:
>
> a. Scheduler - activate an event on a date/time, when a certain
> activity happens, or a specific freq/talkgroup. Anyone have a
> preference for what kinda events you want scheduled??
> b. Charting of hit counts, time online, etc.

1164. BC 9000 Mod's ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: HEATHER J PANTIN <HEATHERJP@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6e5543$5cla$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 167656
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Looking for MOD's for the Uniden BC 9000 ! Especially to restore cellular,
and any other neat tricks. Please e-mail with info !

Brian

1165. Re: CB Radio Modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: CitySlicker <*mannod*@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <6e4vbu$hh4@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 167657

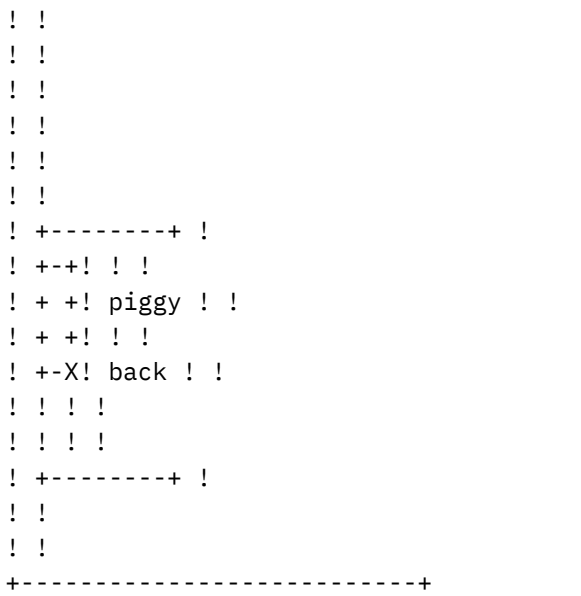
You might have better luck at rec..radio.cb

Duffield wrote in message <01bd4bac$b0b741e0$8c2931ca@reap.reap.org.nz>...
>Could any one please help me as I would like some CB Modifications on the
>following Radio's Please:- Uniden Grant XL, Uniden Pro 640e, Uniden
>Washington, and GME Electrophone TX 830N.
>This would be very helpful and very appreciated.
>
>Craig
>duffield@reap.org.nz

1166. Re: BC220XLT/BC230XLT Discriminator location ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: grubekg@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6e076o$149$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 167658

Here is where to tap the Uniden/Bearcat BC120XLT for a discriminator output. The 220XLT and 60XLT (and perhaps some other similar Uniden handheld models) might have a similar layout:



You want to tap pin 9 of the IC right left of the piggyback circuit, in the area where I made the X. I used an RCA (cinch) connector and mounted it on the rear panel right underneath the two screws for the belt clib. Then I drilled a hole in the clip and remounted it. This way, the RCA connector is in a secure, non-disturbing place. There is some shielding on the rear panel, use it for grounding the outer ring of the connector. Connect the (-) leg of a 2.2-uF (or so) tantalum capacitor to the center of the RCA jack. Connect the (+) leg od the capacitor via a piece of shielded cable to the discriminator pin.

If you don`t know how to connect all this, how to solder etc. keep your fingers off this project. It is tricky to solder in there.

1167. Re: Scanner Software Shareware

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stuart Elflett <stuarte@fan.net.au>
Message-ID: <350325A2.18EE@fan.net.au>
Source record: 167692
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,ncf.sigs.radio-scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Michael Arthur wrote:
>
> I am looking for A good shareware software for scanners

What would you like the software to do? Keep a list of frequencies, or
control a scanner??

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Make it foolproof and they'll make a better fool!!!

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stuarte@fan.net.au
http://www.fan.net.au/~stuarte/

1168. Oregon State Police - air-ground freq found !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: garretw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309002601.TAA18549@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167693

While traveling down I-5 around Roseburg (south of Eugene), I found the OSP citing speeders using a fixed-wing airplane and 3 ground units. The plane was using 155.475, the NLMARS frequency. The scanner was picking up the transmissions about 15-20 minutes ahead. The ground units were around milepost # 148, between the truck stop and the rest area. My question to the locals is: does the OSP use any other tac frequencies for air-to-ground speed enforcement ??

1169. AR 8000 temperature while charging?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: buck100@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <350337a7.10472869@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167694

I just got my AR8000 from javiation...very nice piece of equipment....

however when charging the batteries with the AC adapter...I notice the temperature at the back is quite warm...not really hot...but warm compared to my Radio Shack 38 when chargning.

Anyone else notice this?

1170. Re: RS Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309010400.UAA25334@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167695

In article <35033F15.E0FCE0CD@cyberpunk.net>, David Davidson
<legend@cyberpunk.net> writes:

>I just found this ng via www.policescanner.com, and I just wanted to say
>
>that it has more useful real-time information for part time enthusiasts
>such as myself than I have been able to find most anywhere else.

Lots of garbage and "noise", too. Read on.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

1171. BC220XLT/BC230XLT Discriminator location ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Acid <acid@spamfree.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4aef$6faba140$02000001@acid>
Source record: 167696

Hi to all,
Does anyone know where the discriminator output is on a BC220XLT/BC230XLT (it's the uk model, but they are v simialr), I thought I could look up all the parts using a componets catalog, but don't have one handy. If you know where the location is on the board it would be a help.

to email me remove the ***
rich@***netway.co.uk

thanks in advance

1172. Re: Pro 43 cellular mod ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdallal@world.std.com
Message-ID: <EpJ3wL.FoE@world.std.com>
Source record: 167697

Brent Andre (brent5@flash.net) wrote:
: I want a Pro 43 capable of cellular. I have seen one that says 800mhz mod
: for cellular (date code 12a3). Is this the standard mod for cellular? Is
: there another area for cellular freq? I want full cellular coverage.

: Brent

I'll repost the FAQ.

1173. PRO-43 Modifications FAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdallal@world.std.com
Message-ID: <EpJ3xL.G1H@world.std.com>
Source record: 167698

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<Last modified December 1, 1996>
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1. Introduction

As long as there is a continuing demand for it, this PRO-43
modifications FAQ will be posted every month or so. In large
part, it is the file PRO43.MOD from pub/hamradio/mods/tandy at
oak.oakland.edu .

The FAQ now includes mods for

(1) extended receive (800 MHz:
original mod + solderless)
(2) keypad beep delete
(3) improved audio
(4) attaching an S-meter
(5) extended receive (30-68 MHz for European model)

There is also a mod for 400 memory channels, but, to quote
its author, it is very complicated, should only be attempted
by someone with moderate to advanced electronics experience,
and is not for the faint of heart or the "weekend technician."
A brief description is included at the end of this FAQ. If
the mod were included in its entirety, the size of the FAQ
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would be increased four-fold.
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2. Out of the box frequency coverage

30-54 MHz
118-174 MHz
220-512 MHz
806-823.9375 MHz
851-868.9375 MHz
896-999.9875 MHz
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3. Which units can be modified for extended frequency
(800 MHZ) reception?

Note: In the United States, it is against the law
(Electronics Communications Privacy Act of 1987, public law
99-508, amended 1994 by public law 103-414) to listen to
cellular or cordless telephone communications. However, it is
not illegal to own equipment that can receive or can be
modified to receive such communications, even though it became
illegal as of April 1994 to manufacture or import equipment
that could be easily modified by the user to receive cellular
communications. Equipment manufactured before the cutoff date
can continue to be sold until stocks are exhausted. While
businesses are forbidden from importing cellular capable
scanners for resale, the question has been raised whether an
individual can legally import such equipment not intended for
resale. The issue is not explored here.

Which PRO-43 units can be modified for extended receive?
The best information is that units sold in the US and Canada
can be identified by the following scheme

Modifiable | Nonmodifiable
|
serial number no A in # | begins with A
FCC-ID AA020-300 | AA020-300A

There have been rumors that the correspondence between serial
number and FCC-ID may not be perfect, that is, there may be
some units judged modifiable by the serial number and
nonmodifiable by the FCC-ID, and vice-versa. Anyone with a
such a unit should send a message to gdallal@world.std.com so
that the information can be incorporated into this FAQ.

Date codes: Inside the battery compartment is a paper label
containing the date of manufacture in the form "month A year".
For example, 5A3 is May, 1993. The cutoff date after which
units could no longer be modifiable is April, 1994 (4A4). So
far, the earliest reported date of manufacture of a
nonmodifiable unit is 3A4 (March, 1994). There have been *no*
reports of a modifiable US 3A4 unit. However, there have been

reports of a modifiable Canadian 10A4 unit; it did not have an A in the serial number.

Until the rumors surrounding imperfect correspondence between serial number and FCC-ID can be settled, it is better to check the FCC-ID. But be careful. All units have A's in the FCC-ID. Only nonmodifiable units have an FCC-ID that ends in A.

THE PRESENCE OR ABSENCE OF A FINAL 'A' IN THE FCC-ID
IS A DEFINITIVE WAY OF DETERMINING WHETHER A PRO-43
CAN BE MODIFIED FOR EXTENDED FREQUENCY RECEPTION.
IF THE FCC-ID IS 'AA020-300', THE UNIT IS MODIFIABLE.
IF THE FCC-ID IS 'AA020-300A', THE UNIT IS NOT MODIFIABLE.

It has been reported that some units currently being made for sale overseas can be modified for extended 800 MHz reception. However, it is not known whether this applies to all overseas units or, if not, whether there is a way to distinguish modifiable units from nonmodifiable units.

The PRO-43 was produced under two brand names. My 3A3 unit carries the Realistic name; my 12A3 unit carries the Radio Shack name. At the moment, it is not known whether this represented a changeover or whether both types were produced side-by-side for a time. It is also not known whether their electronics are different.

There are no software modifications for the PRO-43. It is not possible to extend the frequency range of the radio by pushing buttons on the keypad. Such modifications are possible with other models, such as the PRO-51, but *not* with the PRO-43. The PRO-43, made by GRE (General Radio Electronics) of Japan, is one of Radio Shack's few triple conversion units. Radio Shack scanners with software mods are double conversion units made by Uniden.

Modification procedures for other radios are available by anonymous ftp from the pub/hamradio/mods/<manufacturer> subdirectories at oak.oakland.edu.

There is some debate about whether step (5) of the extended receive modification is worthwhile. According to Bob Parnass, from his "Improved Audio Mod", below:

"Now that I have a schematic, I see that the European version of the PRO-43 has different coils and capacitors in the low (mid) band front end filter. That explains why the 75 MHz sensitivity isn't stellar after adding diode D3 to enable 30-88 MHz coverage."

So, if you trash the diode in step 4 or want to quit while your ahead, don't lose sleep over it. On the other hand,

quoting ray_reese@tscnet.eskimo.com (Ray Reese),

When I purchased my PRO-43 and did the mod for adding 54-88 Mhz, using the removed cell. diode, I wanted to be able to listen to the sound carrier for the tv channels 2-6 as well as the 72-76 Mhz band. It is worth the trouble to make the mode and it does work well in my area, despite not having the correct coils for that band area. Do the mod anyway, but [if you've trashed your original diode], use a 1N4148 fast-switching diode. Perhaps a 1N914 might do the job also. They can be found at Radio Shack for a cheap price.

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4. Companies that will modify the PRO-43 for extended frequency reception

If you'd rather not do the modification for extended frequency reception yourself, Cellular Security Group, 106 Western Avenue, Essex, MA 01929 (508/768-7486) will do it for $40, which includes insured UPS return postage. However, CSG will not move the diode to extend the low band to 88 MHz; they only remove the diode to unlock the 800 MHz frequencies. When CSG is mentioned on the net, two types of comments follow: testimonials from satisfied customers and comments from those with the technical skills claiming that the service seems high priced for just removing the diode. But, there have been *no* reports of shoddy work or damaged radios. (They've modified two of mine.) Units are processed within 24 hours of receipt.

Grove Enterprises' newly advertised Repair Service will perform the mod for $40 plus shipping. They will move (rather than just remove) the diode in units that can benefit from it, but state that there is no way to tell whether the diode should be moved without looking inside. They claim that the determination can not be made from the serial number, FCC-ID, or date of manufacture. For further details, call Grove at 704/837-7081. In order to get a unit modified, a service order number must be obtained from the same telephone number. Packages without a SO# will be refused.

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5. The modifications

From: armille@afterlife.ncsc.mil (A. Ray Miller)
Summary: cellular (870-890 MHz) and low band (51-88 MHz) restoration for PRO-43

A few people have mentioned the cellular mod for the PRO-43; it turns out you should not remove but MOVE the diode. Doing so allows cellular coverage as well as low band (up to 88 MHz) coverage.

Acknowledgments to Grove Enterprises; this information came from them.
They are selling the PRO-43 for $300 which is $50 less than Radio Shack.
I have no connection with them other than as a satisfied customer.

PRO-43
Cellular Frequency Restoration and Low Band Expansion

Note: It is not lawful to monitor cellular or conventional mobile telephone conversations.

The following procedure requires familiarity with microcircuit soldering and will violate your warranty. Grove Enterprises assumes no liability resulting from its attempt, nor will accept the modified scanner for return under any condition.

TOOLS NEEDED: Fine point, low power soldering pencil; solder wick or a desoldering tool; pointed awl, hemostats or pointed tweezers; small Philips screwdriver; solder.

1) Remove the battery, antenna and back cover (held in place by four screws).

2) Remove the six screws holding the top circuit board in place. Carefully unsolder the two antenna connections from the board. Bend the antenna ground tab fully up from the board. Carefully lift the board, unplugging the black connector at its base, and lay the board out of the way on its bundle of colored wires.

3) Remove the two screws from the next board and lift it, carefully unplugging the white connector at the bottom of the board. Lift it up and lay it aside on its brown wire (which can be unplugged if necessary).

4) Unsolder and remove the metal shield from the final board, revealing the microprocessor; note the row of diodes labeled D1-D5 above it. Only diodes D1, D2, and D4 are present; assisted by a pointed tool, unsolder and remove D4, the lone diode (this restores cellular frequencies which will be searched in 30 kHz steps).

5) Resolder the removed diode carefully into position D3 to extend low band coverage to 88 MHz.

6) Reassemble the boards, paying particular attention to the alignment of the plugs. Test the radio by entering any frequency between 870 and 890 MHz (cellular) and 51-88 MHz (low band).
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From: IN%"savage@dg-rtp.dg.com" 2-FEB-1995 17:55:07.31

BTW, I did something similar [to the mod that follows] but MUCH easier... No soldering, removing antennas, PCBs, etc..

Just open up the Pro 43 and look down on the bottom PCB from where the batteries usually lie. You'll see the diodes there. Simply take an

xacto knife and and break the solder on the D4 diode (left-most on mine) on the side facing you. I just cut back-and-forth for a bit. Once the solder (it's surface mounted) is weak enough, I just bend up the diode a bit from the PCB. Presto. I left mine hanging on the one side with solder. If you continue to work it a bit, you can probably remove the whole diode.

--Ed

From: springel@umich.edu (Jason G. Springel)
Subject: MODing a Pro-43 without soldering

I just purchased a new Pro-43 to replace my Uniden 200XLT after reading many of the praises for the Pro-43 on this newsgroup. I decided to try and MOD it, but don't have a lot of experience with a soldering iron. After examining the scanner's innards, I found it was quite easy to "fix" with nothing more than a minature philips screwdriver and some small needlenose pliars.

********** Standard Discalimer from other MODs:

1-It is against the law to monitor cellular or mobile telephone calls.

*****2-Procedures outlined below [DO NOT] require knowledge of microcircuits, soldering and assembly techniques.

*****3-You will [NOT] need a low-wattage soldering iron, solder and other various tools to help in the procedure.

4-The following procedure will void your warranty.

****
Here is my new MOD:

Step 1

Remove the battery, antenna, and back cover which is held in place by four screws. Place the scanner keypad-side down on your working surface.

Step 2

Remove the six screws holding the top circuit board in place.

Step 3

Using a VERY small screwdriver (I used one from a Radio Shack kit), remove the two screws from the lower circuit board. Looking down at the unit, you will see that the screw on right side of the lower circuit board can be easily removed. Remove the screw on the left side by by sliding the screwdriver between the top circuit board and the metal frame which holds the two boards together.

Step 4

With these two screws removed, you can now lift the entire top panel (antenna, volume, and squelch knobs) along with the top two circuit boards as one unit. The two circuit boards will be connected to the final circuit board (the one attached to the front section of the scanner) by several wires. Simply set the top panel/circuit boards alongside the front section of the scanner and you can leave these wires connected.

Step 5

The microporcessor is located under the large metal shield on the final board (the front section of the scanner with the display and keypad). If you look under metal shield from the side closest to the bottom of the scanner, you should see the row of diodes labeled D1-D5.

Only diodes D1, D2 and D4 should be present.

Use a small pointed tool to break off D4. You actually don't have to remove it completely (unless you want to use it to restore additional frequencies as explained in other MODs), you can just lift one side so it dosen't make connection and then put a small piece of tape or heat shrink over it, so it won't. Make sure it's not lifted to high or the boards will not fit.

This will restore Cellular Frequencies in 30 kHz steps.

Step 5

Reverse the process to replace the top panel/circuit boards and the two screws that connect the lower circuit board. Replace the 6 screws from the top board. Replace the cover, etc.....

...the diode positions on the cpu board, of which only three are filled look like this. Where X equals a diode soldered in place.

D5 D4 D3 D2 D1

O X O X X Normal configuration

O O O X X Cellular modification(D4 removed)

O O X X X Lo-Band modification(D4 in D3's place)

These directions were based on an original MOD design whose origins I do not know. My thanks go out to the original author of that MOD! Hope this helps those of you who do not own a soldering iron!

PRO-43 Shortwave & Extended Receive
Al Mellon N8KLI

ification is only possible on radios able to be modified to receive the full 800 MHz range.)

Scope and nature of the modification: To allow the PRO-43 to receive frequencies from 6 MHz to 1000 MHz. This is accomplished by setting the PRO-43 to non-standard splinter frequencies, the CPU will then step the radio beyond the normal band edges. To derive the non-standard splinter frequencies

it is necessary to change the diode configuration matrix, and to use the monitor-search function. The hardware modification should take about thirty minutes. The remaining programming / search will take as little as 45 minutes (depending on how interested you are in the signals you encounter during the 806 MHz to 30 MHz search to be run).

I made a few attempts to make deals with various radio mod shops. Most felt the time needed to make key pad entries was too long to make a profit.

< This is a lengthy modification. It can be found in its entirety in /pub3/hamradio/mods/tandy/pro43swl.zip at oak.oakland.edu and at http://204.134.124.1:80/kc5kto/pro43swl.html>

From: ross@novax.llnl.gov
Date: 19 Aug 92 16:51:08 GMT

Here is my keypad beep delete mod for the RPO-43:

1. Remove battery.
2. Remove back cover (4 screws).
3. Remove top board (6 screws, desolder two antenna connections and bend antenna ground lead up out of the way). Be careful of black connector at bottom of board. Flip board over and lay aside (wire connectors need not be disconnected).
4. Remove middle board (remove 2 screws and wire connector). Be careful of two multi-pin connectors along underside of board. Set middle board aside.
5. Locate 10 pin connector on side of bottom board (labeled CN3). Note that one end of connector has pin 10 labeled as such. Count back to pin 6 and bend pin 6 ninety degrees towards the large RF shield. Make sure the bent pin clears the RF shield.
6. Reassemble and your done OR do the cell mod since you are so close.

Have fun. Gary Ross >usual disclaimer>

Subject: Improved audio for the PRO-43 portable scanner
From: parnass@cbnewse.cb.att.com (Bob Parnass, AJ9S)
Date: Wed, 2 Dec 1992 01:15:35 GMT

IMPROVED AUDIO FOR THE PRO-43 SCANNER

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

The Radio Shack PRO-43 scanner audio is too bassy.1 The lack of treble makes it difficult to hear the PRO-43 in noisy situations, especially while listening in a car or truck. Louis Shirley sent me a schematic and suggested I remove C341, a tiny 0.015 ufd surface mount capacitor.

I'm glad to report that removing C341 made a great improvement. The audio is now much "crisper," more like the Uniden 200xlt, although still not quite as loud. Turning the volume control up still overloads

the PRO-43's small, internal speaker, but there's less need to do that once C341 is removed.

The PRO-43 contains 3 printed circuit boards, and the middle (second) board contains the audio circuitry. Finding C341 is difficult, as it is neither marked with a value nor a component designation. It is located on the foil side of the middle board, under IC304, an LM386 amplifier IC. C341 is in parallel with, and physically next to, R350 (33,000 ohm). R350 is slightly larger than C341 and is marked 333. Both R350 and C341 are connected between pin 2 of the LM386 and ground.

A Note About 50-88 MHz Reception

Now that I have a schematic, I see that the European version of the PRO-43 has different coils and capacitors in the low (mid) band front end filter. That explains why the 75 MHz sensitivity isn't stellar after adding diode D3 to enable 30-88 MHz coverage.

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1. See "PRO-43 Product Review," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in the November 1992 RCMA Journal.

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Bob Parnass, AJ9S - AT&T Bell Labs - parnass@ihlpm.att.com - (708)979-5414

Subject: S-Meter for PRO-43
From: schuster@panix.com (Michael Schuster)

Found this on the Fidonet scanner echo:

=====begin quoted text=================

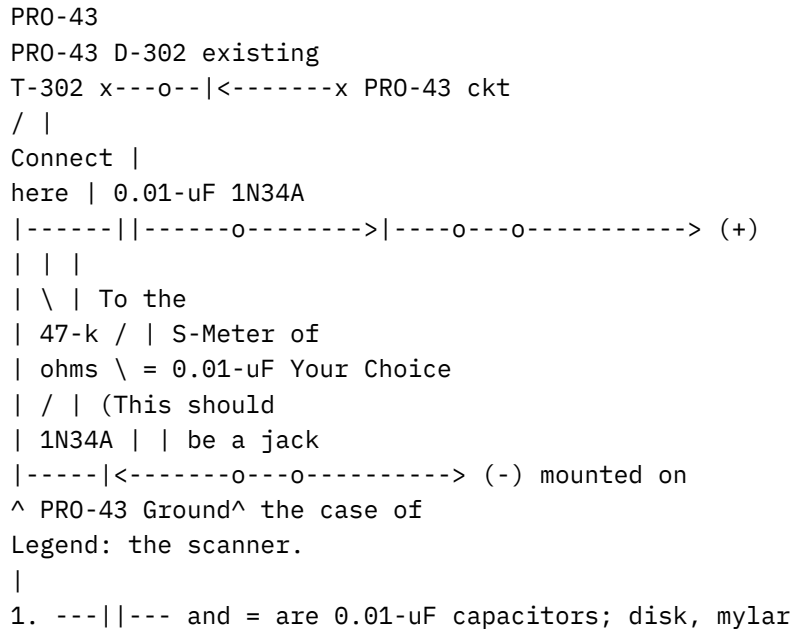
Date: 02-06-93 00:24
From: Bill Cheek
To: All
Subject: PRO-43 S-Meter!

Greetings Scanner Fans!

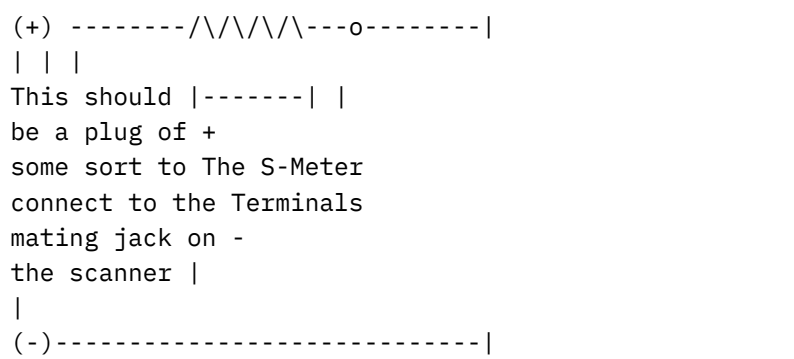
It had to happen! The fundamentals for an S-Meter exist alive and well in the PRO-43! Only a simple circuit and your choice of meter, analog or LED, is required for a jim-dandy S-Meter function!

The key point in the circuit is the cathode of D-302 located on the bottom (solder side) of the AF Board (middle board). You will need the Service Manual for the PRO-43 to find it as it's not marked and it would take me 10,000 words to guide you to exactly where it is located. Call Tandy National Parts at (800) 442-2425 to order your manual: approx $10. Now here is the deal:

Locate D-302 and either build the following circuit right there on the back of the AF board in the vicinity of D-302, or solder a wire to the cathode of D-302 and route it to somewhere else more convenient to feed the below circuit. This wire ought not to be very long, though, say not more than a couple of inches. Refer to the ASCII schematic diagram as follows:


PRO-43
PRO-43 D-302 existing
T-302 x---o--|<-------x PRO-43 ckt
/ |
Connect |
here | 0.01-uF 1N34A
|------||------o-------->|----o---o-----------> (+)
| | |
| \ | To the
| 47-k / | S-Meter of
| ohms \ = 0.01-uF Your Choice
| / | (This should
| 1N34A | | be a jack
|-----|<-------o---o----------> (-) mounted on
^ PRO-43 Ground^ the case of
Legend: the scanner.
|
1. ---||--- and = are 0.01-uF capacitors; disk, mylar, monolythic, chip
|
2. --->|--- and ---|<---- are germanium diodes, 1N34A
| is cathode
< is anode
3. o means a connection, preferably soldered
4. The 47-k resistor is self-explanatory, I hope.
5. -------- and | are wires/conductors.
|
|
6. x is existing PRO-43 circuitry

If you use an analog meter, preferably a real S-Meter like salvaged from an old junked CB rig, then rig it as follows to connect to the circuit above:



You can also build the 10-segment LED S-Meter as shown in Volume 2 of my SCANNER MODIFICATION HANDBOOK, available from leading mail order radio dealers everywhere. ISBN 0-939780-14-3 published by CRB Research Books, Inc. Commack, NY.

After connected and working, locate the PRO-43 very near a known strong transmitter, perhaps a ham transmitter, a police cruiser, your favorite security guard's handheld or right next to a cordless telephone, or anything else known to transmit a strong signal. Tune the scanner to the frequency, and adjust the 5-k trim pot above so the meter reads exactly full scale. All other signals will read proportionally lower to yield "relative signal strength" measurements! A hell of a circuit here, boys & girls! Have fun!

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Ok to distribute, but credit appreciated. Thanks!

Bill Cheek

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* Origin: Hertzian Intercept, San Diego (6pm-1pm) 619-578-9247 (1:202/731.1)

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From: bbb@kuhub.cc.ukans.edu (LORD BB)
Subject: PRO-43 w/400 CHANNELS HERES HOW!

IT IS NOT FOR THE FAINT OF HEART however.

PRO-43 ENHANCEMENT
MEMORY EXPANSION & "FADE-AWAY" LIGHT
Brett Bennett 4/12/94
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INTRODUCTION

The following document details two enhancement modifications that are possible on the Radio Shack PRO-43 scanning radio. The first modification doubles the factory standard memory capacity, allowing you to enjoy an additional 200 channels of memory, plus 10 more monitor memories. After completing the first modification, it is a fairly simple matter to add a 7 to 10 second delay feature to the LCD back-light lamp circuit. I designed and performed these modifications on my PRO-43 and they do work. As I understand it, there (has been/is being) presented in WORLD SCANNER REPORT a similar memory expansion. I have not seen this modification and for all I know it is a better way of doing it. What is presented is a 'clean-room' design of my

own that to the best of my knowledge is the only one to also offer a time-delay for the LCD back-light. Having said that, let me say:

I ASSUME NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANYTHING THAT MIGHT HAPPEN TO YOUR RADIO SHOULD YOU OR ANYONE ELSE ATTEMPT THESE MODIFICATIONS. WHILE REASONABLE CARE HAS GONE INTO THE PREPARATION OF THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENT, I CAN NOT GUARANTEE THAT THERE ARE NOT ERRORS.

The procedure described below is very complicated, and involves the soldering and desoldering of very tiny components and the cutting of printed circuit board traces. While the procedure is not irreversible, it will leave permanent scars inside your scanner. It should only be attempted by someone with moderate to advanced electronics experience. I don't think it should be attempted by, to quote someone else, a "weekend technician." If as you read through this you feel intimidated by the jargon and required procedures or if an electronic schematic looks like a strange piece of modern art to you, then this might not be the 'mod' you are looking for. The following document will assume you have obtained the materials listed below, especially the Service Manual, and you have studied the circuit in some detail. I will not describe in great detail where every component is or where every solder point on the logic board should be placed. Having the Service Manual, and having studied the drawings therein will allow you determine to where it is I refer.

REQUIREMENTS

1 - PRO-43 Service Manual. (Tandy Parts # MS-2000300 - approx. $6.00)
1 - CD4053 - Triple - SPDT analog switch - Surface mount package (DigiKey #CD4053BCM-ND - approx. $1.50)
2 - 93C67 EEPROMs (Tandy Parts # MX-8050 - approx. $13.00/each)
1 - 100k x 5 resistor network. Common lead type. (DigiKey # Q5104)
1 - UN2111 PNP transistor (Q1 on Logic PCB. Tandy Parts #)
1 - 1 uF 16v capacitor.
1 - 10 MOhm 1/8-1/16W resistor.
Misc.:
Wire wrap wire-30 gauge. (Radio Shack)
Grounded soldering iron with approx. 1/32" tip or smaller.
Desoldering Equipment.
Digital Volt Meter. (Used to double check your VCC and Ground connections, pre-check switching assembly)
Utility knife with fresh sharp small blade. (Needed to cut traces.)
Strong hand held magnifying lens. (Needed to check solder joints.)
+5-10 Volt bench power supply. (Used to check switching assembly.)
Anti-Static work place and grounding wrist band.
Very fine needle nose pliers, wire cutters.

From: IN%"millingtoj@oldhamlrd-po.oldham.gpsemi.COM"
"John Millington" 17-DEC-1995 04:55:31.71
Subj: RE: pro-43

The European Pro-43 comes with a diode in D1, D3, +D5.
Remove the diode from D5 and solder it in position D2.
The scanner will now cover 30-68Mhz.

Usual disclaimer.

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6. The fixes

Unit reset (from the owner's manual)

If the keys do not work and the display is random, while
holding down the CLEAR and 0 (zero), turn the power on to
reset the scanner. Note: This clears all the information
Stored in the scanner.

From: IN%"randyrho@nauticom.net" "Randy Rhoades" 14-NOV-1996 00:13:32.24
Subj: Pro-43 Lockup Fix

Several months ago, the unit "locked up". When the radio was turned
on, nothing appeared on the display but the light button worked.
<RS repaired it, snipped>

It happened again.

<RR reports . . . [Before doing this, first try the reset above. GED]>
The problem seems to be in the software. The PRO-43 seems to forget
how to operate if all banks are de-selected. The software prevents
the operator from deselecting all banks but on rare occations this
routine fails. There seems to be no way to recover from this without
surgery. If you know any other way, please let me know.

THE FIX

There are lots of mod articles around describing the disassembly of
the PRO-43 so I'll omit it here. Disassemble the scanner down to
the CPU board and remove the metal shield. CAREFULLY lift pin 3 on
IC 2 so it no longer makes contact with the circuit board trace.
Reconnect the radio module to the CPU board, hold the back cover
in place, and insert the batteries. Turn on the power. The display
will look a little odd, but it will be apparant that the unit is
scanning. Press the number 1 on the keypad until the scan indicator
on the display shows band 1 is operating. Turn off the power and
disassemble the scanner again. Re-solder pin 3, replace the shield,
and reassemble the scanner. It's fixed !

The only trouble with the procedure is that all of your programmed
frequencies are dust. Just reprogram and thank God it works again.

1174. Re: Anyone know state laws re: using scanner in car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6dvihk$4hq$0@207.18.224.84>
Source record: 167699

On 8 Mar 1998 19:00:45 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:

>Yes, I have heard all versions. Whatever he did or did not do, however, there
>was no legal grounds for the local police to confiscate his amateur radio.
>None whatsoever. This was NOT a scanner...in fact, as everyone knows, the
>HTX-202 cannot even be modified for out-of-band reception! He had a license
>and a federally-granted right to carry that radio. Should have sued the
>department for violating his civil rights, IMO.

Chuckle. I guess he could have tried. Then of course, the department

would have pushed the charges that they had on him.

Although he had a federally granted right to OPERATE that radio, he
did not have any right to be doing some of the things that he was
doing.

1175. Re: Virtual banks! PLEASE READ!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcostin@NOSPAMix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6dvht1$otl@dfw-ixnews11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167700

In article <3500d558.4965294@news.fastlink.com.au>, barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au wrote:
>foxcat@mindspring.com (foxcat) wrote:
>
>:The scanner manufacturers should add to scanners...
>:
>:VIRTUAL BANKS.
>:
>:Where the user could select the number of channels per bank. If the
>:scanner had 1000 channel storage, the user could define bank 1 to hold 6
>:freqs., bank 2 to hold 15 freqs, bank 3 to hold 8 freqs., etc., until all
>:storage was filled. More of an opimizing solution. So the possibility of
>:entering bank 1000 could be possible. So... we need some new buttons.
>:
>:<MANUAL> <PRGBank> <ENTER> 248 <ENT> 6 <ENT>
>:
>:would create a new bank "248" with 6 freqs. slots available Then...
>:
>:<PRGBank> 248 <ENTER> <MANUAL><MANUAL> 506.8175 <ENT>
>:
>:would store 506.8175 into freq. slot 3 of bank 248.
>:
>:This way we wouldn't waste banks with x channels of 0.0 (locked-out)
>:freqs. Sort/Swap/Delete banks and Resize banks would be available.
>:
>:Is this so difficult? It's a computer with ears, for god sake!
>:
>:Of course, if I've thought of it, it's already been done. [sigh]. Whodunnit?
>
>The FT-3000 has 7 banks and 70 channels. Any number of channels may
>be assigned to each channel. E.G. 60 channels to bank 1, 2 to bank 2,
>5 to bank 3 and so on.
>
Sounds like a great idea. I wonder why more mfrs haven't done the same?

I will, however, suggest that we go a step further. Banks make sense as a
routine way of grouping certain frequencies together, but inevitably you will
run into a situation where you'd like to monitor two different frequencies
that don't happen to be in the same bank without getting lots of spurious
interruptions from the channels in between. Sure, you can temporarily go
through and lock out the channels you don't want, or set up a special set
of channels just for that situation, but why should it be that much trouble?

I'd like to see "search lists" that would let you specify any artibrary
sequence of channels for scanning, regardless of what bank they happen to be
in. If I want to listen to channels 1, 7, 59, 158, 2, and 12, then, hey,

that's no problem. I'd even be willing to forgo a bit of scanning speed for the convenience, though I don't see why I should. :-)

And while I'm dreaming, I'd like a handheld unit with a multi-line alphanumeric display that can be programmed with call letters and a note as to the purpose of the channel ("State Police-Wesminster Barracks"). Right now I keep track of all these things in a database on my PalmPilot, but that's awkward, and memory is cheap enough these days that it could easily be built right into the scanner. I'd also like a computer interface port for control and programming to be a standard feature on all but the cheapest units. Again, why not? The more I use my scanners, the more I'm convinced that it's time for a major rethinking of what we consider standard features.

-Bryan

>Remove the NOSPAM from my email address to reply!<
Bryan's Basement http://www.netcom.com/~bcostin

Visit my new and improved Digital Photography page:
http://linux-a.carroll.cc.md.us/~bcostin/digiphoto

1176. Freqs. for monroe, oh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: MKC <ctree@nltc.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4b07$3b085ce0$bcab8bcd@default>
Source record: 167701

I'm looking for the frequency for a flea market called Traders World and Turtle Creek around Monroe, Ohio. The only thing I know is that they are around the UHF band.

Thanks

1177. Re: HELP:WOODPECKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35034f4b.10981374@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167702

On Sat, 07 Mar 1998 13:00:02 GMT, thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb Guy)
wrote:

>On 6 Mar 1998 00:53:16 GMT, PSYPHY@t-online.de (Karsten Krause) wrote:
>
>>Hi,
>>I m looking for audio recordings and any information (dates, freqs.,
>>durations, bandwidths, logs...) of woodpecker signals for a scientific
>>documentation.
>>Most of that happened a long time ago but maybe someone still has
>>recordings of those signals.
>>Please msg me.
>>
>>Thanks
>>Karsten
>
>If you follow the posts of a MACKEY here in the ng, you will have all
>you need to know about a peckerwood.
>

ROFLMAO! I don't know if anyone has an audio recording of Mackey
but he's certainly worthy of scientific documentation.

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have to show you any stinking badges!"-
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1178. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35034770.8969856@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167703

On Sun, 08 Mar 1998 13:37:59 GMT, thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb Guy)
wrote:

>I'm waiting to see him squirm his way out of this one :-)
>
>
>On Sun, 08 Mar 1998 08:20:46 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
>wrote:
>
>>tvine@teleport.com (PjB) wrote:
>>
>>> In article <350d0c12.118033527@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
>>>
>>> > tvine@teleport.com (bud powell) wrote:
>>> >
>>> > > From: tvine@teleport.com (bud powell)
>>> >
>>> > What's with the 'Bud Powell' name by your
>>> > e-mail address, Petey? You fixing to start
>>> > off on a forging campaign?
>>>
>>> Cheeks, you've finally gone over the edge. What in the name of God are you
>>> on about? Have you lost your fucking mind?
>>
>>No. But you have.....assuming you ever had one.
>>I'll invite you ONCE AGAIN to examine and explain
>>the header in a recent post of yours. See the
>>"Bud Powell" on the FROM: line? Only you put it
>>there, Oh Mindless One. Go ahead and look at it.
>>Then explain it, you miserable wretch.
>>
>>Path: relief.cts.com!newshub.cts.com!usc!howland.erols.net!
>> newsfeed.direct.ca!News.Vancouver.iSTAR.net!news.istar.net!
>> hammer.uoregon.edu!nntp.teleport.com!news.teleport.com!
>> pdx49-a48-30.teleport.com!user
>>From: tvine@teleport.com (bud powell) <------------ !!!!!!
>>Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>>Subject: Re: The Spectacle
>>Date: Tue, 03 Mar 1998 16:13:12 -0800
>>Organization: ***
>>Lines: 13
>>Message-ID: <tvine-0303981613120001@pdx49-a48-30.teleport.com>
>>References: <01bd4577$28aea1c0$61dd0ad0@default>
>><19980302141701.JAA07983@ladder02.news.aol.com>

>><34FAF747.B3FED821@usa.net>
>><tvine-0203981146090001@pdx42-a48-11.teleport.com>
>><34FB21E5.27D1D1CA@usa.net>
>><tvine-0203981833180001@pdx42-a48-11.teleport.com>
>><34FB71F3.7FA70736@usa.net>
>><tvine-0203982358290001@pdx42-a48-11.teleport.com>
>><34FC455E.EBF40895@usa.net>
>>NNTP-Posting-Host: pdx43-a48-20.teleport.com
>>X-Newsreader: Yet Another NewsWatcher 2.1.8
>>Xref: relief.cts.com rec.radio.scanner:124952
>>X-Cache: nntpcache 1.0.7.1 (see ftp://suburbia.net/pub/nntpcache)
>>x-no-archive: yes 2957236718457
>

Maybe Petey is having an identity crisis and doesn't
know who he is.

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1179. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35034abe.9816031@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167704

On Sun, 08 Mar 1998 13:04:30 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>You're just JEALOUS because I have higher FCC licneses than YOU!
>
>hehehehehehehe
>
>
>DICK Kendrick wrote:
>> Mackey doesn't even rate high enough to be considered a wanna-be
>> amateur.

It is truly regrettable that the FCC sees fit to issue a *license* to
a buffoon that cannot correctly spell the word. A sorry state of
affairs, indeed!

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1180. Re: The Spectacle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <350348f5.9359165@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167705

On Sun, 08 Mar 1998 09:55:26 -0800, tvine@teleport.com (PjB) wrote:

>x-no-archive: yes <350853a8.43728301
>In article <350853a8.43728301@news2.cts.com>, bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
>
>
>> No. But you have.....assuming you ever had one.
>> I'll invite you ONCE AGAIN to examine and explain
>> the header in a recent post of yours. See the
>> "Bud Powell" on the FROM: line? Only you put it
>> there, Oh Mindless One. Go ahead and look at it.
>> Then explain it, you miserable wretch.
>
>Explain WHAT? Has your paranoia finally taken you over utterly?
>Has your mind corroded like an old battery? What the fuck are you talking
>about, Tandy-Tinkerer? Hmmmm....?

Explain who Bud Powell is. If you are Bud powell, then who is Peter
J. Boe? I saw your original post too and wondered what was up.
A little paranoia seems in order in this news group. Stop obfuscating
the issue and confess.

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1181. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35034ca9.10307609@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167706

On Sun, 08 Mar 1998 13:31:22 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Charlie Dwenger wrote:
>
>> I hope you take me to court
>> on this,
>
>Since you own nothing & are on welfare, I would have nothing to gain.
>
>Besides, ERIC OYEN is the one who is always threatening everyone to
>take them to court. That isn't my style, I believe in handeling things
>myself.
>
Yes, you do! May we interpret this as a confession to your recent
cancelling of posts of those who challenge your aberrant behavior
in this news group?

>> I`ll give you 1 week to post SOMETHING on scanners. After that, POOF.
>
>I don't give a DAMM about what you are gonna give me!

That will probably change when the Multnomah County Sheriff and the
FBI start banging on your trailer door.

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1182. Re: ABUSE OF THE TERM "MINT"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4b09$8be87c60$ced171d1@dickburk>
Source record: 167707

Bitch Bitch bitch

Fishbags <fishbags@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980308155601.KAA21808@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
> SOME PEOPLE CALL ANY USED RADIO THAT IS NOT DENTED OR CRACKED
"MINT"....CUT IT
> OUT. MINT IN MOST HOBBIES MEANS NEVER USED OR OPENED. A COMIC
BOOK OR
> COIN 8 YRS. OLD THAT HAS BEEN USED CAN'T BE 'MINT'. A PRO-43 THAT WAS
BOUGHT &
> LEFT IN THE PLASTIC & STYROFOAM BOX FROM DAY ONE MIGHT BE...BUT IF IT'S
BEEN
> 'MODIFIED & USED FOR 5 YEARS IT AIN'T MINT WHEN YOU SELL IT.
>

1183. NYC SOD/Highway Freq Change

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam!morrisonj@usa.net
Message-ID: <6dvohj$om2$1@newsfep4.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 167708

FYI, SOD Primary, 470.8375, has had its communications moved elsewhere. 470.8375 is still operable but just not being used. SOD and Highway are using Citywide-3, 470.8625, as Primary Dispatch. Highway units are using Traffic, 470.8125, for car-to-car communications.

Citywide-3 is being referred to as "Mode 2 Position 6" and Traffic as "Mode 1 Position 1". The modes are banks and positions are channels. Generally speaking, SOD/Highway units use 24-channel Sabers; two banks times 12 channels for a total of 24 channels available.

Anyone have a rundown of the different channels in this new layout?

Later,
JohnM

1184. Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: R <i@like.racing>
Message-ID: <01bd4b0c$6d2b7fe0$640ca2d1@robb>
Source record: 167709

I am fairly new to this NG and scanning in general but I have got a question for ya'all. Why is it that every time I come here to read up on the latest in the scanner world I have to wade through tons of of BS about this Bill Cheek character. Can't we just ignore him and his ramblings and just discuss the topic we are all here to enjoy and learn more about. Just my opinion. If you dont like it just ignore it

rbarrett@thegrid.net
--
Just me

1185. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35036b31.13398536@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167710
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On 9 Mar 1998 03:39:04 GMT, "R" wrote:

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>question for ya'all. Why is it that every time I come here to read up on
>the latest in the scanner world I have to wade through tons of of BS about
>this Bill Cheek character. Can't we just ignore him and his ramblings and
>just discuss the topic we are all here to enjoy and learn more about. Just
>my opinion. If you dont like it just ignore it
>
>rbarrett@thegrid.net

Ha ha ha......read on and learn old newbie you......
You'll soon find MACKEY to be the idiot that dances when we say ...for
the amusement of all.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

1186. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35046b68.13453722@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167711
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 08 Mar 1998 20:49:37 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>That is YOUR OPINION, which has been proven to not be worth
>much.
>
>
>The Cb Guy wrote:
>> Bill just described you to a "T" here MACKEY and you think he's the
>> problem?

My Opinion is my own....which I will admit doesn't stack up to the
multiple opinions of the personalities that dwell within your Psychii.
You are a Nut Case.....and that's not my opinion..it's a proven fact.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

1187. FOR SALE....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Myer Colonnades Home Office <MGB_F3XT@onaustralia.com.au>
Message-ID: <35037905.F1D8FC@onaustralia.com.au>
Source record: 167712
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

HOWDY,

I have a three items for sale....

1. NEC Sportz Analogue mobile phone with 2 Nicad Batteries, desktop charger, car charger, leather case, stubby & full-wave antenna. In excellent condition with box and instructions.

2. Kenwood R-2000 Short Wave receiver. Coverage from 0 to 30Mhz. AM/FM/USB/LSB/CW Modes. 10ch Memory. AF Gain, RF Attenuation, Tone & Squelch Controls and Signal Strength Indicator. In Good condition - sorry no manual !

3. REALISTIC WORLD RADIO Model DX-380. Coverage includes LW (150 to 519 khz), AM Broadcast band (531 to 1710 khz), SW Band (1.711 to 29.999 Mhz) & FM Broadcast band (88 to 108 Mhz). Direct frequency input through keypad or manual rotary tuning option. Digital display, Signal strength sndicator, Dual time clock and Alarm. In excellent condition with instructions and protective travel case.

If you are interested in any of these items, email me with your price and contact details at:

MGB_F3XT@onaustralia.com.au
Attn: Richard

PS - I have receipts for all items.

1188. Re: AR 8000 temperature while charging?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Grant <khgrant@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4b17$5b44abc0$4122dccf@dogbert>
Source record: 167713

Pretty standard for it to heat up. You would be better off getting a
seperate real charger (and a 2nd set of nicads, too). The built-in charger
will kill your batteries pretty quickly due to over-charging/over-heating.
A good charger will drop the charging rate as the battery charges and will
end up with just a tiny trickle charge. The heating you notice with the
built-in charger is detrimental to the chemistry in the battery.
If you can find them, Panasonic sells a package of 4 - 1100 mah nicads and
a good charger for about $12 (I found them at Costco). These are high
capacity and seem to last a long time.

Keith

ICE T <buck100@hotmail.com> wrote in article
<350337a7.10472869@news.earthlink.net>...
> I just got my AR8000 from javiation...very nice piece of equipment....
>
> however when charging the batteries with the AC adapter...I notice the
> temperature at the back is quite warm...not really hot...but warm
compared to my
> Radio Shack 38 when chargning.
>
>
> Anyone else notice this?
>

1189. SOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kjffdny@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309050900.AAA13686@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167714

NYPD IS IN THE PROCESS OF RE-BUILDING THE SOD FREQUENCY. THIER ENTIRE RADIO SYSTEM IS BEING REDONE A LITTLE AT A TIME. THERE ARE NEW CW 1, 2, & 3 FREQUENCIES ALREADY IN USE. IF YOU HAVE ONE, CHECK THE BIG COPY OF SCANNER MASTER FOR ADDITIONAL INFO. CHANNEL 6 IS THE CW # 3 ON SOME OF THE "NEWER" RADIOS. OLDER ONE'S IS REMAINS CHANNEL 12. PCT. FREQ. WILL ALSO BE CHANGING IN THE FUTURE. NYPD HAS OBTAINED OVER 20 NEW CHANNELS.

1190. Any Rhode Island scanner hobbiest???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: fxwdsqn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309051400.AAA14325@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167715

Just trying to find someone in the Providence area.Chat,scanners ,freq, etc...
Thanx
JIM 76

1191. Re: SEEKING A QUALITY THROAT MICROPHONE MANUFACTURER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Message-ID: <6dvvqv$n7u@acmey.gatech.edu>
Source record: 167716
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.police,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement.R_C_M_P,alt.law-enforcement.traffic,alt.military.police,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

Barbara C. Manganis responded:
> If you can hear yourself talk, so can a microphone.

>no, they work on bone conductivity, not on the premise that if you can hear
>yourself talk, so can the mic

and

>yes and no...in an enviroment with high background noise, the vox will
>often kick in, defeating the use of the ear mic.

No, bone conduction mikes work on that principle. Audiodonic mikes work because when you speak the sound travels back up your throat to the middle ear, through the ustation tube (Spelling?). There is sets up a vibration which causes the eardrum to vibrate backward, compared to hearing regular sounds. This is why you sound different to yourself, when you listen to your voice on a recording.

Well back to the mike, when the eardrum is vibrating it causes a pressure wave to travel down the auditory canal to the mike. That is how a earmike works. They sound somewhat clipped, and when you have a head cold, they are much worse. I have several of each kind, and have used many. VOX may or may not be part of an ear mike system.

Reguards, Det/Sgt. Bill Thompson

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Sgt. Bill Thompson / KC4ZUB <0> wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Georgia Tech Police Dept. Atlanta GA. <0> The Olympic Village Police Dept.
Money buys things, Power makes things happen. Given a choice, always take Power.-->Roger Zelazny <0> LOOK, I AM THE DAMN NRA!

1192. Re: RELM MS 200 Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrw39@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309055301.AAA15555@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167717

Regarding the RELM MS200, you stated: "spoke with a engineer at Relm, and was told that while the earlier 200's had intermodulation/selectivity/birdie problems the current production run had incorporated some changes to the IF section. "

Is there a way to tell which models are from the "new" production run?

1193. Pro-51 Discriminator Tap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35038A12.FD683E4B@eden.com>
Source record: 167718
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have a pro-51 with the MC 3361 chip, i tapped pin 9 and hooked it up to my pocsag decoder, but nothing it still doesnt work, i also did the ground to pin 15 and also tried the case ground but no luck... Anyone had this problem or am i looking at the chip upside down or what?... The corner of the chip with the mark is pin 1 right? Please help me out here...
Reply to the group or to me... thanks

1194. FOR SALE....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: MGB_F3XT@onaustralia.com.au
Message-ID: <35039115.5EDD4F3F@onaustralia.com.au>
Source record: 167719
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

HOWDY,

I have a three items for sale....

1. NEC Sportz Analogue mobile phone with 2 Nicad Batteries, desktop charger, car charger, leather case, stubby & full-wave antenna. In excellent condition with box and instructions.

2. Kenwood R-2000 Short Wave receiver. Coverage from 0 to 30Mhz. AM/FM/USB/LSB/CW Modes. 10ch Memory. AF Gain, RF Attenuation, Tone & Squelch Controls and Signal Strength Indicator. In Good condition - sorry no manual !

3. REALISTIC WORLD RADIO Model DX-380. Coverage includes LW (150 to 519 khz), AM Broadcast band (531 to 1710 khz), SW Band (1.711 to 29.999 Mhz) & FM Broadcast band (88 to 108 Mhz). Direct frequency input through keypad or manual rotary tuning option. Digital display, Signal strength sndicator, Dual time clock and Alarm. In excellent condition with instructions and protective travel case.

If you are interested in any of these items, email me with your price and contact details at:

MGB_F3XT@onaustralia.com.au
Attn: Richard

PS - I have receipts for all items.

1195. Used police MDT's wanted will pay $$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioomega@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309081001.DAA28435@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167720

RadioOmega@aol.com

1196. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3503B4E2.432A@usa.net>
Source record: 167721

You advice would be sound for most but there are a few
stubborn individuals who insist on causing trouble.

Primarily Bill Cheek & CB guy like to cause trouble here.
CB guy is also well known on the other radio related
newsgroups for causing trouble.

Good luck & happy scanning!

R wrote:
> I am fairly new to this NG and scanning in general but I have got a
> question for ya'all. Why is it that every time I come here to read up on
> the latest in the scanner world I have to wade through tons of of BS about
> this Bill Cheek character. Can't we just ignore him and his ramblings and
> just discuss the topic we are all here to enjoy and learn more about. Just
> my opinion. If you dont like it just ignore it

1197. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309095001.EAA06888@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167722

It occurrs to me that any credibility scannerists have goes down the tubes with some of the postings in this NG. Ten-thousand letters to a congressman or senator will not undo the damage done by one of these flames. Is it any wonder congress seems to take the current tack. Remember, there are those on the Hill who read these things.

Bill Ford, WB5SXK
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1198. Re: F.S. Bearcat 4/6 Thinscan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6e0jvl$n1b$3@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 167723

dconti2@carroll.com wrote:
: On 5 Mar 1998 22:46:55 GMT, jmurray407@aol.com (JMURRAY407) wrote:

: >F.S. Bearcat model 4/6 Thin Scan Hand Held scanner.
: >The scanner is in new mint condition.
: >It is a 6 channel crystal controlled. COmes with leather case and charger.
: >It runs on 4 AAAA batteries. I also have original users manual.
: >Price $150 plus shipping

: WOOOOOW !

: AAAA batteries?

: >If interested email jmurray407@aol.com

FWIW, while the poster made a error....AAAA batteries DO exist...they are
used in some tiny flashlights, very THIN laser pointers, and at least one
model of the voice-it digital voice recorder.
If you don't believe me-Radio Shack even stocks them!

1199. Re: non-Motorola trunk tracker?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6e0ka1$n1b$4@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 167724

Jason M. Warren (jason.warren@ibm.net) wrote:
: As I understand it, the Bearcat (and I think Radio Shack) trunk
: tracking scanners only work with the Motorola "standards." Our
: local community doesn't use that - they have (I think) GE radios
: which operate differently. Are there any scanners that handle this?

: Jason

Nope...not yet anyway!
BTW, most GE trunked systems will have 4 tones(or sometimes musical notes)
after each transmission...this helps identify them.

1200. Is There A software For "Spectrum Analisys" That can Be hood to a Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: zippy@sierra.campus.mci.net
Message-ID: <3503de8a.6619411@news.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 167725

If there is This kind of soft ware out there I am in...

Tom M.
zippy@sierra.campus.mci.net

1201. WANTED - SOUTH AUST. FREQS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: MGB_F3XT@onaustralia.com.au
Message-ID: <3503CDFA.9AA785CD@onaustralia.com.au>
Source record: 167726
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,aus.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If anyone has any frequency lists or registers for ADELAIDE, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, could you please send me a copy if you have one!

It would be much appreciated.

Richard.
REPLY TO: MGB_F3XT@onaustralia.com.au

1202. Pro-26 25-1.3ghz mem mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: PETER KATS <Pvolks@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35037D5B.66ABDBEA@usa.net>
Source record: 167727

Hi Fellow radio heads,

Someone at rad shack once told me that their is a very simple way used
to double up on
the pro-26 mem. Does anyone know of this? Are their many other mods
that the pro-26
can be helped with?

Thanx in advance
Pete

1203. Re: trunked systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcardani@erols.com
Message-ID: <3503e800.562820@news.tju.edu>
Source record: 167728

On 7 Mar 1998 13:41:00 GMT, Dick DeYoung <rdeyoun@banet.net> wrote:

>
>What if the Johnson system is a Multinet and not an LTR system????
>
Since Multi-Net is not compatable with LTR, the LT-2 or Opto 442 plus
will not work!

Joe

1204. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: robert@anti.spam
Message-ID: <3506e812.3539616@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167729
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 23:42:45 -0500, ingramj@erols.com wrote:

>ingramj@erols.com wrote:
>>
>> In article <34FD219B.D31@primenet.com>,
>> Cheek haters club <wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:
>> >
>> > This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
>> >
>>
>> It appears that a Rogue Canceller is cancelling posts
>> in rec.radio.scanner again!!!
>>
>> Someone from SprintNet has cancelled one of Richard Kendrick's
>> posts to rec.radio.scanner.
>>
>> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>
>Info on the ROGUE CANCEL in rec.radio.scaner can be viewed below:
>
>The headers indicate that the cancel came from Sprint Net.
>
>A tracert of 206.133.225.31 resolves to the following:
>
>Tracing route to sdn-ts-001orportP12.dialsprint.net [206.133.225.31]

[snip]

If your information is accurate and not made up, why don't you just forward it
all to abuse@dialsprint.net and have the retard's account canceled ?

They'll drop him like a hot potato for pulling crap like this.

They can go back and see who was on that IP address at the time of the cancel.

1205. Re: Virtual banks! PLEASE READ!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309135901.IAA15624@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167730

>Subject: Virtual banks! PLEASE READ!
>From: foxcat@mindspring.com (foxcat)
>Date: Sat, Feb 28, 1998 17:12 EST
>Message-id: <foxcat-2802981712020001@ip216.philadelphia6.pa.pub-ip.psi.net>

>The scanner manufacturers should add to scanners...
>
>VIRTUAL BANKS.
>
>Where the user could select the number of channels per bank.

We Opto/Probe 3.0 users have had virtual banks for at least a few years. I can set up hundreds of banks in a single group, and hundreds of groups, which means I can have thousands of virtual banks! Each bank can have any number of channels up to 999. I can link any combination of those banks, assign them to a single function key, thereby creating virtual scanners with virtual banks. I could go on, but then you'll accuse me of bragging, it's that good.

1206. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <3509ed09.4810797@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167731
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 19:58:25 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
wrote:

>Hank Hampton wrote:
>
>> Your old account is gone......self explanatory.
>
>Only because the requirements of my work duties have changed,

(In other words - he was fired)

1207. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <350aed2f.4848853@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 07 Mar 1998 08:18:17 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>
>> Bill Cheek wrote:
>> > That wasn't ME, you nincompoop. I saw 'im, too,
>> > but the SAN.RR.COM domain covers the north half
>> > of San Diego, you idiot. There are a lot of
>
>> Sorry Bill it was TOOOO coincidental. Billy Thunder was on at the
>> same times as you, held all the same opinions & enemies as
>> you, & wrote like you. You are lying!
>
>No, colon-head, I don't lie. I have a high regard
>for truth and straightness.

Except when it comes to deception by posting under another
e-mail address without any explanation as to who you were.

Yea, sure, old man. You're as straight as they come. HAH!

1208. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <3508ebee.4528178@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 19:55:15 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
wrote:

>As USUAL, when asked to provide proof of his statements,
> Bill Cheek can not provide ANYTHING of substance other than
>his child-like comments!

Neither can you, you mental midget.

How many challenges have been put to you to find posts of relevance YOU'VE made?

You've successfully completed ZERO.

1209. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <3507ebcb.4492843@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 07 Mar 1998 00:48:28 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>hampton@concentric.net (Hank Hampton) wrote:
>
>> You were playing "anonymous Joe salesman" until the
>> similarities were pointedout between that account
>> and your real one.
>
>They're BOTH real, you dumbshit. Besides, way before
>then, I was accused of being "Billy Thunder" because
>of "similarities" of the accounts.

I think you truly believe that you didn't try to deceive anyone. I feel sorry
for you, old man.

1210. Re: 900mhz+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.nut>
Message-ID: <350402CF.787A@c-com.nut>
Source record: 167735
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

LordAkira wrote:
>
> Is it worth seeking out a scanner that covers 900mhz or above?
nope

1211. FS. PRO2005 WITH MODS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: S&#65533;ren Kristian Larsen <skl@danavox.dk>
Message-ID: <350401BB.86B52291@danavox.dk>
Source record: 167736
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

One PRO 2005 with the following modifications.

1. 16 block memory mod./ 6.400 channels
2. A data/tone squelch installed. Makes shure the squelch doesnï¿½t
open on pagers,tones
and other digital signals.

3. S-meter circuit installed ready for external use (I use a
Volt-meter)
4. HamComm interface installed ready to decode pagers and others.
5. Discriminatoroutput installed.
6. Switch to turn on/off the beep.

The scanner is in fine condition.

Price: 450.- $ or highest bid.

Reply to: andybenzon@hotmail.com

1212. IBM system for patrol officers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-ij0qPzefnBeD@slip-32-100-175-235.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 167737

Can anyone look at the following URL and tell me what it is that IBM is trying to do? Is this in competition with the Motorola MDT and CAD systems, or what?

http://www.software.ibm.com/news/30e2.html

Thanks.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

1213. Trunker Now Supports Optoscan456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: The_People@Spectrum.Analyzers
Message-ID: <6sUM.511$aR6.1746431@newsgate.direct.ca>
Source record: 167738
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Trunker version 3.5.2.1 is now available at:

http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Lab/1067/

Once you are there, click on Projects and look for
Motorola Trunking software.

This new version adds support for OptoScan456.

1214. Re: rumored new scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309164800.LAA04551@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167739

I spoke to someone at Uniden that confirmed a mobile trunktracker but said that it probably won't be on dealer shelves this year. remember it took many months from when we saw the first pictures of the trunktracker untill we could actually buy one, and there isn't even a picture yet. ALSO i heard that relm is looking into ge/erricson trunktracking although again not by the end of this year.

1215. FS Tenuline coaxial attenutor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e1aee$pgh@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167740

Hi All
I have for sale ATTENUATOR.
Good working codition.
. $ 150.00 Plus shipping
" TENULINE COAXIAL ATTENUTOR "
* Attenuation : 30DB
* Model : 8323
* Watts : 100
* Ohm : 50
- Bird Electronic Corp -
Thanks

1216. FS- 3 Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: omni@indy.net
Message-ID: <6e4dj4$me6$1@news.indy.net>
Source record: 167493

1 Maxon GMRS-210+3
-NEW, 2 watts (5 watts with mobile cord)
- 10 channel uhf

2 TK-430 Kenwoods (1 has the keypad, one is minus a beltclip)
-both power up and displays work I'll attach Kenwood's babble about it

-----begin Kenwood babble

TK-430 (800 MHz)/431 (900 MHz)

TK-430 (800 MHz)/431 (900 MHz) is power in YOUR PALM. The
Kenwood trunked portable radios (LTR) can use any of 16 systems
with 10 groups each. So if your home channel is busy, these handy
portables will search out an open one in a flash. Any of the 16 systems
are programmable for either trunked or conventional operation. They're
built to stand up to the toughest environment, and engineered to the
durability standards of the U.S. Military.

Features:
Scanning - covers both conventional and trunked
channels
Power and Flexibility - with a robust 2.5 watt RF output
or a battery-saving 1 watt low power setting.
Field Programmability - makes it easy to set up,
reconfigure, or expand the system to meet your
every day usage.

Options
Dual Slot/Dual Rate Charger
Rapid Multi-Charger (6 units)
Leather Case
Speaker Microphone

--------end kenwood babble

The Maxon is new..... make an offer

omni@indy.net

1217. Re: AR8000 antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310223101.RAA20437@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167494

Tom,
I'm still using it. Works great!! Works outside, inside, night or day....my wife likes it stiff!!!

Sincerely,
Sigintman

1218. pro-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: zippy@united.com
Message-ID: <3505BFF1.C9C26FFF@united.com>
Source record: 167495

How come the pro-90 can't pick up the cellular freqs at the 900 MHz. freq, while the BearCat 200xlt can?

1219. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: daleeh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310223901.RAA21807@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167496

Bill, I couldn't agree more. I think the best thing to do is ignore bad posts. If someone answers an honest question with some snide remark, we should simply press on with a good answer to the originator and ignore the flame. If we see a dangerous response, i.e. suggesting something that might lead to damage or injury, we should caution the readers about the problem. If, however we simply disagree with a response, we should state our position without resorting to personal comments or even professional assaults. When I see the flame threads, I mass delete them. Of course, I might miss some cute or pithy comments, but I don't read this NG for that, so I don't really miss anything. I suggest those involved in negative posts might want to re-evaluate why they visit this group and maybe try to remember when they were "newbies". Just a thought!
Dale

1220. Re: Antenna question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310224501.RAA27078@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167497

>I'm new to scanning and I want to buy a HF antenna

Can you put up a 100 ft long wire. In my experience, 100 feet of wire in the air will outperform an active antenna. If you can put up more wire, so much the better.

Bill Ford, WB5SXK
Systems Administrator
City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net

1221. Re: Hold him accountable (was: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6e4h18$c0c$1@uni.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 167498
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Ok - but what happens when the local drug dealer sues Grandma Bearcat
for disclosing to the police the transactions she overheard him make
on his cell phone?

Sure, the dealer's crimes are arguably more heinous - but the underlying
principle is the same. The dealer has every bit as much right to privacy
as the politician does (hey - wasn't that part of the contract on America?
no perks, no priviledge?)

If Justice truely is blind (and we all have to hope she is), she cares not
a wit that your favorite politician got dinged in the incident. The folks
that brought us the Newt tape are every bit as guilty as Grandma Bearcat,
and deserve the exact same sentence she gets...

jhayes3rd@digizen.net wrote:
: Karl Dahlquist wrote:
: >
: > Finally!

: I agree!!! We need to hold everyone in Congress accountable for
: the laws that they pass.

: By the way, he also voted "YES" on the new Wireless Privacy Bill
: that the House passed on Friday.

1222. Re: need freq ohio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "MR. JERRY H. KACPRZYCKI" <THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e4hfp$a5v@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167499

Bryan Griffith wrote:
>
> Check out a book available at all RadioShack stores.
>
> --
> bryan@bryan.cl
> UIN: 1842951
> "He who dies with the most toys wins!"
>
> JJJR wrote in message
> <6cpga7ipi1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>...
> I need freq for lorain county sherrif, elyria
> police,lagrange
> police,grafton police any help would help.
YOU CAN ALSO TRY THE ALL OHIO SCANNER CLUB NEWSLETTER----
AMERICAN SCANNERGRAM

TRY MONITORING TIMES

TRY POPULAR COMMUNICATIONS

TRY NATIONAL SCANNING REPORT

1223. Re: Anyone know state laws re: using scanner in car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dac_nospam@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <uaTRMIHT9GA.316@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 167500

In article <19980308190000.OAA21377@ladder02.news.aol.com>, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:
>In article <6duio9$1t3$0@207.18.224.27>, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) >writes:
>
>>I suspect you just have a very convulated story of the HAM in
>>Hopkinsville KY a few years ago, who had his HTX-202 confiscated.
>
>Yes, that's the one.
>
>
>>He was a teenager, but not on his bicycle. And, after talking
>>personally to some of the people involved, there was much
>>more to the story than made the internet.
>
>Yes, I have heard all versions. Whatever he did or did not do, however, there
>was no legal grounds for the local police to confiscate his amateur radio.
>None whatsoever. This was NOT a scanner...in fact, as everyone knows, the
>HTX-202 cannot even be modified for out-of-band reception! He had a license
>and a federally-granted right to carry that radio. Should have sued the
>department for violating his civil rights, IMO.
>

IF it were a "Civil Right" then you wouldn't need a license for it.

You, like most people, confuse privledges with rights. Driving is a privledge, you have to be licensed to legally drive. Living is a right, you don't need a license to be alive <grin>.

And even real "rights" have limits. My rights end where your rights begin.

Don

>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

1224. how do I choose a new scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Asnow <asnow@XXXexcelr8.net>
Message-ID: <3505C5B7.C277FB00@XXXexcelr8.net>
Source record: 167501

I am hoping you can help me with the purchase of a new scanner. I currently own a Uniden BC220XLT which I purchased about 4 years ago. I would now like to buy a full featured scanner and see what I have been missing.
There are so many possibilities as far as companies making scanners and models made by them and I am hoping that you will be able to assist me if not in making that decision to at least help me narrow down the options.

What I would like in a scanner follows:
? Portability. I would like a handheld.
? Full frequency coverage, no gaps from a few hundred K to 1.3 Ghz + (my current scanner Gaps at 174 ï¿½ 406 Mhz and cellular) guess I'll have to buy it out of the US.
? A price not exceeding (by much) $600.00
? A unit I can use to decode WEFAX, POCSAG, and other such transmissions into my home PC. (apparently I need to find a unfiltered DC-coupled discriminator-output MOD for my scanner before I can decode such information)
? A scanner that is not going to be limited in what it can do straight out of the box.

From what I have read so far the AR8000 is supposed to be the best scanner around, And I would love to couple that with the Optoelectronics Scout for reaction tuningï¿½ï¿½ but that may be higher than my $600.00 mark, and is it still considered the best scanner? I believe it was available when I bought my Uniden 4 years ago. Are there other scanners that have come out by other companies that can match or beat the AR8000? Are there any scanners other than the AR8000 that can reaction tune? What about in the near future?
I really don't have a favorite band to listen to, basically if it is there I will listen to it whether that is the local mall, an air show or some 800 Mhz activity to top off a night. I also bring the scanner with me when traveling by plane or ship, so a near field tuner or reaction tuner would be great to pick up local frequencies I could otherwise miss.

I have had some interest in the WinRadio and PCR-1000 units. Both of these units would be great from what I have read so far, but I am not ready to invest in a laptop to connect them to for portable use. I believe a handheld would really be my best choice now. But they sure are tempting!

There are just so many options available, and I have no way of actually seeing any of these units or trying them before I purchase them. So

basically if I gave you $600.00 what would you buy as the best combination of a scanner and a Near field Receiver (like the scout, or R11).

Just remove the "XXX" from my email to reply by mail.

1225. WTB: ICOM IC-R1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JiLLiS <sm3weo@gyld.online.se>
Message-ID: <3505AD3F.A9CC6DC2@gyld.online.se>
Source record: 167502

I want to buy a icom ic-r1 scanner.
mail me your price!
sm3weo@gyld.online.se

1226. Re: Frequencies too long?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "MR. JERRY H. KACPRZYCKI" <THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e4hrn$ddu@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167503

John Meyer wrote:
>
> I have norticed that some police frequencies are too long for my
> scanner. For example 865.4625 I can't add the last five. Plus,
> I am new at this, and many of them say "trunked". Can anyone help me
> on both of these problems? tks
IF YOUR SCANNER CAN TUNE INTO FREQUENCIES WITH A FOUR DIGIT SUFFIX THEN
JUST TRY PROGRAMMING THE NUMBER THE WAY YOU SEE IT WRITTEN DOWN. THE
SCANNER SHOULD AUTOMATICALLY DROP THE LAAST NUMBER BUT YOU STILL SHOULD
BE ABLE TO LISTEN TO THE TRANSMISSION

1227. Re: Frequencies too long?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "MR. JERRY H. KACPRZYCKI" <THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e4huh$ddu@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167504

John Meyer wrote:
>
> I have norticed that some police frequencies are too long for my
> scanner. For example 865.4625 I can't add the last five. Plus,
> I am new at this, and many of them say "trunked". Can anyone help me
> on both of these problems? tks
ON THE OTHER HAN IF YOU WANT TO LISTEN TO TRUNKED SYSTEMS THEN YOUR BEST
BET IS TO GET A TRUNKING SCANNER OR SOME TYPE OF PROGRAM THAT YOU CAN
DOWNLOAD INTO YOUR COMPUTER THAT WILL CONTROL YOUR SCANNER

1228. Re: Hold him accountable (was: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "MR. JERRY H. KACPRZYCKI" <THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e4i3c$flp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167505
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Brent Corbin wrote:
>
> Ok - but what happens when the local drug dealer sues Grandma Bearcat
> for disclosing to the police the transactions she overheard him make
> on his cell phone?
>
> Sure, the dealer's crimes are arguably more heinous - but the underlying
> principle is the same. The dealer has every bit as much right to privacy
> as the politician does (hey - wasn't that part of the contract on America?
> no perks, no priviledge?)
>
> If Justice truely is blind (and we all have to hope she is), she cares not
> a wit that your favorite politician got dinged in the incident. The folks
> that brought us the Newt tape are every bit as guilty as Grandma Bearcat,
> and deserve the exact same sentence she gets...
>
> jhayes3rd@digizen.net wrote:
> : Karl Dahlquist wrote:
> : >
> : > Finally!
>
> : I agree!!! We need to hold everyone in Congress accountable for
> : the laws that they pass.
>
> : By the way, he also voted "YES" on the new Wireless Privacy Bill
> : that the House passed on Friday.
HEY EQAUL RRRIGHTS, DUDE.
JUSTICE CAN BE A HE TOO

1229. Amateur radio stamp t-shirt?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310232700.SAA00187@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167506

I bought a t-shirt via US Mail a while back that has a large copy of the Amateur Radio 5 cent stamp on it. Does anyone know where I can can buy another one of these? Any info on this will be greatly appreciated.

73
Zack Schindler
N8FNR

1230. Re: Radio Shack scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRITO BANDITO <THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e4k0g$d5r@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167507

John McCoy Jr wrote:
>
> I have a pro 2004 scanner that needs to be repaired where do I send
> it??? Please e-mail me if you can help me
>
> Thanks JOHN
WELL TRY YOUR LOCAL RADIO SHACK OR RADIO SHHACK DEALER OR TRY
TECH AMERICA.

IT MIGHT WORK.

JUST A SUGGESTION

1231. Re: 900Mhz Walkie Talkie with Telephone Base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRITO BANDITO <THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e4k43$e66@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167508

Cachy wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> Is there're anyone knows where I can purchase a 900Mhz Walkie Talkie (around
> 2 miles range) that can hook up to a telephone base (Can make phone calls
> through the telephone set).. ?
>
> Any help is greatly appreciated..
>
> Thanks.
>
> Cachy
WELL THAT WOULD BE COOL

1232. Re: handheld trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dac_nospam@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <errC8RHT9GA.333@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 167509

In article <34f981e1.48761268@news.i-plus.net>, zorro@aoi.com wrote:
>What's the BEST handheld trunktracker around? anybody know? any help
>would be appreciated!!!!!!!

There is no "best"...there is only one, both radios are identical and both made by Uniden.

1233. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dac_nospam@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <ubm3xKHT9GA.295@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 167510

In article <19980306004400.TAA14111@ladder02.news.aol.com>, jvillafane@aol.com (JVillafane) wrote:
>the only law broken here was nothing got done about the conversation that newt
>gingrich was talking about he bitch and moam an got this new law pass. but if
>that was a police officer
>that heard a conversation about illigal activity they would find that person
>and arrest him or her under the saying conspiracy to comit a crime and aint
>that the truth and nothing but the truth.
>
>
NO...it's not the truth. Cops can't just listen...they need a court order.

Don

1234. $100 Radio Free

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris007@apc.net
Message-ID: <3505d194.3771589@news.apc.net>
Source record: 167511

go to: www.100bucks.ml.org
Answer this question and we will give you a $100 radio or cold hard
cash (your option).

1235. New Sony Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3505D6A1.BA6@ibm.net>
Source record: 167512
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,triangle.scanner

Thanks to Alex Blaha of Scanning USA magazine for providing the latest details on the new scanners from Sony!

The New Sony ICF-SC1PC Scanning Receiver
* Bi-Directional PC Interface with Search And Control Capabilities
* Supplied CD-ROM Lists All Receivable Frequencies Throughout The US
* Use CD-ROM with PC Interface to search frequencies and to create files using a variety of search mode options
* Scans all frequencies allowed by the FCC from 25 MHz to 1, 300 MHz (with the exception of cellular communications bands)
* PLL synthesized scanning
* 300 channel memory
* One-button access to police, air, fire/emergency, weather, marine, FM and TV frequencies
* Intelligent Active memory system
* Variety of Programmable features
* AM and Narrow/wide FM reception
* Supplied Frequency guidebook

Sony will offer it's new radio scanners in electronic, hobby and specialty stores beginning in April. Call Sony at 1-800-222- SONY (7669). Be sure to tell them that SCANNING USA Magazine sent you.

More details and a product review of the Sony scanner will be in future articles of Scanning USA Magazine.

Scanning USA
Joliet, IL
1-800-651-0922

A copy of this release will be kept at my Strong Signals web site.
Thanks for your attention and happy monitoring!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/RADIO.HTM
New Scanner User FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1236. FS RS Pro-2006 w/OS456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rico Johnston <ricoj@nmia.com>
Message-ID: <3505D712.6B641753@nmia.com>
Source record: 167513

For sale: RS Pro-2006 with the Optoelectronics OS456 computer interface
board.
OS456 was installed by Marymac when I bought it new.
Cellular and speed mods have been made.
Display light has been used VERY little because it has
been run from computer.
Whole system is like new.
Includes original box and manuals.
$600 plus shipping and COD

e-mail: ricoj@nmia.com

1237. Milwaukee Medflight freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Vieth <vieths@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3505DA54.43545C41@ameritech.net>
Source record: 167514
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi:

I know there are some fellow Milwaukee scanner-philes reading
r.r.s. and a.r.s.

Does anyone know the frequency that Medflight
(that's what we called it in Madison, maybe it's Flight for
Life here in MKE) uses when they are out on a call?
It seems to me that they'd have to contact the tower
at Mitchell Field when they're buzzing around MKE to make
sure that no big jets smack into the chopper but I've never
heard any radio traffic from Mitchell talking to helicopters.

Thanks.

-Scott in 'Tosa

1238. Line of Sight?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tvine@teleport.com
Message-ID: <tvine-1003981738390001@pdx49-a48-44.teleport.com>
Source record: 167515

Can anyone tell me how line of sight is affected of the curvature of the earth? TIA>>>>>>

1239. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3505F6EA.1D0D@usa.net>
Source record: 167516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Cheek wrote:

> *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > & called YOU a "nincompoop"!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!1
>
> Who?

WHO the HELL have we been talking about???? YOU Bill, that's who!

> quadrasexual like

Of course you can find no legit arguement to support or defend
yourself with so resort AGAIN to the only thing you know, wierd
sexual stuff.

> (That's short for hermaphrodite.)

See above comment.

1240. Re: Cordless Phone 216MHz ??????????????????????????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6e4ppm$o3v@suriname.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167517

I received a 46 mhz image on the 470 band last weekend. just one of those things!

Karl
http://vistagroupusa.com/burbank.htm

1241. Book GrandMa too!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6e4pn2$o0m@suriname.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I dont have a problem with letting a drug dealer walk due to grandma hearing him on her illegally-modified scanner. What if she heard an image on a baby monitor? An "accidental" occurance. Let him walk then too. The law should apply equally.

Karl Dahlquist
karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com

1242. Bill Cheek gets SLAMMED again!!! was:Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3505F743.133@usa.net>
Source record: 167519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Well done!

VERY well done Hank!

Hank Hampton wrote:

> On Sat, 07 Mar 1998 00:48:28 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:
> >They're BOTH real, you dumbshit. Besides, way before
> >then, I was accused of being "Billy Thunder" because
> >of "similarities" of the accounts.

> I think you truly believe that you didn't try to deceive anyone. I feel sorry
> for you, old man.

x

1243. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3505F953.52E2@usa.net>
Source record: 167520

Bill Cheek wrote:

> We were talking about Windows NT, of which you don't know
> beans from weenies.

I OBVIOUSLY know more about Win NT than YOU! Hell, you didn't
even know there was a way to automate the login procedure!

> A script, you dumbshit, which happens to override
> NT's inherent security.

OBVIOUSLY, IDIOT, ANYTHING automated (when dealing with
computers) is going to compromise security!

1244. Re: AOR 1000 repairs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C.J. LEE" <lml@cstonedesign.com>
Message-ID: <3505EE90.6417F82A@cstonedesign.com>
Source record: 167521

Hey Guys;
No problems with the AR1000 but worn out
case(cover). Anybody know where I might get a
replacement for it.

1245. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3505F9E2.FFC@usa.net>
Source record: 167522

Bill Cheek wrote:

> I booted six or eight people in all the time I
> was there....

NO, you are GROSSLY under reporting the truth.
Would you like me to post the comments you made when
kicking each one off back then?

> You are so wretchedly ignorant. I wasn't on Fido
> mast Fall, dumbshit.

Right, but you sent them to my fidonet account from your internet
account. So you are attempting to deceive again!

1246. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3505FBFF.48D6@usa.net>
Source record: 167523
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Eric is blind, we have no confirmation that he is
retarted, YET.

Macaroon wrote:
> Come on. You're being WAY too nice to the retard. Only 3 ??!!

1247. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3505F1B8.33971AC2@usa.net>
Source record: 167524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net> wrote:
>

(snip)

> > Just because Ollie expresses a desire for a nicer atmosphere in this
> > group doesn't mean he can't control his computer or he feel victimized
> > or molested. I certainly didn't read any of that characterization into
> > Ollie's post.
>
> Well, hell, you can't read all that well, man. Take
> me ferinstance, I don't come on here sniveling and
> whining to people for the way they do things. And I
> don't see an atmosphere on this newsgroup, either.

I do and it seems Ollie and I are not alone.

>
> It's whatever the hell I want to see in it, regardless
> of who does what to whom. In a short time, I am slapping
> Smacksie, Petey, Hankie, and a few others back on my
> Shit List and going on with business.

Seem you are well overdue to get back to business Bill.

> The way I see it is anyone can make of it whatever
> they want..... and there is no way anyone can force
> anything on anyone else. So good ol' Ollie came on
> here whining and sniveling about what a trashed up
> newsgroup this is.....when in fact, he has the choice
> of making it utter heaver or sheer hell, regardless of
> what anyone else does.

Maybe in your mind he did but I don't agree. There is no way you will
ever convince me that the 100's of BS crap posted on here hasn't driven
away talent. Yes we can all use filters and such but in reality many
have just said screw it and don't bother to contribute to this
newsgroup. All the virtual bull crap babble aside that is a fact.

> He ALWAYS has the choice. But
> he piped in as a "poor ol' victim"....like he'd bent
> over and someone just helped theirself.

The guy was 100% correct. Your was as expected by him and countless others including myself. I don't see him as the poor old victim as you do and there lies the difference.

> Rubbish! It's that way only if YOU want it that way.
> He just as easily could have piped in, frothing over
> at the mouth, cup runnething over, and observed that
> this newsgroup was the coolest place he'd ever seen on
> earth.

Yea, right. That makes no sense at all. Seems opinions that your on going dance with Mackey cause you to froth at the mouth. You could have just ignored it but those comments always send you off on your virtual sermon.

> He could have observed that just as easily as
> the opposite extreme that he noted.

He could have if he was a moron. It was far better before Mackey showed up which is directly related to you showing up. You remove the noise and the level of meaningful posts will rise, or it certainly seems that way to me. I would be more than happy to be proven wrong but it isn't going to happen. Only a fool or an idiot would argue that 100's of off topic messages help improve the quality and number of participants of this newsgroup.

> There is no REALITY here, my friend,.....other than
> the reality that we CHOOSE to create.

What cyber-babble Bill. Give it up.

> Me....I like to please a lot of people, so I go betwixt
> the two extremes from time to time. Smacksie, Petey,
> and Hankie need pleasing same as everyone else. So
> they snivel, whine, and blow great big snotbubbles and
> want to hose 'em down. So I do. It makes them happy.

Geeze Bill, get a grip. You feed your ego or something with your little Mackey battles. It is your reality that seems disconnected from the rest. You must really feel good showing up an idiot like him day after day after day after day after day and then twice on other days.

> Then I post stuff about scanners and answer questions
> on 'em. I'm happy. You're happy. Everyone's happy.
> Nobody gets left out.

yawn

> Even Ollie......fer example.....he even observed right
> off that he was going to get hosed. Do YOU ever do that?

When it involves posts that have any connection to you that aren't praise I can say
I would normally bet on you posting a similar response as you did to

Ollie. You are very predictable in that sense Bill.

> I don't. I don't think you do. Why not? Because it is
> an explicit invitation to others to come around and bend
> you over and help theirself. They guy WANTED a hosing, see?
> Else, he'd have just made his point, if he had one......

Well some of us got and understood his point others including you
didn't. Maybe your mind is too intent on looking at things as if they
are all bent over. I dunno, it does seem to be a popular theme of yours
lately.

> See, the problem is that people can't understand a world
> where there are no victims and no heroes. But that is
> the way is here in these virtual forums. We all are
> armed to the teeth, and we possess or have the capability
> to possess perfect force fields as well as perfect plasma
> ray hyperzipzapwarp guns.

More cyberbabble and excuses for behaviors one normally would not
exhibit in public.

> Read good ol' Ollie's post again, word for word, and
> see where he welcomed a good hosing for his dismal
> view of the world around him. He said a lot and gave
> away a lot of himself.....poor fellow. But then he's
> used to being a victim....same as a mistreated dog
> doesn't know any difference.

Have you considered putting all this in a FAQ? In the future you could
just post the FAQ. I've seen this line from you so often it would save
you lots of time. Again, you see Ollie in a different light than I do.

> The main difference, however, is that dogs can't choose
> whereas people can. Like you, ferinstance....you can
> tell people to eat your shorts.....or offer to eat theirs.
> Or....express a disgust for shorts in the diet, period.

I usually don't get into such nonsense. Once and a while for Boy Prozacs
sake but that is it.

> Me, I like anchovies on my pizza...
>
> <shrug>
>
> It's always a matter of choice here in "virtuality".

Cyber-babble Bill. All of life is choice sooner or later.

> Tell me it ain't.

Why? That burning desire you have to argue and show all what you are
made of? Most all of us know Bill. We have seen and heard it from you a
million times. No thanks, no more today for me. Go play with Mackey, we

are through here I think.

Glenn

1248. Phone dialer tone decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <3505F433.FEF73886@netwit.com>
Source record: 167525
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Anyone know of any software that will convert phone dialing tones to numbers?

1249. Re: Phone dialer tone decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: leo <leon@cgocable.net>
Message-ID: <350600c0.0@news.cgocable.net>
Source record: 167526
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

allsafe wrote in message <3505F433.FEF73886@netwit.com>...
>Anyone know of any software that will convert phone dialing tones to
>numbers?
>
>
Try wintn20.zip you can find it at www.shareware.com. It should be able to
help ya

Signals

/
/
/
<-------@ I can hear you
\
\
\

1250. Re: Line of Sight?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35060160.189F659C@usa.net>
Source record: 167527

From: tvine@teleport.com (bud powell)
^^^^^^^^^^
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Line of Sight?
Date: Tue, 10 Mar 1998 17:38:39 -0800
Organization: ***
Lines: 2
Message-ID: <tvine-1003981738390001@pdx49-a48-44.teleport.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pdx49-a48-28.teleport.com
X-Newsreader: Yet Another NewsWatcher 2.1.8

bud powell wrote:
>
> Can anyone tell me how line of sight is affected of the curvature of the
> earth?

Is affected of? It isn't.

So what now Petey? Pretending to be a pool player now? Bud Powell,
bawahahaaha!

Who will prozac boy be tomorrow?

1251. LF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew <ve1vvv@rac.ca>
Message-ID: <6e51l5$886$1@news21.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 167528

Anybody ever copy anything around 73Khz?? I was wondering how far out the signal goes..(its encrypted, but you will know you are on it by the data). Thanks.

1252. Re: PRO-67 Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6e52rc$8k8$1@news10.ispnews.com>
Source record: 167529

You bought the wrong scanner if you're trying to receive cellular.

Bill Crocker

wwfrank@erols.com wrote in message <6e2rmd$1g0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I recently purchased the PRO-67 hand held scanner. So far, I
>haven't been able to find any info concerning mods, ie. freq extension,
>recovery of locked out freqs, etc. Can anyone advise where I might find
>this info? Has anyone seen any writeups concerning the performance of the
>radio? So far, it seems to be a great performer.
>
>
>Wally
>
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1253. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 167530
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.

Big business wanted a cheap means to avoid encryption of CelTel radios. It would be funny McDermott has the law over turned!

Bob Eisner wrote:
> Congressman Sues Over Taped Call
>
> By DAVID ESPO
> Associated Press Writer
>
> WASHINGTON (AP) Rep. Jim McDermott intends to "vigorously defend"
> himself against a first-of-its-kind lawsuit charging he leaked the
> contents of an illegally taped cellular phone call involving House
> Speaker Newt Gingrich.
>
> "This suit is part of a yearlong vendetta against Congressman McDermott
> because of his key role" in the ethics probe of Gingrich, his attorney,
> Frank Cicero Jr., said in a statement Monday shortly after Rep. John
> Boehner, R-Ohio, went to court.
>
> Boehner's suit against McDermott, D-Wash., is believed to be the first
> case of one congressman suing another over his private actions rather
> than as a challenge to his official duties, lawyers on both sides said.
>
> McDermott is "sued in his personal capacity," says the suit, filed in
> federal court in Washington.
>
> Boehner's lawyer, Michael Carvin, said the distinction should quell any
> attempt by McDermott to defend himself by using the constitutional
> protections given members of Congress.
>
> In his complaint, Boehner, the fourth-ranking Republican in the House,
> accused McDermott of providing the contents of the illegally taped call
> to The New York Times, The Atlanta Journal-Constitution and Roll Call, a
> newspaper that covers Congress. Participants in the Dec. 21, 1996, call
> included Boehner, Gingrich and other members of the House Republican
> leadership.
>
> A Florida couple pleaded guilty to illegally taping portions of the

> call, and said they provided the tape to McDermott.
>
> "The disclosure (by McDermott) ... was for private, partisan purposes,
> and was not essential to, or even related to, the legislative process,"
> the suit alleges. "The disclosure was also made in wanton, reckless and
> malicious disregard for plaintiff's rights."
>
> McDermott responded with a brief statement that said the suit is
> "obviously politically motivated and I refuse to dignify it with a
> comment."
>
> Cicero, his attorney, added, "We intend to vigorously defend against
> this suit. We deny all claims of any wrongdoing and expect to prevail."
>
> Boehner asked for monetary damages as well as punitive damages.
>
> Regardless of the outcome, the suit appears to pose political jeopardy
> or potential embarrassment for some Democrats.
>
> Officials involved in the case say Carvin, Boehner's lawyer, is likely
> to seek to question McDermott as well as Rep. Karen Thurman, D-Fla.,
> whose office briefly had custody of the tape, as well as aides to House
> Democratic Whip David Bonior of Michigan.
>
> Boehner was in Florida at the time of the phone call. During the
> conversation, he, Gingrich, Majority Leader Dick Armey, R-Texas, and
> other lawmakers and aides planned strategy in advance of an announcement
> from the ethics committee that a settlement had been reached in the
> speaker's ethics case.
>
> Gingrich wound up admitting to ethics violations and agreed to pay a
> $300,000 penalty. The GOP high command was maneuvering at the time to
> make sure the disposition of the case didn't jeopardize Gingrich's
> campaign to win re-election as speaker.
>
> Boehner filed his suit as a Justice Department probe into the taping of
> the call slowly proceeded.
>
> John and Alice Martin, the Florida couple, pleaded guilty nearly a year
> ago to using a radio scanner to intentionally intercept the call. The
> Martins were fined $500 each last April and agreed to cooperate with the
> investigation. The Martins also said they delivered the original tape to
> McDermott.
>
> Congressional sources, speaking on condition of anonymity, say the
> criminal investigation stalled after McDermott sought to stop
> prosecutors from compelling testimony from two of his own aides, as well
> as James Cole, who headed the ethics committee investigation into
> Gingrich. McDermott has cited a constitutional provision designed to
> shield lawmakers from legal jeopardy arising from the exercise of their

> official duties, these sources added.
>
> Should a similar claim be made in the civil suit, it would be up to a
> judge to decide how the case would proceed.
>
> The Journal-Constitution and Roll Call had no immediate comment on the
> suit. A spokesman at the Times said the paper "doesn't discuss its
> sources."
>
> (10 Mar 1998 03:43 EST)

1254. Re: ICOM R10 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duane Park <dspark@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6e58gg$sj9@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167531

I figured for $12-13.00, it was worth the gamble....
I agree with the others, the dos version sucks...
Thought I saw somewhere that there is a Windows
version..... but you'll have to pay a lot more for that
one I'm sure.....

jhall@bledsoe.net wrote in message <6e2aum$ll5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Does anyone have any info on Icom's programming software for the R10. I'm
>thinking about buying it but don't know it's worth. Any comments
appreciated
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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1255. Re: MINT Pro-2006 FS: $285.00 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doubleduce2 <doubleduce2@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4be2$fdd308c0$aa7cccd0@web-master>
Source record: 167543

Are you interested in doing some trading for computer gear or something?.
Please email me at khk@commkey.net if you are interested. Thanks.

Thomas W. Demers <ad178@FreeNet.Carleton.CA> wrote in article
<6doasd$stp@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>
> Comes with original box, manual, and antenna.
>
> --
> Life's too short to worry... :)
>

1256. PRO-67 Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wwfrank@erols.com
Message-ID: <6e2rmd$1g0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167544

I recently purchased the PRO-67 hand held scanner. So far, I haven't been able to find any info concerning mods, ie. freq extension, recovery of locked out freqs, etc. Can anyone advise where I might find this info? Has anyone seen any writeups concerning the performance of the radio? So far, it seems to be a great performer.

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1257. Scanner antenna? Diamond? You like it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: buck100@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3504ec01.29477796@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167545

Anyon got one ot those diamnd antenna for their AR8K or anyother scanner.

How does it compare?

1258. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3510ec16.22210325@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167546

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > You SAILED from it....with the greatest
> > of ease....like the man on the flying trapeze....
>
> Yea, all those LIES you made up about my activity
> worked pretty good to a sysop who was not aware of the
> real situation!

I've explained that to you a hundred times, you
stinking lunatic. For the umpteenth time, I didn't
need a reason to kick your ass off. I could have
done it for no reason at all. But you acted the
fetid fairy, so I sent you sailing. Big time.

> > and you had a smoking imprint of a Size #13EE
> > crosswise on your sorry patooty.
>
> And when I came to deal with you, YOU ended up with
> a imprint of my size# 15EEE boot on YOUR pathetic ass!

Those were your Size #15EEE *lips*, Hermie.

> > > I came here only to find a MASSIVE
> > > flame war with nearly everyone against Bill Cheek

> > Yes, you came here to find one, and when
> > you didn't find it, you started it.

> Oh, it WAS NOT started by ME, would you like me to post some
> NG messages from that time to show who the people were that
> started it? (you KNOW I can do it!)

Do it. You ain't got a hair in your arse, if
you don't.

> Notice how Bill wants to change the subject to
> the fidonet problems of 2 or 3 years ago. He does
> NOT want to talk about the problems he has cause this forum!

This is a virtual forum, you nincompoop. Problems
can't be caused here.....not real ones, anyway.

> > Your arse is still sore from my Size #13EE.
>
> You are even MORE sore about my size# 15EEE boot

You mean your LIPS. Tsk. tsk. tsk.

1259. FS: MINT Pro-2035 $300 plus shipping

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Flatter <bill@bigsky.net>
Message-ID: <3504F32B.4E9@bigsky.net>
Source record: 167547
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

If you are in need of a new scanner I have one sitting on a shelf in
it's box collecting dust. It is brand new and has only been taken out
the box once. Drop me a line.

bill@bigsky.net
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If you are planning a trip to Montana this year then go here
first, http://www.missoula-mall.com for all your travel needs
such as lodging, dining and guide service.

1260. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3504FDD2.D2512793@usa.net>
Source record: 167548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net> wrote:
>
> > Bill Cheek wrote:
> > >
> > > olp@texas.net (Ollie Pruitt) wrote:
> > >
> > > > I know I'll burn in hell for this but...

(snip)

> >
> > > You shouldn't let an inanimate object possess you like
> > > that. It's another personal problem that will get you
> > > into a whole world of very deep doo-doo.
>
> > So you too seem to have a "problem" with Ollie expressing his opinion?
>
> Why do you think that? You eat something that disagreed
> with you tonight?
>
> > I mean you really got me confused here. OK, maybe easy to do but who
> > forced you to read his post?
>
> No one. Why?

It seemed to have your negative hairs standing straight and I just
wondered why you even responded to it.

>
> > It seems as if Ollie's opinion has become
> > your personal problem.
>
> Why does it seem that way?

For one you are well over the 25 words or less standard.

> Is Petie Joe Boe your personal problem?
> Did he dip into your shorts or something? I can't
> imagine that being so.....but what's the difference?

HEHEHEHE! No, but he doesn't even post things that relate to computers,
scanning or the like. He is one of the last of the Toilet Boy groupies
and has no reason to try and keep this newsgroup a kinder and gentler

place.

Anyway, he has changed his name to Bud or something and now believes he was never been on prozac. I guess the studio apartment, kiddy piano lessons and miserable life are all behind him now.

>
> > > Words to the wise, my friend.
>
> > In the end, the spirit of Rodney King seeps through! ;-)
>
> Not with Smacksie around, it doesn't. Anyway, I was just
> answering that feller and wondering how's come he couldn't
> control his own computer. And kind of trying to plant the
> idea that he can control it and he doesn't need to be
> victimized and molested.

> ....unless he wants to, of course.

Just because Ollie expresses a desire for a nicer atmosphere in this group doesn't mean he can't control his computer or he feel victimized or molested. I certainly didn't read any of that characterization into Ollie's post.

Life goes on.....

1261. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3505128B.32A7@usa.net>
Source record: 167549

As even CB Guy pointed out, it was a forge, I didn't do it.

If you look at the headers, you would know that.

I dunno, maybe the WebTV system won't let you do that?

So BACK OFF!

Dennis Lassetter wrote:
> Normal response from such low a life moron.

1262. Re: Mackey's idea of a scanner related post.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35051394.6C94@usa.net>
Source record: 167550

Bill Spang-

Look at the headers of that message. It was a forgery,
I didn't write it.

So back off!

BillSpang wrote:
> Here's John Mackey's idea of a helpful scanner related post>

1263. Re: Norge og GSM (Norway and cellular phonesystem GSM) Winradio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: phn@login.dknet.dkx
Message-ID: <6e324k$mk1$1@news.dknet.dk>
Source record: 167551

rayhil@nospam.online.no writes:

>Is there possible to listen to GSM transmission whit Winradio in
>Norway??

No it's not possible to listen to GSM.

The transsmissions are digital and encrypted and they use special
techniques like multiplexing which ordinary scanners including
Winradio does not support.

Regards
Per

--

Per H. Nielsen <phn@login.dknet.dkx>
My Danish Scanner Pages: http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/9880/
To reply to this remove trailing 'x' from my address.

1264. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <350502F7.21F3EDB5@triax.com>
Source record: 167552

Amen and thankyou. I agree one hundred percent. Enough is enough.

R wrote:

> I am fairly new to this NG and scanning in general but I have got a
> question for ya'all. Why is it that every time I come here to read up on
> the latest in the scanner world I have to wade through tons of of BS about
> this Bill Cheek character. Can't we just ignore him and his ramblings and
> just discuss the topic we are all here to enjoy and learn more about. Just
> my opinion. If you dont like it just ignore it
>
> rbarrett@thegrid.net
> --
> Just me

1265. Re: Frequencies too long?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Theo & Tia Maria <kastoria@total.net>
Message-ID: <3504E62B.1CDC@total.net>
Source record: 167553

Bigdad wrote:
>
> John Meyer wrote:
> >
> > I have norticed that some police frequencies are too long for my
> > scanner. For example 865.4625 I can't add the last five. Plus,
> > I am new at this, and many of them say "trunked". Can anyone help me
> > on both of these problems? tks
>
> Just drop the last digit...the scanner wont miss it one little bit
> --
> Remove NOSPAM from the address to reply...
> Please send all junk mail to:
> Bill Gates c/o Microsoft
your missing all the action if u dont have a trunker scanner for those
freq...seriously, now i have one.. what a difference.

1266. Re: Making Pro-64 computer interface work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3505191f.5143891@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167554

On 10 Mar 1998 06:26:42 GMT, mroberds@worldnet.att.net (Matt Roberds) wrote:

>Hello all!
>
>I am having some trouble getting the Pro-64 computer programming to work
>and I wonder if anyone can give me some suggestions.
>
>I built the cable per the specs in both Ken Plotkin's LOAD documentation
>and Bob Hruska's WWW page. I used about six feet of standard four-wire
>telephone cable with one wire unused. There is a DB9 on one end with
>2, 3, and 5 connected. On the other end there is a 1/8" stereo jack
>with the suggested 1K resistor across tip and ring. I was going to use
>a short 1/8 stereo-to-1/8 stereo cord I had (about 6" long), but I
>couldn't find it, so I used one about 6' long to give me a total length
>of about 12'. My DMM says the whole assembly is OK as far as opens
>and shorts.
>
>I followed the recommended procedure: scanner off, connect cable, hold
>3 and Enter and turn on. I got the "PC PGM" message on the display,
>but that's about as far as I was able to get. Using the "LOAD" program,
>I sometimes got a 1-Error (checksum error) or 3-Error (communications
>error) but never a completed load or a "PC-Connect" display. I was
>trying to load the short sample list that comes with the LOAD program.
>I also tried modifying the timing in the LOAD.CFG file, and this didn't
>seem to help much. As suggested, I tried using the reset button on
>the side, both by itself and in conjunction with the Clear key as
>explained in the manual. No joy.
>
>I then tried to "do it myself" using a terminal program. I used Telix
>in TTY mode, 2400 8N2, "Enter" sends CR/LF. Bob Hruska's page indicates
>that as soon as you send the $999*F9 "attention" command, the scanner
>should say "PC-Connect". I was unable to get this message. Here again,
>I tried the reset/clear sequences.
>
>Thinking perhaps I had a bum serial port on the computer, I tried the
>other (known good) port with both LOAD and Telix...same results.
>I even wondered if the 1K resistor was there to provide some kind of
>feedback or level adjustment from the audio back into the data line,
>so I tried it with the squelch on (silent) and with the squelch off
>and the volume about 75% of the way up. Of course, I couldn't hear
>it with the cable connected, but I was guessing that it might make
>a difference - it did not.
>

>Any ideas on where to go next? I am thinking of trying it on a
>different computer. The one I tried all this with is a P5-100 running
>DOS 6.22/WFW 3.11 with two 16550 serial ports on the motherboard.
>I have read that some "kinda-sorta" RS232 interfaces, like I suspect
>the PRO-64 is using, don't get along with "some" serial ports. Other
>possibilities are clipping the 1K resistor, trying a shorter cable,
>and maybe disconnecting the "tip" wire. The radio itself is a 7A7
>date code, and seems to work fine when programming it from the keyboard.
>
>I really can't complain, anyway, as this is a major upgrade from
>my previous scanner, a Pro-20?? 20-channel woodgrain base model. :)
>And I do appreciate the work that people have already done to figure
>out this interface and make the programs available. Any further
>suggestions, hints, or tips-and-tricks for making this work would be
>appreciated. Thanks!
>

I made my cable using Ken Plotkins recommendations and it works fine
with both my PRO-64 and my PRO-2041. I would suggest trying it
without the resistor and the tip wire. If that doesn't work, try a
shorter cable.

Nobody seems to know what the 1K resistor is for but it doesn't seem
to be necessary nor does the tip to DB9 pin 2.

I'm also using WFWG 3.11 but on an old 386 DX40 that I had laying
around. Which COM Port are you using? I think only 1 and 2 are
supported by LOAD. Maybe Ken can give you a hand, his e-mail
address is:

kplotkin@access.digex.net

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

1267. Re: HELP Regency Hand held

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6e39pd$9bp$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 167555

mike (abuse@ma.ultranet.com) wrote:
: I have an OLD regency HX 1200 anyone have ant info on repair places or
: spec/operation manuals? I believe it only needs a new LCD screen and a
: battery. Thanks MIKE

You also might want to call G & G Communications in Leroy, NY(they have a
URL too).
They may well have a "junker" that they can pull a LCD out of.
Worst case, they might offer you a little money-they do sometimes buy
units for repair parts.

1268. Scanner FAQ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert E. Reifsnider" <mtplus@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4c1d$c7d79980$a989accf@mtplus.erols.com>
Source record: 167556

Is there a scanner FAQ for newbies? If so, please provide a link.

Regards,
Bob

1269. Re: trunked systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick DeYoung <rdeyoun@banet.net>
Message-ID: <6e3bfm$8sc@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167557

jcardani@erols.com (Joseph Cardani) wrote:
>On 7 Mar 1998 13:41:00 GMT, Dick DeYoung <rdeyoun@banet.net> wrote:
>
>>
>>What if the Johnson system is a Multinet and not an LTR system????
>>
>Since Multi-Net is not compatable with LTR, the LT-2 or Opto 442 plus
>will not work!
>
>Joe

That was my point!

1270. FS: LEATHER CASES! - $1.00ea

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: schertzer@ns.sympatico.ca
Message-ID: <6e3eoikbm1@news21.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 167558

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Item #8 (4total)
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Misc HT leather cases
(2) Midland, (2) Standard-NEW
c/w belt loop only - Fits models??
Perfect for scanners or smaller ht's
$1.00 + shipping

D.M. Schertzer
West Pennant, Nova Scotia
B3V-1M4 CANADA
de VE1-DAV
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1271. ??PRC10??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alessandro Canalini <al.cana@iol.it>
Message-ID: <6e3fei$30d@mikasa.iol.it>
Source record: 167559
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

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ITALIANO ----------
Possiedo 2 vecchi RTX militari (credo siano PRC10). Sono circa della
grandezza di un CB e sono a valvole. Qualcuno riesce a darmi qualche altra
infomazione su di essi (schema elettrico, alimentazione, gamma di
ricezione-trasmissione ecc.) Gradirei anche sapere se, in Italia, c'e'
qualcuno a cui posso rivolgermi per ulteriori informazioni.
Grazie
IK4PKL Alessandro
E-Mail
al.cana@iol.it
al.cana@usa.net

ENGLISH ----------
I have 2 old military RTX (PRC10 i think). They are around of the greatness
of a CB and inside there are some valves. Is anybody able to give me any
other information of them (electric scheme, power supply requirements, range
of RX-TX etc.)? I would appreciate also know if, in Italy, there are anybody
to which I could turn me for further information.
Thank you
IK4PKL Alessandro
E-Mail
al.cana@iol.it
al.cana@usa.net

1272. FS: Pro 2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg <REMOVEn3oyr@home.net>
Message-ID: <35054107.2139@home.net>
Source record: 167560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

I have a RS Patrolman 2026 in great condition. This one has been
modified. I'm asking $150.oo plus $10.oo shipping.
-Greg \|||/
(0-0)
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My Email address is altered due to
the prevalence of Spamers. Remove the
REMOVE from my return .oooO
address to reply! ( ) Oooo.
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1273. !Antenna Question-weak reception

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T. Hereford" <therefor@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <350531B9.80F27C18@pobox.com>
Source record: 167561
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am an avid listner to AM radio. I just purchased a Jeep and the
reception for AM radio stinks. Very weak signal. If I hold the antenna
with my hands it improves.

What are my options?

I thought of using a CB whip antenna but I don't know JACK about
antenni.

Can someone enlighten me please.

th

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(__) (Thomas Hereford, Plymouth, MI
(oo) (thereforATpobox.com
/---------\/ --< (Product Data Management Administrator,
/| || (Simpson Industries, Inc.
* ||-------||
~~ ~~
"My opinions are my own. Flames >/dev/null"

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"There are two ways of meeting difficulties:
you alter the difficulties or you alter
yourself meeting them."
****

1274. Re: Long Live Anarchy!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310141600.JAA15716@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167562

>Subject: Re: Long Live Anarchy!
>From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
>Date: Mon, Mar 9, 1998 19:00 EST
>Message-id: <3504829E.D11@usa.net>
>
>

>I vote that you are a big goddamn moron!

Thanks for writing...no matter who you are. I know it must be difficult for someone like you to express yourself given your obvious intellectual shortcomings.

1275. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310142000.JAA16116@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167563

>Subject: STOP IT N O W
>From: DCLIFF@webtv.net (Dennis Lassetter)
>Date: Mon, Mar 9, 1998 20:51 EST
>Message-id: <6e26b8$7e3$1@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
>
>

>By God I am tired of this ongoing crap about Bill Cheek and John Mackey.
>Enough is enough. People get a bait of this after so long.

Geez Cliffie, when are you going to use that Web TB toy for something other
than to whine?

1276. POC32 Long Lines problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Domonkos <domonkos@erols.com>
Message-ID: <350561DC.FD346B68@erols.com>
Source record: 167564

I have the final release of POC32 and it works great on a 486/50 system with 16bit Soundblaster card. It works as well on a Pentium based PC. I tapped the discriminator of a Pro2038 mobile scanner and I get 100% copy.

The problem is any long line appears to be truncated. Wondering if anyone else has this problem. The same output of the Pro2038 to the PD204 decoder system gives 100% with no long line truncation. Any ideas?

Andy

1277. Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Eisner <boei@trifox.com>
Message-ID: <35056509.76D0@trifox.com>
Source record: 167565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Congressman Sues Over Taped Call

By DAVID ESPO
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) Rep. Jim McDermott intends to "vigorously defend" himself against a first-of-its-kind lawsuit charging he leaked the contents of an illegally taped cellular phone call involving House Speaker Newt Gingrich.

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"The disclosure (by McDermott) ... was for private, partisan purposes, and was not essential to, or even related to, the legislative process," the suit alleges. "The disclosure was also made in wanton, reckless and malicious disregard for plaintiff's rights."

McDermott responded with a brief statement that said the suit is "obviously politically motivated and I refuse to dignify it with a comment."

Cicero, his attorney, added, "We intend to vigorously defend against this suit. We deny all claims of any wrongdoing and expect to prevail."

Boehner asked for monetary damages as well as punitive damages.

Regardless of the outcome, the suit appears to pose political jeopardy or potential embarrassment for some Democrats.

Officials involved in the case say Carvin, Boehner's lawyer, is likely to seek to question McDermott as well as Rep. Karen Thurman, D-Fla., whose office briefly had custody of the tape, as well as aides to House Democratic Whip David Bonior of Michigan.

Boehner was in Florida at the time of the phone call. During the conversation, he, Gingrich, Majority Leader Dick Armey, R-Texas, and other lawmakers and aides planned strategy in advance of an announcement from the ethics committee that a settlement had been reached in the speaker's ethics case.

Gingrich wound up admitting to ethics violations and agreed to pay a $300,000 penalty. The GOP high command was maneuvering at the time to make sure the disposition of the case didn't jeopardize Gingrich's campaign to win re-election as speaker.

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Congressional sources, speaking on condition of anonymity, say the criminal investigation stalled after McDermott sought to stop prosecutors from compelling testimony from two of his own aides, as well as James Cole, who headed the ethics committee investigation into Gingrich. McDermott has cited a constitutional provision designed to shield lawmakers from legal jeopardy arising from the exercise of their official duties, these sources added.

Should a similar claim be made in the civil suit, it would be up to a judge to decide how the case would proceed.

The Journal-Constitution and Roll Call had no immediate comment on the suit. A spokesman at the Times said the paper "doesn't discuss its sources."

(10 Mar 1998 03:43 EST)

1278. Hold him accountable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6e3qko$ab8@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167566
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Finally!

1279. FS: OptoElectronics Xplorer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Franklin Reed <freed@ionet.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4c4a$1eebc260$a169cccf@franklin>
Source record: 167567

For Sale
OptoElectronics Xplorer WITH cellular unlocked. It is in excellent
condition used very little, still in original box. Xplorer, manual, cables
and software that came with it, $750 obo. I will pay shipping and COD
charges
to you in US only. If interested e-mail me

freed@ionet.net

1280. Re: PRO-24 Problem???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: halifax_@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <350575dc.2350749@news.auracom.com>
Source record: 167568

I have tried all the keypad tricks(2,9,etc.)
This doesn't work.
hmmm...

1281. Re: PRO-67 Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <3505776C.3FA1D1AA@vnet.com>
Source record: 167569

wwfrank@erols.com wrote:
> I recently purchased the PRO-67 hand held scanner. So far, I
> haven't been able to find any info concerning mods, ie. freq extension,
> recovery of locked out freqs, etc. Can anyone advise where I might find
> this info? Has anyone seen any writeups concerning the performance of the
> radio? So far, it seems to be a great performer.

It is a great little radio but I doubt you'll find much
in the way of mods for it. The radios of today aren't what
they use to be due to the legislation of '90s.

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1282. Re: Scanner FAQ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <3505784E.144D0359@vnet.com>
Source record: 167570

Robert E. Reifsnider wrote:
> Is there a scanner FAQ for newbies? If so, please provide a link.

You might try the one listed in my sig.

If you go to my main radio page mentioned in this
FAQ, you'll find a section titled Information
Central under which will be a link to the great
FAQs posted by Bob Parnass every few weeks.

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
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1283. Bearcat 855 xlt modified Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmoore@texasinternet.com
Message-ID: <6e41hu$t01$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167571

Here is a Bearcat 855 xlt Scanner modified to receive
coverage for cell
phone freqs.. Also 100 channel memory
capability has been modified..Comes
w/A.C. adapter, ant.,
manual and orig. box,looks like new,less than 10 hrs.
use.
Band coverage=30-956mhz. $250.00. I just won the lottery
so I lowered
the price $50.00 If you know anyone that is
in dire need I will take it in
consideration. As my pappy used to
say," most people will appreciate it more
if they pay a little
something for what they get."

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1284. Anyone done Icom R10 cell MOD?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: scoob@teleport.com
Message-ID: <35067ebe.4266036@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 167572

I have an Icom R10 raidos that have the cell frequencies blocked.
It is one of the first ones so it can be Modified to the European
model.

I would like to do the MOD and need some info from someone that
has done the procedure.

Questions:

Can I pick up the resistors needed at Radio Shack?
If so, what is the part number?
If not, where would I order the parts?
Did you run into any problems?

Thanks for any help.
Tony.

1285. Re: Cell Phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <35057C74.354E@home.here>
Source record: 167573

Leroy wrote:
>
> Not that I'm against it, but is the ability to listen to people on cell
> phones all that important? I've listened to them on scanners, before it
> became illegal to make scanners that covered these ranges and also heard
> them on "ghost" frequencies. I've never heard anything good enough to
> really get me into the whole "cell" thing. What gets everybody so fired
> up about this whole cell thing.

Back in the 50's & 60's when someone came out with a dog of a movie or book, they would attempt to have it banned somewhere so the advertising could read "Come See The Movie That Was BANNED in _______. This would actually increase ticket sales as people would rush to see the movie that someone did not want them to see.

Not so long ago another movie, I believe the title was "The Last Temptation of Christ", was probably headed for oblivion until the Catholic Church deemed it sacreligous and picketed theaters showing the film. Naturally, when people got wind of this, they flocked to the theater to see what someone did not want them to see.

Now that government has deemed that people must not listen to cellular, folks who before didn't know it was even possible now want to hear what someone does not want them to hear. And that, fellow scanists, is probably why every fourth post on R.R.S is asking about cell mods.

1286. WTB : Pro-43 hand held scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35057a51.1195113@news>
Source record: 167574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am looking to purchase a Radio Shack (Realistic) Pro-43 hand held scanner, with cell mod and in good to excellent condition.

Please E-Mail me and we'll talk.

Dan

1287. BC220xlt BC230xlt discriminator help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Acid <acid@spamfree.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4c4f$3eff7ba0$02000001@acid>
Source record: 167575

Does anyone know the location of the discriminatore in a BC220xlt or 230xlt
?

thanks,

remove the *** to mail
rich@***netway.co.uk

1288. Spokane Frequencies Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: vojak@spk.hp.com
Message-ID: <6e40ng$lqa@hpcvsnz.cv.hp.com>
Source record: 167576

Hi,

I just relocated to Spokane Washington and was wondering if anybody out there has a short list of frequencies for the area. Specifically I'm looking for Spokane Sheriff and City PD dispatch, car to car, special ops. I'm also looking for Spokane city & county fire dispatch, fire scene, special ops. .

I bought a scanner frequency guide, but to be honest with un-packing, painting, cleaning, moving, new job and such I just haven't had the time to sit down for the several hours it takes to sort through all the frequencies.

Any assistance would be appreciated!

Thanks. .

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_/ _/
_/ Bill Vojak _/
_/ SCM Engineer _/
_/ Firmware Productivity Team _/
_/ Hewlett-Packard Spokane Division _/
_/ vojak@spk.hp.com / voice 509-921-4823 _/
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1289. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <35058D58.7DD6@c-com.nut>
Source record: 167577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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> Associated Press Writer
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> sources."
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> (10 Mar 1998 03:43 EST)
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wirte violations.

1290. Re: Bearcat 700A Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: paems1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310191500.OAA21360@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167578

The radio already operates in the 800 mhz range.

1291. bc-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: scottabooey@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6e47ec$1h8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167579

does anybody know where i can get a service
manual(not a owners maual) for a bc-90000xlt or a
pro-2040 for free online?please send it to
scottabooey@hotmail.com thanx

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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1292. Texas DPS freq question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Shapiro <matzoman@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3505AD39.58A1@flash.net>
Source record: 167580

Last night DPS had a high speed car chase thru Dallas county. I was
listening to 155.460. On that freq I could only hear the dispatcher.
What is the freq. for the cars and the radio's that the officer carry?

Thanks

dave

1293. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ingramj@erols.com
Message-ID: <35059A16.1F59@erols.com>
Source record: 167581
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

joe wrote:
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> wirte violations.

Not likely. The story was quoted straight from the AP Newswire, and has been posted on several News WEB sties (CNN, Seatle Times, etc).

If he does, then he'll be sueing you also for quoting the entire post.

Anyway, here's a copy of the same story that appeared in the New York Times, this morning.

Suit Filed Over Disclosed Phone Call Involving Gingrich

By LIZETTE ALVAREZ

WASHINGTON -- Rep. John A. Boehner filed suit on Monday against Rep. Jim McDermott, accusing him of publicly disclosing an intercepted conference call involving Republican leaders.

The suit, filed in federal district court here, accuses McDermott, a Washington Democrat, of violating the Electronic Communications Privacy Act by turning over a tape of the illegally recorded conference call to reporters.

Boehner, of Ohio, who heads the House Republican Conference, is seeking punitive damages and $30,000 in civil fines.

A Florida couple illegally recorded a conversation they picked up on a police scanner involving Boehner, Speaker Newt Gingrich, and other House leaders in December 1996. The leaders were discussing the political ramifications of the ethics charges brought against Gingrich, of Georgia.

Accounts of the conversation were published in The New York Times, The Atlanta Journal and Constitution, and Roll Call, a Capitol Hill weekly. In his lawsuit, Boehner accuses McDermott of leaking the tapes to reporters.

Boehner's lawyer, Michael A. Carvin, said that McDermott was being sued as a private citizen, not a member of Congress. The legal distinction is designed to curtail the added constitutional protections McDermott receives as a congressman.

Complaining about the pace of a Justice Department criminal investigation, Boehner said he decided to move forward with the lawsuit

to insure that the case got resolved either in civil or criminal court before the statute of limitations expired in December.

"Congressman McDermott and others have stonewalled the Justice Department's criminal investigation for more than a year," Boehner said in a written statement.

Bert Brandenburg, a Justice Department spokesman, said the investigation was continuing.

Reacting to the lawsuit on Monday, McDermott said: "This is obviously politically motivated and I refuse to dignify it with a comment."

Boehner received permission from the Federal Election Commission and the House Ethics Committee to use campaign money to bring the lawsuit. Any awarded damages, he said, would go to pay his legal expenses, and the remainder would be donated to charity.

Boehner was driving in Florida on Dec. 21, 1996, when the Florida couple picked up his cellular phone conversation. Convinced they were eavesdropping on what could prove to be an historic exchange, the couple, John and Alice Martin, tape-recorded the conversation.

Seizing on the tape as fresh evidence of a misdeed, Democrats said the conversation was proof that Gingrich had violated an agreement he made with the ethics committee not to stoke opposition to a House reprimand. Republicans said it showed just the opposite, and added that disseminating the tape violated the law.

In April, the Martins pleaded guilty to using a radio scanner to intentionally intercept a call. They were fined $1,000 and agreed to cooperate with the government in its investigation into how the transcripts of the tape wound up in reporters' hands.

The couple said that their congressman, Rep. Karen L. Thurman, D-Fla., had suggested they give the recording to the senior Democrat on the House ethics committee, McDermott.

The federal investigation into the tape hit a roadblock in December when McDermott invoked a constitutional clause to try to quash several subpoenas. The clause has often been used to limit the scope of civil or criminal court cases on congressional actions, and can extend to congressional staff members as well as members of Congress.

It is likely McDermott will use the same clause in his defense in the civil suit, Carvin said.

1294. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3512934b.65021789@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167582

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net> wrote:

> > Why?
>
> It seemed to have your negative hairs standing straight and I just
> wondered why you even responded to it.

Well, he seemed a good one on whom to lay
the good words from the good book. You
know....fertile soil...so to speak.

> > > It seems as if Ollie's opinion has become
> > > your personal problem.

> > Why does it seem that way?

> For one you are well over the 25 words or less standard.

I don't try to live up to other people's "standards".
My birth certificate doesn't say I have to, so I don't.
I create standards. People can follow 'em; change 'em;
ignore 'em; or set their own - no skin off my nose.

> > Is Petie Joe Boe your personal problem?
> > Did he dip into your shorts or something? I can't
> > imagine that being so.....but what's the difference?
>
> HEHEHEHE! No, but he doesn't even post things that relate to computers,
> scanning or the like. He is one of the last of the Toilet Boy groupies
> and has no reason to try and keep this newsgroup a kinder and gentler
> place.
>
> Anyway, he has changed his name to Bud or something and now believes he
> was never been on prozac. I guess the studio apartment, kiddy piano
> lessons and miserable life are all behind him now.

Yeah, well, you STILL visit with him. He whups his
outlooks on you and you whup yours on him, even though
the two are diametrically and diabolically opposed.
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> Just because Ollie expresses a desire for a nicer atmosphere in this
> group doesn't mean he can't control his computer or he feel victimized
> or molested. I certainly didn't read any of that characterization into
> Ollie's post.

Well, hell, you can't read all that well, man. Take
me ferinstance, I don't come on here sniveling and
whining to people for the way they do things. And I
don't see an atmosphere on this newsgroup, either.

It's whatever the hell I want to see in it, regardless
of who does what to whom. In a short time, I am slapping
Smacksie, Petey, Hankie, and a few others back on my
Shit List and going on with business.

The way I see it is anyone can make of it whatever
they want..... and there is no way anyone can force
anything on anyone else. So good ol' Ollie came on
here whining and sniveling about what a trashed up
newsgroup this is.....when in fact, he has the choice
of making it utter heaver or sheer hell, regardless of
what anyone else does. He ALWAYS has the choice. But
he piped in as a "poor ol' victim"....like he'd bent
over and someone just helped theirself.

Rubbish! It's that way only if YOU want it that way.
He just as easily could have piped in, frothing over
at the mouth, cup runnething over, and observed that
this newsgroup was the coolest place he'd ever seen on
earth. He could have observed that just as easily as
the opposite extreme that he noted.

There is no REALITY here, my friend,.....other than
the reality that we CHOOSE to create.

Me....I like to please a lot of people, so I go betwixt
the two extremes from time to time. Smacksie, Petey,
and Hankie need pleasing same as everyone else. So
they snivel, whine, and blow great big snotbubbles and
want to hose 'em down. So I do. It makes them happy.

Then I post stuff about scanners and answer questions
on 'em. I'm happy. You're happy. Everyone's happy.
Nobody gets left out.

Even Ollie......fer example.....he even observed right
off that he was going to get hosed. Do YOU ever do that?
I don't. I don't think you do. Why not? Because it is
an explicit invitation to others to come around and bend
you over and help theirself. They guy WANTED a hosing, see?
Else, he'd have just made his point, if he had one......

See, the problem is that people can't understand a world
where there are no victims and no heroes. But that is

the way is here in these virtual forums. We all are
armed to the teeth, and we possess or have the capability
to possess perfect force fields as well as perfect plasma
ray hyperzipzapwarp guns.

Read good ol' Ollie's post again, word for word, and
see where he welcomed a good hosing for his dismal
view of the world around him. He said a lot and gave
away a lot of himself.....poor fellow. But then he's
used to being a victim....same as a mistreated dog
doesn't know any difference.

The main difference, however, is that dogs can't choose
whereas people can. Like you, ferinstance....you can
tell people to eat your shorts.....or offer to eat theirs.
Or....express a disgust for shorts in the diet, period.

Me, I like anchovies on my pizza...

<shrug>

It's always a matter of choice here in "virtuality".

Tell me it ain't.

:-))

+---+
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| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.11.214 or ftp.204.210.11.214 |
| or 204.210.11.214 (depends on your FTP program) |
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1295. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351398e5.66456329@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167583

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> As even CB Guy pointed out, it was a forge, I didn't do it.

Even your confession wasn't a forgery, huh?

1296. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6e45rf$keo@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167584
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

what is a copy wirte?

1297. Advice? Pro 2035 + Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffery R. Smith" <jeffsmith@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6e4a27cde1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 167585
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Pro 2035 scanner, a computer, and an antenna on the roof. I am new to the hobby and have been reading this newsgroup long enough to learn there are evidently some better ways to use my resources. I have been looking at the scout and the board to go into the 2035. I have looked at Opto's webpage and think these may be a good investment.

I was wondering if any experienced scannists could give me the pros and cons about these devices. Also I am interested in monitoring the military aircraft band, would the scout be any good for this?

Any advice would be most appreciated.

Thanks,
Jeff

1298. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3514a60f.69826024@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167586

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

DCLIFF@webtv.net (Dennis Lassetter) wrote:

> By God I am tired of this ongoing crap

Okay....so get some rest, then. No?

> Enough is enough.

You can't control other people. You can
only control yourself and your computer.

So do it. And watch the changes!!!

> People get a bait of this after so long.

Who? People? What people? Did "people" authorize
you to speak for them? Especially to make some
obscure point?

> Its not funny anymore.

To you, right? Are you speaking for others?

> Just goes to show how childish some people are.

Which ones? May we....ummmm....begin with you?

> Quit making bigger fools out of yourselves
> than you already are.

Is that an order? Do you expect people to
just obey you? What are your qualifications to
demand obedience?

> Thank you.

For what? Obeying you? Puh--leeze, leave me out
of that one. I am not the obedient type. I walk
in my own moccasins and resent the hell out of it
when others try to fit in, too. You just walk in
your own moccasins.....and you choose where YOU
place your steps and which ways you turn and how
fast or slow you go.

And stop trying to control others. You won't
ever succeed, so why pee into the wind?

Oh....and learn how to control your computer so that
it doesn't piss you off so much.

IMHO.

1299. Outer Banks/Dare County, NC freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: cynth5655@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310211201.QAA07458@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167587

Does anyone have any frequencies for the Outer Banks
of North Carolina, especially Dare County and the areas
of Avon, Buxton, or Frisco?

TIA,

CT

1300. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: formerly@know-as.3MTA3
Message-ID: <350fa64f.17179826@test1>
Source record: 167588
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:

>*-John "Pump me Richard Simmonds. Pump me till I'm senseless"
> Mackey-* KA0SSF moaned and cried because he was caught in a lie
> again:
>>
>> Anyway, YOUR actions have spoken large volumes of yourself also.
>> Even larger volumes have been spoken about YOU by other people.
>> Would you like me to post some of the comments people have made
>> about you?
>
>Go ahead. For every one you post about Eric, there are three much
>worse about you.

Come on. You're being WAY too nice to the retard. Only 3 ??!!

1301. Re: Pro-26 CPU

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6e4ett$76i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167589

In article <19980310051400.AAA07002@ladder02.news.aol.com>,
jrshattuck@aol.com (JRShattuck) wrote:
>
> >From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
> >Date: Mon, Mar 9, 1998 17:43 EST
> >Message-id: <6e1r8e$9ot$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
> >
> >On the schematic diagram of the Pro-26, many of the CPU's pins are
> >grounded or are not connected to anything. What is the purpose of these
> >pins? Could they be used to hide extra features in the CPU?
>
> The grounded pins supply Vss to the CPU, plus one line to inhibit Test.
The
> ungrounded pins are Data/control ports which may allow different functions
of
> the CPU to operate. Without a data sheet from the CPU manufacturer, it's
very
> hard to say.

Where could I get a such a data sheet? I have the service manual, but it only
says that the pins are not connected. Could any of these pins allow access to
other frequencies?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1302. Re: Hold him accountable (was: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhayes3rd@digizen.net
Message-ID: <3505B423.7BF8@digizen.net>
Source record: 167590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Karl Dahlquist wrote:
>
> Finally!

I agree!!! We need to hold everyone in Congress accountable for the laws that they pass.

By the way, he also voted "YES" on the new Wireless Privacy Bill that the House passed on Friday.

U.S. House passes wireless privacy bill
01:11 a.m. Mar 06, 1998 Eastern

WASHINGTON, March 5 (Reuters) - In a bid to protect privacy for cellphone or digital calls, the U.S. House of Representatives on Thursday voted 414-1 to make intercepting such phone conversations illegal.

The Wireless Privacy Enhancement Act makes clear that the act of interception -- whether or not the call is later divulged or disseminated in any way -- is against the law.

It bans modification of scanners that are now on the market that can easily pick up calls made on cell phones, and prevents a market for new scanners capable of intercepting digital communications.

The bill, which the Senate has not yet acted on, increases penalties for intercepting or divulging private communications, making them subject to a $2,000 fine and six months in jail. Earlier laws had not treated such interceptions as serious offenses if they were not used for financial gain.

Although the bill had broad bipartisan support, it was a particular favorite of Republicans, who were furious after a December 1996 cellphone conversation involving House Speaker Newt Gingrich and fellow Republican leaders was taped by a Florida couple. House Republicans have alleged that Washington Democratic Rep. Jim McDermott then leaked it.

McDermott -- who voted for the wireless privacy act -- has not publicly commented on those allegations.

Ohio Republican Rep. John Boehner, who was using a cellphone in his wife's car in that conversation with Gingrich, enthusiastically backed the bill.

``Our message should be plain and simple,'' he said. ``If you violate someone's privacy, you are not creating idle mischief, you are breaking the law and of the land and you will be brought to justice.''

Roughly 50 million Americans use some kind of new mobile electronic communications services, according to the bill's sponsors.

The sole vote against the bill came from Ron Paul, a Texas Republican. He was not immediately available for comment.

1303. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: DCLIFF@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6e47vg$p22$1@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 167591

Thank you Mr. Alexander, this response is so consistant with all your nasty and rude comments. I am glad to see you still have gravel in your craw. Let me worry about what I as you say, whine about. Your breath stinks.

DENNIS in GA.

1304. Antenna question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: lurker@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <3505BC08.F3C@bigfoot.com>
Source record: 167592

Greeting all, I'm new to scanning and I want to buy a HF antenna. A friend recommended the McKay Dymek DA-100E. I saw an ad in Monitoring Times for the H800 Skymatch, it is about $100.00 cheaper. I am a believer in the " You get what you pay for" theory. Does anyone have any input as to which antenna I should get? Thanks for the help.

1305. Re: Chuck's 2 Way Specials!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmudd@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4bb8$74e9ffc0$31806ac6@rickmudd>
Source record: 167659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.marketplace

Spam sucks any way you slice it.

Jake Schmidt <shmjr@netins.net> wrote in article
<889377850.59536@ins8.netins.net>...
> Cindy Goldstein wrote in message <3502D00D.1F13@bellsouth.net>...
>
> <snip>
>
> >Spamming is sending a message to everyone or every newsgroup, whether or
> >not it's relevant to the receiver. It comes from the Monty Python sketch
> >that has the characters saying "SPAM" a lot. This would be different
> >from using a newsgroup for advertising.
>
> Considering they use the word "spam" to describe the practice, I don't
think
> there is a definitive meaning of it...
>
> Jake
>
> >- Max, KE4IIZ
>
>
>

1306. FOR SALE....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bubba <MGB_F3XT@onaustralia.com.au>
Message-ID: <3504A229.5D4AA15E@onaustralia.com.au>
Source record: 167660
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

HOWDY,

I have a three items for sale....

1. NEC Sportz Analogue mobile phone with 2 Nicad Batteries, desktop charger, car charger, leather case, stubby & full-wave antenna. In excellent condition with box and instructions.

2. Kenwood R-2000 Short Wave receiver. Coverage from 0 to 30Mhz. AM/FM/USB/LSB/CW Modes. 10ch Memory. AF Gain, RF Attenuation, Tone & Squelch Controls and Signal Strength Indicator. In Good condition - sorry no manual !

3. REALISTIC WORLD RADIO Model DX-380. Coverage includes LW (150 to 519 khz), AM Broadcast band (531 to 1710 khz), SW Band (1.711 to 29.999 Mhz) & FM Broadcast band (88 to 108 Mhz). Direct frequency input through keypad or manual rotary tuning option. Digital display, Signal strength sndicator, Dual time clock and Alarm. In excellent condition with instructions and protective travel case.

If you are interested in any of these items, email me with your price and contact details at:

MGB_F3XT@onaustralia.com.au
Attn: Richard

PS - I have receipts for all items.

1307. Mackey's idea of a scanner related post.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: billspang@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310012300.UAA28035@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167661

Here's John Mackey's idea of a helpful scanner related post>
Whata think would happen to Mackey if he answered a
question like this in person?

Subject: Re: PRO-64 Trunk tracking scanner???
From: **John Mackey** KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Date: 1998/03/04
Message-ID: <34FE150D.1A44@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

merrypaws wrote:
>
> Pro-64 owners , can u tell me if the pro-64 is a trunk tracking scanner???.
> I have call 2 Radio shack stores and I got two different answers. Pro64
> are on sale this month $149.00 good deal???

Can't you read the fucking radioshack catalog? It clearly spells it out,
even for someone as stupid as you.
The pro-90 is the trunktracker, and 149 is a killer price for the pro-64

1308. Wavetek signal generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e24nk$p76@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167662

Hi All
I have a for sale Wavetek signal generator
Good working codition
Model : 3000-200
Frequency : 1 - 520 MHz, .001%
$ 450.00 plus shipping
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks

1309. Pro64 Cases

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjenk5749@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310013901.UAA01097@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167663

The cases for the Pro 64 also fit the PRo 39,43,& 44.

Just thought you'd all like to know.

1310. WANTED - SOUTH AUST. FREQS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bubba <MGB_F3XT@onaustralia.com.au>
Message-ID: <3504A263.17691274@onaustralia.com.au>
Source record: 167664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,aus.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If anyone has any frequency lists or registers for ADELAIDE, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, could you please send me a copy if you have one!

It would be much appreciated.

Richard.
REPLY TO: MGB_F3XT@onaustralia.com.au

1311. Frequencies too long?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmeyer@home.com
Message-ID: <350599b5.439607942@news>
Source record: 167665

I have norticed that some police frequencies are too long for my
scanner. For example 865.4625 I can't add the last five. Plus,
I am new at this, and many of them say "trunked". Can anyone help me
on both of these problems? tks

1312. 98 NASCAR Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LDPE <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <6e27pa$j4m@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167666
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.autos.sport.nascar

Has anyone pulled the 1998 frequencies for NASCAR? Looked everywhere and all the info is not updated for 1998 teams.

1313. Re: Frequencies too long?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310023200.VAA11308@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167667

>
>I have norticed that some police frequencies are too long for my
>scanner. For example 865.4625 I can't add the last five. Plus,
>I am new at this, and many of them say "trunked".

Just go ahead and enter the frequency into your scanner it will be close enough to work.

Trunked radio is a method of a number of users to use a limited number of channels. Because a single user may use any of a number of the available channels, and usually any user can use any channel, trunked systems are difficult to monitor on a standard scanner.

There are a number of references on the WEB concerning trunked radio. Check out the following URL as a starting place:

http://members.aol.com/wwhitby2/trs.html

Hope this helps

Bill Ford, WB5SXK
Systems Administrator
City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net

1314. Re: Satellite Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310023500.VAA07703@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167668

>I've heard that amateur radio operators use satellites as repeaters

Chech out the Amateur Radio Satellite Corporation home page at

http://www.amsat.org
Bill Ford, WB5SXK
Systems Administrator
City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net

1315. We support Ron Paul !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bmxracer <bmxracer@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35055281.3288@home.net>
Source record: 167669

Rep. Paul ran for President on the Libertarian Party a few years ago
and is all around a great guy! We need more like him in Congress.

for more information:
http://www.lp.org/lpn/9507-paul.html

1316. More information about Rep. Ron Paul .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your Neighbor <"Your Neighbor"@home.net>
Message-ID: <3505540E.3F4F@home.net>
Source record: 167670

Ron Paul's website:

http://www.self-gov/org.ronpaul.html

1317. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3504b5f2.6181904@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167671

Nice forge moron....

On Mon, 09 Mar 1998 22:27:30 -0500, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>>Subject:STOP IT N O W
>> Date: Mon, 9 Mar 1998 20:51:36 -0500
>> From: DCLIFF@webtv.net (Dennis Lassetter)
>> Organization: WebTV Subscriber
>> Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
>
>
>Shut the hell up moron. You want to know the problem with the internet
>today?
>Yes you guessed it, services like WEBTV and AOL. Computers are no longer
>limited to
>the gifted, but the masses, and it is quite sad to think about the days
>of 300baud
>atari-400's, considering the state of affairs today.
>
>Dennis Lassetter wrote:
>>
>> By God I am tired of this ongoing crap about Bill Cheek and John Mackey.
>> Enough is enough. People get a bait of this after so long. Its not funny
>> anymore. Just goes to show how childish some people are. Quit making
>> bigger fools out of yourselves than you already are. Thank you.
>>
>> DENNIS in GA.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

1318. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: walker@intrex.net
Message-ID: <3505b1ad.525683182@news.intrex.net>
Source record: 167672

get a newsreader that filters - and add them and the topic of their
names as filters. Amazing how quiet just that little bit will make
this group.

>Can't we just ignore him and his ramblings and
>just discuss the topic we are all here to enjoy and learn more about. Just
>my opinion. If you dont like it just ignore it
>
>rbarrett@thegrid.net

1319. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6e2d0artg0@207.18.224.93>
Source record: 167673
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On 9 Mar 1998 03:39:04 GMT, "R" wrote:

>I am fairly new to this NG and scanning in general but I have got a
>question for ya'all. Why is it that every time I come here to read up on
>the latest in the scanner world I have to wade through tons of of BS about
>this Bill Cheek character. Can't we just ignore him and his ramblings and
>just discuss the topic we are all here to enjoy and learn more about. Just
>my opinion. If you dont like it just ignore it

It does make sense to ignore it. Bill kicked some people off a
moderated forum, and one of those people have persisted for
years in the flames, bullcrap, and general idiotic rambling.

Is Bill blameless? Nah. Is the other? Not on a bet.

1320. Trunking Groups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: echofoxx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310035801.WAA23574@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167674

Where can I view lists of Trunking Group Codes for Santa Clara, Ca.?, or other cities.?

1321. Re: Audio Logger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hhackman@usa.net
Message-ID: <3505bf49.4777563@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167675

While RecAll is good, Scanner Recorder is great.
http://www.davee.com/scanrec.html

or e-mail to scanrec@davee.com.

Enjoy it!

Harold

On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 21:20:43 -0500, Mike Burch
<Libertybell7@earthlink.net> wrote:

>
>
>Ken Bandy wrote:
>
>> I am looking for a program that would log audio from my BC895 for
>> selected talkgroups, using Radio Manager software and Trunk Manager
>> databases. I would like for the audio to be recorded via my sound
>> card. Any thoughts?
>>
>> To reply, delete "nospam".
>> --
>> Ken Bandy
>
> Hi Ken,
>
> Scanstar by Signal Intelligence has an add on audio logger as a
>companion to their Scanstar program for the Opto 456/Pro-2006. It
>writes directly to the hard drive and works pretty good. Although the
>last time that I requested technical help I didn't even get an " I
>dunno.. " from them. The Scanstar package works pretty well overall
>but has a few glitches.. It was worth the money spent in my opinion...
>Best wishes.. Mike K8MB

1322. Re: Radio Shack Rip Off (

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2zxz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310050901.AAA06341@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167676

It's $65 an hour for beginners. The shack really pushed too. Especially if you don't meet your quota. The worst part is a lot of their merch isn't up to "normal standards" of product quality. Or they run the price way up.

1323. Re: Pro-26 CPU

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrshattuck@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310051400.AAA07002@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167677

>From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
>Date: Mon, Mar 9, 1998 17:43 EST
>Message-id: <6e1r8e$9ot$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
>
>

>On the schematic diagram of the Pro-26, many of the CPU's pins are
>grounded or are not connected to anything. What is the purpose of these
>pins? Could they be used to hide extra features in the CPU?
>
>

The grounded pins supply Vss to the CPU, plus one line to inhibit Test. The ungrounded pins are Data/control ports which may allow different functions of the CPU to operate. Without a data sheet from the CPU manufacturer, it's very hard to say.

1324. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: DCLIFF@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6e2itcmkl1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 167678

Normal response from such low a life moron.

DENNIS in GA.

1325. Making Pro-64 computer interface work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mroberds@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6e2mf2$31c@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167679

Hello all!

I am having some trouble getting the Pro-64 computer programming to work
and I wonder if anyone can give me some suggestions.

I built the cable per the specs in both Ken Plotkin's LOAD documentation
and Bob Hruska's WWW page. I used about six feet of standard four-wire
telephone cable with one wire unused. There is a DB9 on one end with
2, 3, and 5 connected. On the other end there is a 1/8" stereo jack
with the suggested 1K resistor across tip and ring. I was going to use
a short 1/8 stereo-to-1/8 stereo cord I had (about 6" long), but I
couldn't find it, so I used one about 6' long to give me a total length
of about 12'. My DMM says the whole assembly is OK as far as opens
and shorts.

I followed the recommended procedure: scanner off, connect cable, hold
3 and Enter and turn on. I got the "PC PGM" message on the display,
but that's about as far as I was able to get. Using the "LOAD" program,
I sometimes got a 1-Error (checksum error) or 3-Error (communications
error) but never a completed load or a "PC-Connect" display. I was
trying to load the short sample list that comes with the LOAD program.
I also tried modifying the timing in the LOAD.CFG file, and this didn't
seem to help much. As suggested, I tried using the reset button on
the side, both by itself and in conjunction with the Clear key as
explained in the manual. No joy.

I then tried to "do it myself" using a terminal program. I used Telix
in TTY mode, 2400 8N2, "Enter" sends CR/LF. Bob Hruska's page indicates
that as soon as you send the $999*F9 "attention" command, the scanner
should say "PC-Connect". I was unable to get this message. Here again,
I tried the reset/clear sequences.

Thinking perhaps I had a bum serial port on the computer, I tried the
other (known good) port with both LOAD and Telix...same results.
I even wondered if the 1K resistor was there to provide some kind of
feedback or level adjustment from the audio back into the data line,
so I tried it with the squelch on (silent) and with the squelch off
and the volume about 75% of the way up. Of course, I couldn't hear
it with the cable connected, but I was guessing that it might make
a difference - it did not.

Any ideas on where to go next? I am thinking of trying it on a
different computer. The one I tried all this with is a P5-100 running
DOS 6.22/WFW 3.11 with two 16550 serial ports on the motherboard.
I have read that some "kinda-sorta" RS232 interfaces, like I suspect
the PRO-64 is using, don't get along with "some" serial ports. Other

possibilities are clipping the 1K resistor, trying a shorter cable,
and maybe disconnecting the "tip" wire. The radio itself is a 7A7
date code, and seems to work fine when programming it from the keyboard.

I really can't complain, anyway, as this is a major upgrade from
my previous scanner, a Pro-20?? 20-channel woodgrain base model. :)
And I do appreciate the work that people have already done to figure
out this interface and make the programs available. Any further
suggestions, hints, or tips-and-tricks for making this work would be
appreciated. Thanks!

Matt Roberds
mroberds@worldnet.att.net
Tulsa, Oklahoma USA

1326. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3504e083.19246387@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167680

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> >
> > olp@texas.net (Ollie Pruitt) wrote:
> >
> > > I know I'll burn in hell for this but...
> >
> > Wait a minute......let's get back to the subject line....
> > Don't you mean, "Okay, I'll bend over..."?
>
> Wishful thinking Bill? :-)

Oh no, of course not. I just can't imagine even
a nitwit coming on here to unzip. Bend over, yes.

> > > I regularly lurk in about 50 newsgroups, plus I jump in and out of
> > > dozens more.
> >
> > So.....you don't contribute much?

> Probably not but I don't see in the FAQ where it states one has to
> contribute to state an opinion. OTOH, he is now contributing his opinion
> about the newsgroup activities to the newsgroup.

True enough. No sweat. But to waltz in all high
and mighty without being a contributor is tantamount
to .... well..... bending over. No? I mean, who's
going to take the poor sap seriously?

> > > What I'm I getting at?

> > I was wondering that myself......
>
> You were not Bill. We all knew at this point what his point was going to
> be. Even Toilet Boy knew by now. Well, maybe.

Naw.....I *was* wondering....though he didn't
mince words thereafter.

> > > This group has the most ornery bunch on usenet!

> > Yes, they are a sorry lot, but since you don't
> > contribute and since no one's been ornery to

> > you, what difference does it make?

> Why do you object to somebody stating their opinion? Free speech and all
> that what difference does it make that this lost soul felt the need to
> tell it like he felt on a public forum?

I *don't* object. He can offer his opinions all he
wants. I was just sort of nicely telling him the
legends of the birds and the bees with respect to this
newsgroup. You know, counseling him a little....preparing
him for the worst.

> > > I don't know if I love it or hate it.

> > Sounds like a personal problem. This group, sorry
> > lot that they are, can help you with scanner problems,
> > but not with personal problems. To come on here with
> > personal problems is like bending over..... and someone's
> > going to come along and help theirself.....

> You're drifting off into dreamland again Bill.

You have got to be kidding? Dreaming about what?
The truth? Truth is, an unknown comes on here
hooting and hollering about something, and sure as
tootin', someone is going to "check 'im out".

> > > I can't wait to get home to see what happened on
> > > "as-the-rec.radio.scanner/alt.radio.scanner-turns".

> > Well, it is interesting....especially in the psychology
> > of the whole thing. You ever notice how the noisiest

> That would be Toilet Boy in first and you in a fly speck distant second.

Me? Sheeeeeee------it.

> > and orneriest ones

> Damn Bill! I looked up ornery in the dictionary....never mind. Sorry
> dude, you are the orneriest of them all! Period.

Not to decent sorts of people who like to talk scanners
and scanning. To ol' Quadrasexual Mackey, well hell,
whaddya expect? For me to love up to 'im? Get real.

> > are those who have nothing to
> > contribute and basically no interest in scanners, and
>
> Flip side here Bill. You have contributed above and beyond. You rank at
> the top here Bill. From my years on Fido to those on the Net I have
> watched you help thousands of people with scanner problems and mods. By
> shear number you have a distant lead over most all that I know of in
> this hobby.

By choice. Volunteer. No strings attached. Well,
one maybe.

You dish it out and you better be able to take it.
Can't stand the heat, you need to get outa the kitchen
and into the crocheting room. That's about it, though.

> > otherwise, a host of personal problems?

> We all have those, some just seem to bring them on here with them.

Speak for yourself. :-)

> > > Thanks for a most interesting, if not somewhat annoying group.

> > Interesting, yes. Annoying? How? Don't you know how
> > to control your own computer much? If not, maybe you
> > need to haul off and kick the snot out of it and make
> > it behave a little better.

> Hmmm. Why did you respond Bill? Monitor? Teacher? CyberCop? Annoyed? Out
> of control? Trolled and Hooked? Hypnotized by Toilet Boy? Possessed by
> Boy Prozac?

Nah. I saw it as another good opportunity to explain a
point of view that I hold dear.....an opinion, if you prefer;
that there is no damn sense in people being "victims" in
this world of virtuality. You're a victim ONLY if you choose
to be.....but I can't imagine folks choosing it.

Thus, they *think* they're being victimized...molested....
impinged.....impacted.....hosed......porked.....whatever
you want to call it. But that's downright dumb.

There is a better way. Control your computer. Pop it
in the chops and be its boss. Make it do your bidding,
including erecting a force field around your domain so
that the things that could chap your hide won't. I mean,
what better place to "hear no evil; see no evil; and
speak no evil"?

Folks learned that back in the Bible days of networking
when they saw that if they didn't like the smoke signals,
they didn't have to look at 'em. Unless they wanted to.
But if they want to, then they can't snivel and whine.
They need to take it like a man....(or a woman, I guess.)
>
> > You shouldn't let an inanimate object possess you like
> > that. It's another personal problem that will get you
> > into a whole world of very deep doo-doo.

> So you too seem to have a "problem" with Ollie expressing his opinion?

Why do you think that? You eat something that disagreed
with you tonight?

> I mean you really got me confused here. OK, maybe easy to do but who
> forced you to read his post?

No one. Why?

> It seems as if Ollie's opinion has become
> your personal problem.

Why does it seem that way? Is Petie Joe Boe your personal
problem? Did he dip into your shorts or something? I can't
imagine that being so.....but what's the difference?

> > Words to the wise, my friend.

> In the end, the spirit of Rodney King seeps through! ;-)

Not with Smacksie around, it doesn't. Anyway, I was just
answering that feller and wondering how's come he couldn't
control his own computer. And kind of trying to plant the
idea that he can control it and he doesn't need to be
victimized and molested.

....unless he wants to, of course.

1327. Radio Shack Robots (was: Re: Radio Shack Rip Off)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310071300.CAA21666@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167681

In article <19980310050901.AAA06341@ladder02.news.aol.com>, n2zxz@aol.com (N2ZXZ) writes:

>It's $65 an hour for beginners. The shack really pushed too. Especially if >you
>don't meet your quota. The worst part is a lot of their merch isn't up to >"normal standards" of product quality. Or they run the price way up.

I used to work for them. Worst experience of my life. If they can't make at least a 50% markup (excluding sale merchandise), they won't sell it. Overpriced junk. Underpaid help. The reason RS clerks are all brain-dead is because that's apparently what Fort Worth wants: robots who won't question their policies or do anything besides go through the motions. The "good ones" either leave quickly for more lucrative opportunities or are forced out by their store managers or district managers, worried that they might end up with their jobs.

1328. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3505e540.20460045@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167682

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Yes, & isn't it SAD that BILL CHEEK is always the one to
> bring up all the wierd stuff like sexual issues,

No, you do that. You can't flaunt your quadrasexuality
and then expect people to ignore it.

> accuse others of personal problems, etc.

Well, it ain't an accusation, Slick. You are the
inventor of personal problems....starting back
when I kicked your ass off Fido. That ain't got
nothing to do with scanners and scanning. But
you sure are still sore about it.

And I still giggle and sniggle about it. I just
wish I knew then what I know now....so I could
have made more of a spectacle and laughingstock
of you.

> Perhaps if BILL CHEEK would change his ways, all the 'noise'
> would go away!

> Food for thought!

I didn't come on here until others had made noise for
weeks on end, you included. You most assuredly started
it, Hermie. (Hermie is short for hermaphrodite.)

See ya around, Hermie.

1329. Re: Sharon Hines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3508e760.21004005@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167683

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Lot 47 wrote:
> > I'd pull my own plug before the Sun was too awfully
> > high in the sky!)

> If I were as stupid & pathetic as YOU then, YEA, I would too!

You are stupider and more pathetic than the lowliest,
most perverted dung beetle on this planet. So pull
your plug, Hermie. (That's short for hermaphrodite.)

1330. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3506e680.20779990@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167684

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> The Cb Guy wrote:
> > Bill just described you to a "T" here MACKEY and you think he's the
> > problem?

> That is YOUR OPINION, which has been proven to not be worth
> much.

You are very ill, Hermie. Please go see a doctor.

1331. Re: Bill/John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3509e7d6.21121730@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167685

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Charlie Dwenger wrote:
> > Do you really think that some one could lose 100 IQ points in just
> > a matter of seconds?
>
> Besides, I would NEVER give some of the ROTTON advice that Cheek gives,
> like telling people to use a metallic schrewdriver to adjust a RF
> oscillator
> coil.

See how stupid you are, Hermie?

1332. Re: cancel <34fe5f01.80470096@news2.cts.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350ae881.21293345@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167686

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

*-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> The first server is ALWAYS the beginning of the path you IDIOT!
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > You put it there, you friggin idiot. You had to,
> > else the cancel would not have been accepted.
> > CTS.COM wasn't the point of origin. Portland's
> > Sprintnet was, stupid.

CTS doesn't allow cancels, you nincompoop.
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1333. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350be8c2.21357745@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167687

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
>
> > > Bill Cheek wrote:
> > > > That wasn't ME, you nincompoop. I saw 'im, too,
>
> How FUNNY of you to say those words!!!! I was at the Tacoma, Washington
> hamfest yesterday & someone complimented on how I have been handeling
> YOU here & called YOU a "nincompoop"!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!1

Who? That's relevant, because no one in half
possession of their faculties would compliment
you for anything other than maybe another
quadrasexual like yourself.

> > I have a high regard for truth and straightness.

> hehehehehe
> those who know you know better!

You're an idiot, Hermie. (That's short for hermaphrodite.)

1334. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350ce9b8.21604055@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167688

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > But NT? Ha ha ha ha ha ha. All you know
> > of NT is that it comes from Microsoft.
>
> Hardly, you are once again a FOOL, Bill. I have TAUGHT
> classes for NT users in the past, TO PEOPLE LIKE YOU!!!

Oh that? Look, Hermie, (that's short for hermaphrodite),
teaching Novice Technician classes doesn't count. We
were talking about Windows NT, of which you don't know
beans from weenies.

> > You don't have the mental capacity to do
> > an NT logon, Oh Mindless One.

> What an idiot you are!

> You don't even know there is a way to automate the NT logon!

A script, you dumbshit, which happens to override
NT's inherent security.

1335. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350dea5c.21768140@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167689

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > > The people who were on scanradio BEFORE Bill Cheek became moderator
> > > would certainly argue with you on that you little fool!
> >
> > Not many. Just the half-dozen or so evictees is all.
>
> Bill, you were kicking 3-5 people off there per week for about a month.
>
> Be real!

You're fuller of shit than a Christmas Goose, Hermie.

I booted six or eight people in all the time I
was there.....and YOU were one of them. You're
just frosted because I gave you a spastic sphincter
with the treads of my Size #13EE.

> > Then you lie. You were 'persona non grata' to
> > ALL of FidoNet.

> Do you want me to post some messages I received on fidonet just last
> fall? (Gee, I even think I got one from YOU!)

You are so wretchedly ignorant. I wasn't on Fido
mast Fall, dumbshit.

1336. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350eeb51.22013425@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167690

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> I never claimed to be good at spelling, just competent in my area
> of electronics!

Hah! You wouldn't know a resistor from a resister,
you perverted reprobate.

1337. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350feb87.22066710@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167691

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:

> *-John "I take my job as village idiot very seriously" Mackey-* KA0SSF
> lied some more:
>
> > I never claimed to be good at spelling, just competent in my area
> > of electronics!
>
> Your area of electronic expertise is limited to blowing fuses.

Not only that, but he can suck-start a Harley-Davidson
motorcycle, too.

1338. Re: BC 9000 Mod's ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C.G. Buysrogge" <c.g.buysrogge@consunet.nl>
Message-ID: <6e6ghbbda1@news.worldonline.nl>
Source record: 167393
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

HEATHER J PANTIN heeft geschreven in bericht
<6e5543$5cla$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>...
>
>Look at http://home1.swipnet.se/~w-15926/ubc9000xlt
Kees

1339. Earthquake frequencies in So. Cal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: buck100@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3506c911.154254077@news.ucla.edu>
Source record: 167394

Anyone know the frquencies that Caltech uses to help
after those earthquakes we have here..

just had one last night...

maybe I can hear it before I feel it.

1340. FS:Pro-34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron M <monfeli@mail.telis.org>
Message-ID: <3506CC04.EA13A114@mail.telis.org>
Source record: 167395
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Check out ebay auction for a clean Pro-34 with cellular up for bid.

1341. Re: trunktracking and changes to the data stream (?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlambo55@tir.com
Message-ID: <6e6ino$37f$1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 167396

Joe,

I agree it doesn't make much sense, but the operator of the Motorola Trunked system in my area is doing exactly that. I posted a keypad trick that enables the radio to work even if the system it's monitoring is rigged to defeat the TT. I'll post again:

If your TT is experiencing the problem outlined below, try this keypad trick,
it works !!:

Hold the SVC, #2 & #9 keys down simultaneously while turning the unit on. This puts the radio in a diagnostic mode. While the characters in the window are blinking, hit the #5 key, then enter the key that has your trunked system programmed. Now scan your trunked system normally. If this doesn't totally eliminate the dropping out then start over but instead of the #5 key try #6 and so on, progress upward until you achieve the desired operation.

One word of caution though. Doing this will erase all frequencies programmed
into banks 6, 7 and 8. But it may be worth it if your system is rigged to screw with TrunkTrackers.

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Dean
****
** To Reply, Remove the "55" from my E-Mail address **
** Anti Spam (junk mail) Measures In Effect **
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http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/4484/index.html
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Joseph Cardani wrote in message <34fc69a1.26248446@news.tju.edu>...
>On 3 Mar 1998 02:37:22 GMT, smith145@hotmail.com (d) wrote:
>
>>
>>i have been told by a very reputable source that there is a firmware
>>revision out to motorola(tm) smartnet(tm) trunking systems that changes
>>the OSW (outbound signalling word) data format.
>>
>>this has been done purposefully to "fool" the trunk-tracker scanners.
>>"real" radios will ignore the extra bits in the data stream, but i
>>understand that this severely hinders the trunktrackers ability to
>>monitor a system...
>>
>>i am not aware of how effective this method is, but was wondering if
>>anyone else had heard similar rumblings...
>>
>>post to the group, not me.
>>
>>d
>>
>Hi,
>
>Even if the Trunk Tracker scanner is thwarted by this change in the
>data stream (highly unlikely - see Greg Knox's reply to this post),
>software such as TrunkTrac (also developed by Greg) could be easily
>modified to receive the new data format.
>
>But why would Motorola do this? To tick off thousands of Law
>Enforcement and Emergency Services professionals and volunteers that
>rely on the Trunk Tracker as the only practical and cost effective way
>to monitor surrounding public safety agencies in case of emergencies
>or for mutual aid? I believe it is not in Motorola's best interest to
>do this.
>
>Fore example, the Trunk Tracker was invaluable to public safety and
>the news media during the recent severe weather in Central Florida!
>
>Joe

1342. Re: Trunking Groups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlambo55@tir.com
Message-ID: <6e6j1d$5bp$1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 167397

Start at http://www.trunktrackter.com go to the DATABASE section of
the webpage. You'll find links to numerous sites that contain the info
you're looking for.

Dean
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EchoFoxx wrote in message <19980310035801.WAA23574@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
>Where can I view lists of Trunking Group Codes for Santa Clara, Ca.?, or
other
>cities.?

1343. Re: Digital Radio's any way to listen in?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlambo55@tir.com
Message-ID: <6e6ita$4ck$1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 167398

joe wrote in message <01bd4aad$3420bbc0$43ea03c7@main>...
>I know how it's easy, but I am not gona tell cause people could
>listen in on my conversations. This would defeat the purpose for
>which I purchased the phone. Here's a hint tho, OKI, cpu, firmware,
>a couple of more chips. Or hack the phone you purchase.(Digital,
>spread spectrum of course.) canning the RX RF section and using a
>broader one.
>
>ICE T <buck100@hotmail.com> wrote in article
><34ffb9b8.2938375@news.earthlink.net>...
>> Once everyone moves to digital...is there any way to listen in?
>>
>> Intercept it? Decode it?
>>
>> I am sure someone can hack it.
>>
>>

Oh please........get off your soapbox.

1344. Re: WARNING!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6e6g57$koc@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 167399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

LA (artz@ll.mit.edu) writes:
> x-no-archive: yes
>
> Tracey wrote:
>
>> According to the lastest newswire, the new anti-scanner law not only
>> bans listening into cellular conversations, but it also BANS THE
>> OWNERSHIP OF ANY DEVICE CAPABLE OF LISTENING TO CELLULAR RADIO
>> TELEPHONES!
>>
>> Many of you are now FELONS but you just have not been caught.
>> Your government loves you. It feels your pain.
>>
>> Mark
>
>
>
> ...so now the United States will have build new prisons to double the
> incarcerated population.
>
> Owners of TVs with a UHF tuner that shows 70-83 = FELON!!
>
> LA
>
> (who will never admit now to ever owning a television set with a UHF
> tuner made before 1985)
>
>
Seems to me this would also include about half of the cell phones as
well. You can put quite a few on "test mode" using keypad tricks, and
viola a cell phone scanner.... May make for an interesting court case,
put a cell phone on "test" record Newt talking to Paula Jones, sell
the tape to CNN, and get charged for using a cell phone to listen to
cell phone....

Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

"Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

1345. Re: Digital Radio's any way to listen in?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.nut>
Message-ID: <3506D63A.74B4@c-com.nut>
Source record: 167400

dlambo55@tir.com wrote:
>
> joe wrote in message <01bd4aad$3420bbc0$43ea03c7@main>...
> >I know how it's easy, but I am not gona tell cause people could
> >listen in on my conversations. This would defeat the purpose for
> >which I purchased the phone. Here's a hint tho, OKI, cpu, firmware,
> >a couple of more chips. Or hack the phone you purchase.(Digital,
> >spread spectrum of course.) canning the RX RF section and using a
> >broader one.
> >
> >ICE T <buck100@hotmail.com> wrote in article
> ><34ffb9b8.2938375@news.earthlink.net>...
> >> Once everyone moves to digital...is there any way to listen in?
> >>
> >> Intercept it? Decode it?
> >>
> >> I am sure someone can hack it.
> >>
> >>
>
> Oh please........get off your soapbox.
ok but i'll just get on a stump.

1346. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3506E2B5.AAC82608@usa.net>
Source record: 167401
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net> wrote:
>
> > > And I don't see an atmosphere on this newsgroup, either.
>
> > I do and it seems Ollie and I are not alone.
>
> Yes, but that is a choice, the results of which
> you, Ollie and others have simply self-imposed.
> Sort of like self-flagellation, if you will.
> Why do it? Duhhhhhh....cuz you like it? You
> tell me. Don't make me guess.

Just guess, you make no sense.

> > > It's whatever the hell I want to see in it, regardless
> > > of who does what to whom. In a short time, I am slapping
> > > Smacksie, Petey, Hankie, and a few others back on my
> > > Shit List and going on with business.
>
> > Seem you are well overdue to get back to business Bill.
>
> Maybe. MAybe not. But I and I alone will make that
> determination......without assistance. More or less
> exactly like you do.....

Who said differently Bill? You need to learn that an observation is not
a command or a request, it simply is an observation.

(snip)

> Me.....it's a hobby. I always did enjoy a good fracas
> of one sort or another, from an out and out rumble to
> peeing contests. So if that's what folks want to do,
> well.....okay, I sure won't run from it. If others do,
> well, that's their choice.

The above says it all. Impressive!

> > Yes we can all use filters and such but in reality many
> > have just said screw it and don't bother to contribute to this
> > newsgroup. All the virtual bull crap babble aside that is a fact.
>
> Maybe. But even at its best, there would be some to choose

> to go elsewhere. If everyone hugged, kissed, and loved up
> on each other, I'd probably hit the trail. <Gack.>

Maybe? HAHAHAHAHA!

> > The guy was 100% correct. Your was as expected by him and countless
> > others including myself. I don't see him as the poor old victim as you
> > do and there lies the difference.
>
> So what do you see? Him as being in full control?
> Are you in full control? Does Petie Breath force
> himself upon you and relieve you of your goodies?

No. The discussion was about Ollie's comment and your cyber-babble
remark. If you want to discuss Petey and I start a new topic.

> > > Rubbish! It's that way only if YOU want it that way.
> > > He just as easily could have piped in, frothing over
> > > at the mouth, cup runnething over, and observed that
> > > this newsgroup was the coolest place he'd ever seen on
> > > earth.
>
> > Yea, right. That makes no sense at all. Seems opinions that your on
> > going dance with Mackey cause you to froth at the mouth. You could have
> > just ignored it but those comments always send you off on your virtual
> > sermon.
>
> How's come you don't ignore Peter Breath Boe? Why
> ignore dung? It still stinks....so you may as well
> shovel it up and pitch it into the cesspool, and hose
> the spot down.

Quite often I do ignore Petey. You won't find threads that last for
months from Petey and me. There is an enormous difference between my
actions with Petey and you and Mackey.

> > > He could have observed that just as easily as
> > > the opposite extreme that he noted.
>
> > He could have if he was a moron.
>
> If? How do you know he wasn't?

It was quite easy to tell from what he wrote. Misguided thinking it
would have any effect on your "peeing contest" but certainly not a
moron.

> > It was far better before Mackey showed
> > up which is directly related to you showing up.
>
> Ummmmmm nooooooooo......it was another feller who really
> sounded my calling......but we'll not argue the point,
> fellers being fellers and all......

>
> > You remove the noise and
> > the level of meaningful posts will rise,
>
> THAT is not a foregone conclusion. People CAN control
> the noise. People can choose not to be victimized.

Victimized? You sure love that word. Is that what you feel?

> And even if it was all huggy-kissy-smoochie, you'd have
> a hundred times more dumb cellular hack questions and
> not a heck of a lot more contributions. Maybe SOME more,
> but not a LOT more. A different kind of "noise" will
> arise....."How do I mod my SnakeBite 760YMU for
> cellular?"

That in itself would be a move in the right direction and probably many
would prefer it to the present state of affairs.

> And then when the 167th one of those in a week comes
> in and gets ignored, then the sicko will get pissed at
> the "talent" he perceives as having ignored him, and
> a whole new war will commence.

Probably, but you would have no problem keeping you "peeing" master
title! :-)

> It is a vicious circle, perpetuated by Mackey, Boe,
> Hamptom, and their ilk.....the likes of whom outnumber
> the chiggers in a blackberry patch. If it ain't one
> thing, it will be another. You ought to know that.

Yep, and all you have to do is ignore it Bill. Take control Bill. Read
the FAQ Bill!

> > or it certainly seems that way
> > to me. I would be more than happy to be proven wrong but it isn't going
> > to happen. Only a fool or an idiot would argue that 100's of off topic
> > messages help improve the quality and number of participants of this
> > newsgroup.
>
> They don't improve or degrade. At least not to the
> enlightened participants who come here for what they
> want and perhaps to give a little.

(sigh)

> > > There is no REALITY here, my friend,.....other than
> > > the reality that we CHOOSE to create.
>
> > What cyber-babble Bill. Give it up.
>
> I'm not accusing you of babbling.....though I could.

Regardless of what you preach we are not talking to AI on here and every message has a real person behind the keyboard. It is all real Bill, only the content of messages may hold the untouchable but it is still written by real people.

> Why are you drifting off on that tangent? Why don't
> you argue or explain how this virtuality is as real
> as the hemmorhoids you're sitting on? Or some other
> reality that is about as real as blue sky, chilled beer,
> and peanut butter sandwiches?
>
> It isn't babble. You may choose not to agree, and if

Yes it is, or maybe excuse babble would narrow it down.

> so, then offer some tangible shred of evidence of this
> forum being a reality. Begin with researching the defintions
> of the words, both in Websters as well as in the cyber
> glossaries. Then tell me why I'm wrong. If I'm wrong.

Write some messages that you are planning to kill Clinton. Send some threats to the White House through your E-mail and then tell the Feds that show up on your doorstep that it is all virtual and they can't touch you!

> > Geeze Bill, get a grip. You feed your ego or something with your little
> > Mackey battles. It is your reality that seems disconnected from the
> > rest. You must really feel good showing up an idiot like him day after
> > day after day after day after day and then twice on other
> > days.
>
> No, I just feel good each morning waking up knowing that
> I ain't him.
>
> What's the difference, anyway, with you and Peter Breath Boe?
> You sure seem to get off porking him every chance you get.

Not true Bill, I have ignored him. There also is the difference that you don't see 100's of messages from us.

> Is this a deal where it's okay for you and not for me?

I NEVER said I was right flaming Petey did I? I am wrong most every time I do it. Usually I only reply when he steps on my toes but I really should ignore him. So what? Did somebody post a message complaining about me? Did I post that it all is virtual and said poster is .....! (fill in the blank) Nope.

> > > Then I post stuff about scanners and answer questions
> > > on 'em. I'm happy. You're happy. Everyone's happy.
> > > Nobody gets left out.
>
> > yawn
>

> Ahhhhh, I see. So you DON'T like scanners and scanning?

No, it is just after all these years I have heard the same line before.

> At least those topics bore you, eh? I mean...YOU don't
> talk scanners and scanning a whole lot. Not at all,
> actually......though you certainly have more exceptions
> than Mackey and Boe. Those two popinjays NEVER talk
> the topic while you hardly ever do. It's a matter of
> degree, but not by a hell of a lot.

I don't agree.

> > > Even Ollie......fer example.....he even observed right
> > > off that he was going to get hosed. Do YOU ever do that?
>
> > When it involves posts that have any connection to you that aren't
> > praise I can say
> > I would normally bet on you posting a similar response as you did to
> > Ollie. You are very predictable in that sense Bill.
>
> Predictable? <Shrug> If so, then it ought to be worth
> some money to you on a bet with some sucker. Take
> advantage of it. If you can.

I can't but am glad you agree.
>
> I won a fortune in poker some years ago....from people
> who thought I was predictable. No matter. Just consider
> that it doesn't count for much my being "predictable" here
> and now. If it were to ever COUNT, let me know and I'll
> mend my ways.

Point went right over your head Bill, sorry.

> > > I don't. I don't think you do. Why not? Because it is
> > > an explicit invitation to others to come around and bend
> > > you over and help theirself. They guy WANTED a hosing, see?
> > > Else, he'd have just made his point, if he had one......
>
> > Well some of us got and understood his point others including you
> > didn't.
>
> You are as much 'fessing up that you PICKED and CHOSE
> the points you picked up. But you can't legitimately do
> that. A guy writes something, and you gotta take it all
> into account. The WHOLE picture. You can't pick and
> choose and have any reasonable hope of being correct.....

I didn't pick and choose I just don't agree with your interpretation.

> > Maybe your mind is too intent on looking at things as if they
> > are all bent over. I dunno, it does seem to be a popular theme of yours

> > lately.
>
> Do you want a different one? Show me. Show me a
> different one in how you treat Peter Breath Boe.
> Examples are louder than words. Show me.

What good would it do Bill? Will you follow my example? If not, then
there was no point in the above paragraph.

> > More cyberbabble and excuses for behaviors one normally would not
> > exhibit in public.
>
> There is NO "behavior" in these virtual forums.

Cyber-babble.

> "Behavior"
> is an item of action. There is NO action here. And what
> there is, period, is totally and 100% *perceived*. It is
> not in any sense of the imagination.....real. Tell me how
> it can be.

So when you going to send that virtual letter to Clinton to test this?

> > Have you considered putting all this in a FAQ? In the future you could
> > just post the FAQ. I've seen this line from you so often it would save
> > you lots of time. Again, you see Ollie in a different light than I do.
>
> I don't "see" Ollie. All I saw were words attributable to
> him, and I read every word he wrote....individually and
> in summation.

Oh, thanks for the correction Bill. I guess another point went over you
head. BTW, "see" doesn't always mean visual. Sheesh!

> > I usually don't get into such nonsense. Once and a while for Boy Prozacs
> > sake but that is it.
>
> "Once in a while?" You're kidding? There are 21 posts
> from you in my recent queue, three of which are remotely
> on topic. The rest are to, about, or connected with
> Mackey and Boe. How do you explain "once in a while"?

Actually Bill, 43 posts since December 1997. More than three were
scanner related. If we are comparing you to me than once and a while
should be never. As I said above, I don't condone my "behavior" on this
newsgroup. It isn't positive and has no meaningful use to the scanner
hobby. Did I say differently?
> > > It's always a matter of choice here in "virtuality".
>
> > Cyber-babble Bill. All of life is choice sooner or later.
>
> There you go with the "babble" again. It isn't.

> Not....unless.....you can't understand what I'm
> talking about...in which case we have a problem
> either of your lack of comprehension or my lack
> of clear expression. Which is it?

You.

>
> > > Tell me it ain't.
> >
> > Why? That burning desire you have to argue and show all what you are
> > made of? Most all of us know Bill. We have seen and heard it from you a
> > million times. No thanks, no more today for me. Go play with Mackey, we
> > are through here I think.
>
> Wow. Wild. Crazy. Far out.

I never said that and you didn't answer my question.

>I take it you don't like me anymore?

I never said that either. I made a comment on your schooling Ollie. I
still love ya man! :-O

> That is utterly amazing......staggers the farthest-fetched
> imagination.
>
> We? Babble? Million times? Made of?
>
> Throughout your entire series of posts, you have
> continually injected little personalisms, adjectives
> that were not initially fired at you, and you've
> methodically avoided hitting the nail on the head,
> in terms of the subjects discussed.

You need to read it again without your chip and ego.

> Why? I didn't do it to you. So what elicited
> it other than your 'disagreement'? I don't understand.
> The "million times" crap can be simplified to me
> mentioning several dozen times that Mackey is a
> hermaphrodite. Did this somehow get around to where
> you thought I called you one?

Nope.

> I don't recollect it, if I did. I don't feel I
> accused you of "babbling". So why take a perfectly
> good argument down to a personal nature? Why
> dismiss the points I made or tried to make?

I don't agree with your points. Also, I didn't say you were babbling I
called your virtual crap cyber-babble. BIG difference.

> You want scanners and scanning talked about here?
> Show me. You are capable of talking radio. You
> are capable of answering a lot of the newbies'
> questions. You are capable of talking higher level
> stuff, from computer interfacing to digital decoding
> to satellite reception.
>
> But you don't.

Oh, but I do on occasion. OTOH, I don't post 100's of messages a week
about nothing. So what? Are you challenging me? I think you are treading
on grounds that can't support you Bill.

> Don't task me until you've either corrected or
> at least explained your own failings. That's
> only reasonable and fair.

I did Bill. Guess you just were too virtual to read them.

1347. Re: Earthquake frequencies in So. Cal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Eisner <boei@trifox.com>
Message-ID: <3506EBCA.73@trifox.com>
Source record: 167402

Buck wrote:
>
> Anyone know the frquencies that Caltech uses to help
> after those earthquakes we have here..
>
> just had one last night...
>
> maybe I can hear it before I feel it.

Not sure about what frequencies they use, but you can check
the magnitude and position of the quake at the following URL:

http://quake.wr.usgs.gov/recenteqs/Maps/117-34.html

1348. FS/BC-2500 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sanders <jdsand@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3506EE6A.9B5@flash.net>
Source record: 167403

HAVE A LIKE NEW BC-2500XLT SCANNER...POSITIVELY NO SCRATCHES...JUST LIKE NEW I WILL SHIP FOR $285.00..400ch in 20 banks with vfo control...has manual--power module..leather like carrying case..cig. lighter power cord..in orig. box...date of mfg..may 94..ser#43393734...if you want the cleanest 2500 you can buy this is it....tnx...john in dallas at 214-339-8062...goes from 25-1300 w/no cellular

1349. Free speech inverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tonyrush@bga.com
Message-ID: <3506f244.0@feed1.realtime.net>
Source record: 167404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Version 2.0 of our Speech Inverter for Windows 95/NT and a full duplex
sound card is available at http://www.lpcom.com. This is freeware.

Many enhancements:

- MMX utilitzation
- NT compatibility
- Improved inversion algorithm
- Inversion point frequency display
- Inversion point fine adjustment
- Reduced computational latency

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Tony Rusho |
Internet: tonyrush@bga.com |

1350. Re: Hold him accountable (was: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6e70dn$3t7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Some people argue that conversations on cellular radios should be no more private than any other radio communications. Historically, radio has been considered a public medium while telephone lines have been considered private. If someone broadcasts a message thorgh an unprivate medium and then through a private one, the communication would not have an expectation of privacy. The same rules should apply to cell-phones. The Communications Act of 1934, which prohibites wiretapping, does not prohibit listening to radio signals simply because they were also sent through a telephone line. Listening to cell-phones is only illegal due to the influence of the CTIA with legialstion such as the ECPA of 1986.

In article <6e4i3c$flp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
THEOLDBROOKYNKID@worldnet.att.net wrote:
>
> Brent Corbin wrote:
> >
> > Ok - but what happens when the local drug dealer sues Grandma Bearcat
> > for disclosing to the police the transactions she overheard him make
> > on his cell phone?
> >
> > Sure, the dealer's crimes are arguably more heinous - but the underlying
> > principle is the same. The dealer has every bit as much right to privacy
> > as the politician does (hey - wasn't that part of the contract on
America?
> > no perks, no priviledge?)
> >
> > If Justice truely is blind (and we all have to hope she is), she cares not
> > a wit that your favorite politician got dinged in the incident. The folks
> > that brought us the Newt tape are every bit as guilty as Grandma Bearcat,
> > and deserve the exact same sentence she gets...
> >
> > jhayes3rd@digizen.net wrote:
> > : Karl Dahlquist wrote:
> > : >
> > : > Finally!
> >
> > : I agree!!! We need to hold everyone in Congress accountable for
> > : the laws that they pass.
> >
> > : By the way, he also voted "YES" on the new Wireless Privacy Bill
> > : that the House passed on Friday.
> HEY EQAUL RRRIGHTS, DUDE.

> JUSTICE CAN BE A HE TOO
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1351. Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Emison <dlemison@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e6v5m$at6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167406
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hey everyone...I'm new to scanners, or I should say to there features since I have spent a lot of time using the basic features on my grandfathers...anyway I have read lots of FAQ and I was wondering this: Are the trunktracker radio's made so you can talk back, or what are they...I understand that with scanners you can only listen correct?

Dave Emison
dlemison@worldnet.att.net
ON AOL: Skins 9981
ON ICQ: 542112

1352. Re: Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350702B3.643CDA72@usa.net>
Source record: 167407
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Dave Emison wrote:
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> I have spent a lot of time using the basic features on my
> grandfathers...anyway I have read lots of FAQ and I was wondering this: Are
> the trunktracker radio's made so you can talk back, or what are they...I
> understand that with scanners you can only listen correct?

You got it Dave. Listen only.

1353. mobile phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenn <corbo_99@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4d36$0d05d260$e13614ac@lyn>
Source record: 167408

Hi Can some one send me a list of some mobile phone frequencies. So i can listen to them on my scanner. Thanx

Glenn

corbo_99@yahoo.com

1354. New Message Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: windsong <ldanderson@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <3507088F.3849@nidlink.com>
Source record: 167409
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I found this really cool website with a new message board and a searchable database of modifications and alot of links to everything about radio, I wanted to share the news... thanks

http://www.radiolink.net/connected

1355. Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: JC <jc@aol.com>
Message-ID: <35070A0C.561F@aol.com>
Source record: 167410

I've read your technical pieces in MT over the years and respect your opinion and so I find it disheartening to see the kind of conversations you are engaged in here. The newsgroup is filled with personal attacks back and forth between you and a myriad of others. Why not take the high road Bill and stop responding ? You are better than this.

Just an opinion.

1356. Re: PRO-67 Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: aellery@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311224401.RAA22420@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167411

Try 816 - 823 MHz for strong cell images.

Allen

1357. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3508117e.10063996@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167412

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

> On Tue, 10 Mar 1998 18:50:39 -0800,
> *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>
> >Eric is blind, we have no confirmation that he is
> >retarted, YET.

> What the hell is retarted?

A tart that's been restarted?

:-))

1358. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3506f8bd.3726403@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167413

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net> wrote:

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> > tell me. Don't make me guess.

> Just guess, you make no sense.

Sooooo, you can't be logical? I am beginning
to suspect you are not THE "Glenn Hansen" I
know.....or used to know. Am I conversing with
a forger, perchance or happenstance? In any event,
you certainly aren't serious about this matter.
You sure don't want to even TRY to see a different
point of view....but worse than that, you won't
bother to explain yours. Verrrrrry strange, pal.

> > Maybe. MAybe not. But I and I alone will make that
> > determination......without assistance. More or less
> > exactly like you do.....

> Who said differently Bill? You need to learn that an observation is not
> a command or a request, it simply is an observation.

But why observe and then waste time, space, and
bandwidth with the mundane?

> > Me.....it's a hobby. I always did enjoy a good fracas
> > of one sort or another, from an out and out rumble to
> > peeing contests. So if that's what folks want to do,
> > well.....okay, I sure won't run from it. If others do,
> > well, that's their choice.

> The above says it all. Impressive!

It says no more than YOUR actions of the past couple
of years..... So which are the loudest?

> > So what do you see? Him as being in full control?
> > Are you in full control? Does Petie Breath force
> > himself upon you and relieve you of your goodies?

> No. The discussion was about Ollie's comment and your cyber-babble
> remark. If you want to discuss Petey and I start a new topic.

They're related. You are coming from a very
non-constructive area.....trying to task me for
much the same in your makeup. I don't understand.

> > How's come you don't ignore Peter Breath Boe? Why
> > ignore dung? It still stinks....so you may as well
> > shovel it up and pitch it into the cesspool, and hose
> > the spot down.

> Quite often I do ignore Petey. You won't find threads that last for
> months from Petey and me. There is an enormous difference between my
> actions with Petey and you and Mackey.

It's Petey's doings more than yours. He loathes you
and has to take a breather for his Prozac. If that
weren't the case, you and him would continually be at
it. Still, we're only talking degree..... not worlds
of differences.

> Victimized? You sure love that word. Is that what you feel?

Of course not. Where do you read that? I see
a lot of people perceiving themselves as "victims",
They come off as "helpless" and demanding of others
to resolve their problems for them.

> > And even if it was all huggy-kissy-smoochie, you'd have
> > a hundred times more dumb cellular hack questions and
> > not a heck of a lot more contributions. Maybe SOME more,
> > but not a LOT more. A different kind of "noise" will
> > arise........."How do I mod my SnakeBite 760YMU for
> > cellular?"

> That in itself would be a move in the right direction and probably many
> would prefer it to the present state of affairs.

Poppycock! It would get old mighty quick and the
clock would tick off the seconds before some pervert
would start it all anew. You know that.

> Probably, but you would have no problem keeping you "peeing" master
> title! :-)

Depends. If it's some low-life like Petey or Hankie
with no socially redeeming values, then I'll keep
'em on my Shit List more often than not.

> > It is a vicious circle, perpetuated by Mackey, Boe,
> > Hamptom, and their ilk.....the likes of whom outnumber
> > the chiggers in a blackberry patch. If it ain't one
> > thing, it will be another. You ought to know that.

> Yep, and all you have to do is ignore it Bill. Take control Bill. Read
> the FAQ Bill!

You don't understand. *I* don't have the problem, Glenn.
I respond to what I CHOOSE and not to what I don't choose.
Either way, nothing chaps my hide or alters my equilibrium.
Not here. Not in virtuality. I don't mind a good peeing
contest same as I don't mind a good chat about scanners.

My choice is simple. Until YOU....Mackey.....Boe.....
Hamhocks, and other such...*choose* to ignore non-topical
matters, then far be it from me to be the odd man out. I'll
go with the flow....and if people like to target me to
get their jollies, then what the hell? If they can learn
to lay off and respect the general idea of the forum, then
I sure can, too. But you?

You're a FINE one to be delivering preachments and
lectures. You want to accuse me of the same? hah!
If I preach anything, it's one simple fact.....that
there is no need to be a victim. No one can hurt you.
No one can spit tobacco juice in your eyes. The
topic of this thread....Ollie.....felt harmed, victimized,
ala HURT.....when there was no inherent need to feel
that way. I can't argue the CHOICE to feel that way.

This world has masochists and sadists. Maso's like to
be victimized. It's their thing. I don't understand
it, but I won't argue it, either. So the crux of my
preachments is to come to grips with your inner self
and what you want. If you are a masochist, then I bow
out. If you are "normal" so to speak, then listen to
what the hell I'm telling you: YOU don't have to be
victimized if you don't want to be. Between controlling
your computer and understanding that this isn't a REAL
meeting hall we're in....well, I would think that a
different point of view could emerge.....

A point of view that would make it a LOT easier to
ignore the scuzz of the earth, few and far between
as they are. But the first step is to realize that
they are impotent; powerless; and cannot possibly
victimize you.....unless, of course, you CHOOSE it.

> Regardless of what you preach we are not talking to AI on here and every
> message has a real person behind the keyboard.

Does that include Petey, Smacksie, and Hankie?

> It is all real Bill, only the content of messages may
> hold the untouchable but it is still written by real people.

You don't KNOW that in the purest sense. Petey
might call you a sphincter schnoz, but you don't
know a thing about Petey or, if in fact, it is HIM.
And you don't know if he was smiling or ripping the
phosphors off his CRT trying to get at you. You
don't know if he was being affectionate in a perverted
sort of way.....or if he was pulling the punches
and being very conservative in his estimation of
your schnoz.

You DON'T KNOW beans, man. Best you can do is
"think" you know.........

> > Then tell me why I'm wrong. If I'm wrong.

> Write some messages that you are planning to kill Clinton. Send some
> threats to the White House through your E-mail and then tell the Feds
> that show up on your doorstep that it is all virtual and they can't
> touch you!

It becomes "real" when they show up. However,
they will show up, NOT because it's "real"; rather
because it is a threat to reality. Big difference.
You've not made your "reality" case very clear.
You're not on my doorstep, either.....

> > What's the difference, anyway, with you and Peter Breath Boe?
> > You sure seem to get off porking him every chance you get.

> Not true Bill, I have ignored him. There also is the difference that you
> don't see 100's of messages from us.

I ignore him and Mackey, too. We're talking degree.
Besides, Petey is a friggin lunatic. Mackey is just
perverted.......

> > Is this a deal where it's okay for you and not for me?

> I NEVER said I was right flaming Petey did I? I am wrong most every time
> I do it. Usually I only reply when he steps on my toes but I really
> should ignore him. So what? Did somebody post a message complaining
> about me? Did I post that it all is virtual and said poster is
> ....! (fill in the blank) Nope.

So? So you're a better person than me. Live it up!
Proclaim it to the world. Don't tell me - I don't give
a hoot. If you're a better person than me, then the
"fruit of your tree" will have a better taste and be
carried around the world. <Shrug> I don't give a
flying fresh-picked booger if you're better than me.
Okay, so you are. Now what?

> > Ahhhhh, I see. So you DON'T like scanners and scanning?

> No, it is just after all these years I have heard the same line before.

Well.....truth is something that just doesn't change
with the whimsy and fickle perceptions of it. Lies and
misunderstandings certain change a lot. Might there be
a clue for you?

> > At least those topics bore you, eh? I mean...YOU don't
> > talk scanners and scanning a whole lot. Not at all,
> > actually......though you certainly have more exceptions
> > than Mackey and Boe. Those two popinjays NEVER talk
> > the topic while you hardly ever do. It's a matter of
> > degree, but not by a hell of a lot.

> I don't agree.

I showed where 3 of 21 of your recent posts were close
to being on topic. 18 of 21 were off. Where do you
not agree?

> > Predictable? <Shrug> If so, then it ought to be worth
> > some money to you on a bet with some sucker. Take
> > advantage of it. If you can.

> I can't but am glad you agree.

So why can't you? Are you helpless?

> > I won a fortune in poker some years ago....from people
> > who thought I was predictable. No matter. Just consider
> > that it doesn't count for much my being "predictable" here
> > and now. If it were to ever COUNT, let me know and I'll
> > mend my ways.

> Point went right over your head Bill, sorry.

No. It hit home. Now I say if you think I am so
predictable, then capitalize on it. Make something
good happen to you out of it....if you're so "right".
Otherwise, what's it matter?

> I didn't pick and choose I just don't agree with your interpretation.

How's come you don't do any more than disagree? Why
don't you state and present a case for your "opinion"?
Am I supposed to come around to your way of thinking
on your mere say-so?

> > Do you want a different one? Show me. Show me a
> > different one in how you treat Peter Breath Boe.
> > Examples are louder than words. Show me.

> What good would it do Bill? Will you follow my example? If not, then
> there was no point in the above paragraph.

You don't know WHAT good it could do until you
do it. I can't predict what good will come out of
YOUR actions. All I know is you're picking things
apart now.....and have no meritorious position of
examples or words on which to base your case.

You just "disagree". That's all. I *can* be
convinced now and again....but not on one-liners
like yours. State a case. Give me an example.

> > > More cyberbabble and excuses for behaviors one normally would not
> > > exhibit in public.

> > There is NO "behavior" in these virtual forums.

> Cyber-babble.

You don't understand, so you call it "babble". I see.

> > "Behavior"
> > is an item of action. There is NO action here. And what
> > there is, period, is totally and 100% *perceived*. It is
> > not in any sense of the imagination.....real. Tell me how
> > it can be.

> So when you going to send that virtual letter to Clinton to test this?

Why should I do that? I have no feelings of that sort to
him. Besides, it does not clarify your case. You're
suggesting something stupid and idiotic.....a schizo of
an idea, no less.

We're not talking toppling the federal government here.
We're not talking physical actions (reality) against
anyone or anything that is otherwise against the law.

Your allusion is an illusion....and a freaky one, at that.

> > I don't "see" Ollie. All I saw were words attributable to
> > him, and I read every word he wrote....individually and
> > in summation.

> Oh, thanks for the correction Bill. I guess another point went over you
> head. BTW, "see" doesn't always mean visual. Sheesh!

Nothing went over my head. But without body language,
voice inflections; and physical auras, you cannot possibly
deal with anything more than brass tacks facts in these
virtual forums. Our deal Ollie spoke of no facts. He
iterated perceptions and feelings. His. These are not
factual to anyone on the planet except to him....and he
could wake up the next morning with a different point of
view. So where does that leave your "facts".

All you have is a judgment. And a rush to judgment, at that.

> > "Once in a while?" You're kidding? There are 21 posts
> > from you in my recent queue, three of which are remotely
> > on topic. The rest are to, about, or connected with
> > Mackey and Boe. How do you explain "once in a while"?

> Actually Bill, 43 posts since December 1997.

I SAID I had 21 in my recent queue.....I didn't go back
to December. Second week in February, to be exact.

> More than three were scanner related.

Not since February 9th.

> If we are comparing you to me than once and a while
> should be never. As I said above, I don't condone my "behavior" on this
> newsgroup. It isn't positive and has no meaningful use to the scanner
> hobby. Did I say differently?

Then why sharpen your teeth on me? No facts, no examples,
and no case.....and a very poorly and loosely composed
idea period.......and I'm, supposed to do as you SAY; not
as you do?

Geezus H. Kriste, man, what tribe are you from?

> > There you go with the "babble" again. It isn't.
> > Not....unless.....you can't understand what I'm
> > talking about...in which case we have a problem
> > either of your lack of comprehension or my lack
> > of clear expression. Which is it?

> You.

Your say-so. But you won't even do me the courtesy
of stopping at first base and dissecting the first
thing you don't understand or don't agree with. You
won't cite your understanding so we can compare notes.
Instead.....you say I am "babbling".......

But I am supposed to FOLLOW you? Really?

> > > > Tell me it ain't.

> > > Why? That burning desire you have to argue and show all what you are
> > > made of? Most all of us know Bill. We have seen and heard it from you a
> > > million times. No thanks, no more today for me. Go play with Mackey, we
> > > are through here I think.

> > Wow. Wild. Crazy. Far out.

> I never said that and you didn't answer my question.

You posed a fallacious question. It's roots are
an assumption and a fallacy. I can't answer it.

And....you never said WHAT? I quoted what you said
verbatim......

> >I take it you don't like me anymore?

> I never said that either. I made a comment on your schooling Ollie. I
> still love ya man! :-O

Well, then don't retreat to your corner hollering
"babble". If it's "babble", then you don't understand.
If you don't understand, then make me make you understand.
Or.....you make me understand. One or the other.
Or both.

> > Throughout your entire series of posts, you have
> > continually injected little personalisms, adjectives
> > that were not initially fired at you, and you've
> > methodically avoided hitting the nail on the head,
> > in terms of the subjects discussed.

> You need to read it again without your chip and ego.

I have. Several times. You are not dealing in facts
and substance and tangibles. Your position is one of
simple "disagreement". And personalisms......

> > You want scanners and scanning talked about here?
> > Show me. You are capable of talking radio. You
> > are capable of answering a lot of the newbies'
> > questions. You are capable of talking higher level
> > stuff, from computer interfacing to digital decoding
> > to satellite reception.

> > But you don't.

> Oh, but I do on occasion.

A matter of "degree", huh? So the 'ho who turns ten
tricks a week is a better person than the 'ho who turns
20 tricks a week? Good grief....the pot calls the kettle
black. Brazenly, too, it appears. Ballsy-like.....

> OTOH, I don't post 100's of messages a week about nothing.

Ummm....me neither. Not even Mackey does that.

> So what? Are you challenging me? I think you are treading
> on grounds that can't support you Bill.

While we have established that you are a better person
than me, I am most assuredly willing to walk on water
and other "grounds" that don't support me. I wouldn't
have said it, if I weren't willing. Yes.....you are
challenged.....certainly to practice what you preach,
for starters.

> > Don't task me until you've either corrected or
> > at least explained your own failings. That's
> > only reasonable and fair.

> I did Bill. Guess you just were too virtual to read them.

The first you've 'fessed to your own failings was
in this latest post. And yes, I read them, but not
before you could finish the post. In prior posts,
you did not make clear that your position was something
to the effect:

"DO AS I SAY - NOT AS I DO."

Now that we have established at least a semblance
of a framework of your logic, let us proceed from
there and see if we can convince each other...or
otherwise, figure out a solution to your problems.

Me....I don't have any problems and am not a victim.

If I am somehow victimizing you, let me know what
I can do (besides sending money) to help you out
of your unfortunate circumstances.

The best I can figure out right now....and giving
credit where it is due.....I've got to say you've
picked up a case of "eye-rectitis" where your optical
nerves got crossed up with the rectal nerves and
gave you a shitty outlook.

I just don't know what can be done about that.
It's a personal problem, and I'm not qualified
to handle those. Sorry. But I'm *certain* you
will understand. I'm counting on it.

PS: One more time......about Ollie.....I want
you to take a long, close look at his
SUBJECT line. Factor that in with his
"poor ol' me" observation....and tell me
what the hell his zipper has anything to
do with anything? And why it wasn't legit
for me to wonder if that zipper was on the
seat of his wretched britches........

Eh?

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1359. Re: Uniden Scanner Sport Cat 150..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35091348.10522501@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167414

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klorenzo@bigfoot.com (Larry) wrote:

> I am thinking about getting this scanner, does anyone know if the
> 800/900Mhz is locked out,

Cellular is blocked.

> and if so what i would have to do to unlock it?

You can't.

> Or is there a better radio that i can do this with?
> How about Radio Shack?

Many better radios. But none sold in the USA
can be modifiable for cellular, thanks to a law
passed in 1994. You need to get a pre-1994 scanner
if cellular trips your trigger.

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1360. Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311230101.SAA25130@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167415

When the stuff hit the fan concerning the monitoring and taping of Newt's cellphone conversations, did anyone get the idea that something was awfully strange about the alledged scenario?

I believe the tape was about 20 minutes long. The people who were monitoring it were supposed to be in a vehicle, driving along an interstate highway when they just happened to hear a familiar voice on a hand held scanner that they didn't know had been modified for cellular use! They then held a pocket tape recorder up to the speaker and got an excellent quality voice recording.

Several things are wrong with this

1) When was the last time you were able to track a cell-conversation for 20 minutes. Even in a small town like ours, the signal would have been handed off several times, and a real chore to even find, let alone tape.

2) You're doing this from a moving vehicle. In 20 minutes you've move through the coverage area of several cells. What's the range of a cell to a hand held scanner...inside a moving vehicle?

3) I've heard a couple of snippets of the tape. The audio quality was remarkable to have been done with a hand held scanner with the mic of a pocket recorder.

Now...

What do you think are some alternate explainations???

Were one of the participants to the call taping it and then it was leaked using the
cell phone scanning as a cover?

Was there an illicit wiretap ... and again, the cellphone story used for cover?

What do you think?

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1361. Re: Radio Shack Robots (was: Re: Radio Shack Rip Off)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2zxz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311230900.SAA22667@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167416

Amen to that!!!

1362. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35071F60.3C630B50@usa.net>
Source record: 167417
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:

<..>

And here is what Ollie wrote....

I know I'll burn in hell for this but...

I regularly lurk in about 50 newsgroups, plus I jump in and out of
dozens more. What I'm I getting at? This group has the most ornery
bunch on usenet! I don't know if I love it or hate it. I can't wait
to get home to see what happened on
"as-the-rec.radio.scanner/alt.radio.scanner-turns".

Thanks for a most interesting, if not somewhat annoying group.

Yep, sounds like the plea of a victim Bill. I was wrong, not.
I still agree 100% with Ollie. I also understand why he picked the
subject line. You have done the same yourself.

BTW, I said your virtual reality spiel is cyber-babble. Bullstuff. If
you want to be a victim and interpret it as all your writing is babble,
that is your choice.

1363. Re: New Sony Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311233800.SAA27689@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167418

Oh neat!!!! I'm getting one.....Will Motorola be next??
Sigintman

1364. FS: AOR-8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe N0IAT <joentam@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35071B0B.185A8A86@yahoo.com>
Source record: 167419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Like new, purchased 11/97 in Hong Kong. UK bandplan (unblocked)
1000 channels, including original box, manual, nicads and 120VAC
wall charger.

This scanner/receiver is fantastic. Covers 500 Khz thru 1800 Mzh !
Nothing is blocked -- hear EVERYTHING. AM/SSB/CW/NFM/WFM all mode
handheld receiver.

$495 + shipping OBO.

Email if interested.
thanks,
Joe N0IAT

1365. For Sale--Pro26 and Pro-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccsu0691@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6e7buncrb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have for sale:

Pro-26 (no epoxy), as sold new (no mods) with box accessories and instructions, will sell along with AC adapter and 4 Radio Shack High capacity rechargeables. No scratches or damage. Still has Radio Shack TSP warranty. Will sell shipped for $275 OBO.

Pro-2035, as new in box with instructions. 1000 channels! No mods as sold new. Will sell shipped for $300 OBO.

Both perchased new from local Radio Shack no previous owners, both very clean and as new. Any questions email to ccsu0691@earthlink.net I live just south of Atlanta, GA.

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1366. Re: mobile phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dag0913@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311235501.SAA00801@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167421

Glenn,

It is illegal to listen to other's mobile telephone conversations.

DAG

1367. Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhayes3rd@digizen.net
Message-ID: <350726EE.35B7@digizen.net>
Source record: 167422
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi All,

It appears that someone is issuing Rogue Cancels again from an
Open NNTP Server at Texas A&M Univ. All Posts and Cancels via
this Open NNTP Server "boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu" seem to get
a NNTP Posting Host of itself "boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu".

All of the posts cancelled from this server appear to belong to
John Mackey, however, they do NOT appear to have been issued by
him, because the Browser Type used was NETSCAPE Standard 3.01
running under Windows 95. The real John Mackey runs NETSCAPE
Gold 3.01 under Windows 3.1.

These are the headers of the Rogue Cancels that I came across
this morning:

Message-ID: <3505FC27.29C9@usa.net>
Date: Tue, 10 Mar 1998 21:51:19 -0500
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01 (Win95; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3505128B.32A7@usa.net>
References: <3505128B.32A7@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3505128B.32A7@usa.net>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
NNTP-Posting-Host: boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu
Lines: 2
Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.
com!newsfeed.internetmci.com!205.231.236.10!newspeer.monmouth.com!news.io.com!news.tamu.ed
u!news.tamu-commerce.edu!boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu
Xref: news1.apstech.com control.cancel:5430786

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Message-ID: <3505FBE1.4D17@usa.net>
Date: Tue, 10 Mar 1998 21:50:09 -0500
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01 (Win95; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0

Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <35051394.6C94@usa.net>
References: <35051394.6C94@usa.net>
Control: cancel <35051394.6C94@usa.net>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
NNTP-Posting-Host: boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu
Lines: 2
Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!newspeer.monmouth.com!news.io.com!news.tamu.edu!news.tamu-commerce.edu!boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu
Xref: news1.apstech.com control.cancel:5430785

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Message-ID: <3505F7AD.66D4@usa.net>
Date: Tue, 10 Mar 1998 21:32:13 -0500
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01 (Win95; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3505F8B8.7914@usa.net>
References: <3505F8B8.7914@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3505F8B8.7914@usa.net>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
NNTP-Posting-Host: boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu
Lines: 2
Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!rodan.ftl.telematics.com!attbt1!mis1!bgtf1!worldnet.att.net!news-out.internetmci.com!newsfeed.internetmci.com!205.231.236.10!newspeer.monmouth.com!news.io.com!news.tamu.edu!news.tamu-commerce.edu!boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu
Xref: news1.apstech.com control.cancel:5430762

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Message-ID: <3505F798.3CFA@usa.net>
Date: Tue, 10 Mar 1998 21:31:52 -0500
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01 (Win95; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3505FBD0.1390@usa.net>
References: <3505FBD0.1390@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3505FBD0.1390@usa.net>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
NNTP-Posting-Host: boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu
Lines: 2
Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!rodan.ftl.telematics.com
!attbt1!mis1!bgtf1!worldnet.att.net!news-out.internetmci.com!newsfeed.internetmci.com!205.
231.236.10!newspeer.monmouth.com!news.io.com!news.tamu.edu!news.tamu-commerce.edu!boisdarc
.tamu-commerce.edu
Xref: news1.apstech.com control.cancel:5430763

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essage-ID: <3505F78D.1CF1@usa.net>
Date: Tue, 10 Mar 1998 21:31:41 -0500
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01 (Win95; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3505F83E.520C@usa.net>
References: <3505F83E.520C@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3505F83E.520C@usa.net>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
NNTP-Posting-Host: boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu
Lines: 2
Path:
news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!rodan.ftl.telematics.com
!attbt1!mis1!bgtf1!worldnet.att.net!news-out.internetmci.com!newsfeed.internetmci.com!205.
231.236.10!newspeer.monmouth.com!news.io.com!news.tamu.edu!news.tamu-commerce.edu!boisdarc
.tamu-commerce.edu
Xref: news1.apstech.com control.cancel:5430764

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Message-ID: <3505F780.5A91@usa.net>
Date: Tue, 10 Mar 1998 21:31:28 -0500
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01 (Win95; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3505F774.4B0D@usa.net>
References: <3505F774.4B0D@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3505F774.4B0D@usa.net>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
NNTP-Posting-Host: boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu
Lines: 2
Path:
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news1.apstech.com!atl-news-feed1.bbnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!rodan.ftl.telematics.com
!attbt1!mis1!bgtf1!worldnet.att.net!news-out.internetmci.com!newsfeed.internetmci.com!137.
192.241.248!mr.net!news.io.com!news.tamu.edu!news.tamu-commerce.edu!boisdarc.tamu-commerce
.edu
Xref: news1.apstech.com control.cancel:5430765

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1368. Internal Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Flipper <kennyamy@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6e7867$bt2@ecuador.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167423

To All,

Can anyone tell me if there is a scanner that has a internal speaker larger or louder then the one's Bearcat, Radio Shack, Uniden, etc? I drive a semi and it is very hard for me to hear what is being broadcast. I know that I can use a external speaker and even a headphone. But due to the fact they I drive Hazmat my company will not allow me to use these external products..

Thanks

Scan Man

1369. Re: Radio Shack scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gray <rgray@dmv.com>
Message-ID: <35072BB8.191404A3@dmv.com>
Source record: 167424

I have a non-functioning 2004 also. Once the radio was completely dead and I found that the a.c power cord was bad at the point where it mounts to the chassis. I think if you try it on 12v and it works then it could be the a.c. cord. But probably not. I read that R235, a resistor on the main board can cause problems in 2004. I looked at mine and there is a 2200mf capacitor in the area that appears to have leaked. Mine turns on but no display, It has the backlight but no digits, and the squelch won't open but I can hear static when I turn it on. I will post on here after I check that R235 and the 2200mf cap. I had let the radio sit for a long time after it died and just recently got it out. It worked briefly and quit again. Good luck with your 2004. I know the RadioShack will repair it if you don't want to risk destroying it by fixing it yourself.

Andy

1370. Re: 98 NASCAR Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: us013325@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <us013325-ya02408000R1103981943570001@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 167425
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.autos.sport.nascar

>
> >Has anyone pulled the 1998 frequencies for NASCAR? Looked everywhere and
> >all the info is not updated for 1998 teams.
>
> David W. Crawford Jr.
> dwc@davewc.mv.com
> http://www.mv.com/ipusers/davewc/dwc/

Go to speedworld.net

1371. Re: RS base trunktracker, mod for rs-232 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <350730FA.5A4D@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 167426
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

pnw100 wrote:
>
> Hello all, Radio Shacks trunking base scanner is about the same as the
> Uniden right? Well then there must be away to "add" an RS-232 interface to
> it? Is this possible, without major surgery?

We'll have to ask Bill Cheek if he's got plans for that mod... :)

Chris

1372. motorola scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Flipper <kennyamy@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6e79tf$i1a@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167427

Can anyone tell me if Motorola makes a handheld scanner for public use? I have a friend who has a Motorola that he uses for the fire dept.

Thanks

Scan Man

1373. Re: Writing BC895 software - any suggestions? (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccreeper@inetnow.net
Message-ID: <35072449.77138591@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

JohnieFive <JohnieFive@hotmail.com> wrote:

>> I am writing a new program called FreeTracker - a Windows95/NT app
>> specifically designed for the TrunkTracker 895. And best of all, it's
>> free! Expect to see version 1.0 in a couple weeks.
>>
>> Does anyone have feature suggestions?

Two words: Private Calls

I'm curious to know if someone like yourself could simply tell the
trunktracker to track the outstanding channels being used that can't
be accounted for when tracking normal talkgroups. We know already
that the trunktrackers will track these transmissions, as they show up
as active repeaters on the display, just with no accompanying tg's.
Hell, I'd PAY you for that if you put it in a "deluxe" version. :)

Creeper

>> Here's what is currently available:
>> (pics at: http://www.webcom.com/autownet/freetrack.html)
>>
>> 1. Supports up to 5,000 "Virtual Channels" which are like the radio's
>> normal channels, but add Callsign, Description, Color (for activity
>> log), Alarm, location, Ctcss, hit count, line, delay, and lock status.
>> VChannels can be scanned (20 chan per second) for activity.
>>
>> Descriptions:
>> You can store Descriptions, Callsigns, and Locations for frequencies
>> or Trunk talkgroups/ID's. When that freq/talkgroup appears, a
>> description is shown.
>>
>> Alarms:
>> A Wav file can be assigned (or speaker beep) to certain
>> freq/talkgroups, or a .RTF file that pops up while that freq/group is
>> active. For example, have all local police codes shown when a certain
>> police channel comes active.
>>
>> 2. PerCon database lookups from their web page (stored as html) can be
>> imported. (Dbase import comes later)
>> btw: Can someone please send a *SMALL* exported database file from
>> their PerCon CD? I need to see the format, so I can support it.
>>
>> 3. Activity log is color coded - you can assign any color to any
>> specific freq/talkgroup, plus bolded text.

>> 4. Search Ranges - you can store up to 2,000 search ranges, and
>> double-click them to activate an immediate search of that frequency
>> range.
>> 5. All BC895 keys are supported, allowing a virtual radio on your
>> desktop.
>> 6. FreeTracker can be minimized as a TrayIcon, with a feature-rich
>> right-click menu for easy access to popular functions.
>> 7. Database-editing in a simple grid. Click the record you want, and
>> change any value.
>> Menu allows selecting any record to zoom to that frequency.
>>
>> 8. Communicate with your radio interactively - type any command in,
>> and see the response.
>> 9. Power users can utilize the quick-command box. Simply key in
>> simple words to change frequencies, channels, scan, hold, search,
>> manual, etc.
>> Example Syntax:
>> f15189 tunes radio into frequency 151.890
>> c56 takes scanner to channel 56
>> Up arrow emulates SCAN key
>> Down arrow = Manual
>> Right arrow = Search
>> Left arrow = Hold
>> ... plus about 50 more commands
>>
>> 10. Export all scanner channels/freqs to a text file, then import back
>> into the scanner at a later date.
>> 11. Complete logging to a file, or printing just about anything.
>> 12. Export your VChannel/talkgroup database to a HTML file for posting
>> on a web page.
>> 13. Top 20 frequency hits organized into a right-click menu for easy
>> access
>>
>> Later Features I'm adding:
>>
>> a. Scheduler - activate an event on a date/time, when a certain
>> activity happens, or a specific freq/talkgroup. Anyone have a
>> preference for what kinda events you want scheduled??
>> b. Charting of hit counts, time online, etc.

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Take off one of the "C's" in ccreeper@inetnow.net when sending personal replies via email.

1374. Is Icom introducing a Newer scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6e7p57$p14$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 167429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I noticed in the March QST that the Icom R-10 has a $100
rebate. Usually this means that they are getting ready
to introduce a newer product. Has anyone heard anything?

1375. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6e7q49fcj1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 167430
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

WB5SXK wrote:
>
> When the stuff hit the fan concerning the monitoring and taping of Newt's
> cellphone conversations, did anyone get the idea that something was awfully
> strange about the alledged scenario?
>
> I believe the tape was about 20 minutes long. The people who were
> monitoring it were supposed to be in a vehicle, driving along an
> interstate highway when they just happened to hear a familiar voice
> on a hand held scanner that they didn't know had been modified for
> cellular use! They then held a pocket tape recorder up to the speaker
> and got an excellent quality voice recording.
>
> Several things are wrong with this
>
> 1) When was the last time you were able to track a cell-conversation for 20
> minutes. Even in a small town like ours, the signal would have been handed off
> several times, and a real chore to even find, let alone tape.
>
> 2) You're doing this from a moving vehicle. In 20 minutes you've move through
> the coverage area of several cells. What's the range of a cell to a hand held
> scanner...inside a moving vehicle?
>
> 3) I've heard a couple of snippets of the tape. The audio quality was
> remarkable to have been done with a hand held scanner with the mic of a pocket
> recorder.
>
> Now...
>
> What do you think are some alternate explainations???
>
> Were one of the participants to the call taping it and then it was leaked
> using the cell phone scanning as a cover?
>
> Was there an illicit wiretap ... and again, the cellphone story used for
> cover?
>
> What do you think?
>
> Bill Ford, WB5SXK
> Systems Administrator
> City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
> Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565

> Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net

Even if Newt was parked, the copy was very good. Let us hope that McDermitt getting nailed will help convince Congress that taking away freedoms (like the freedom to listen to what comes thru your house, ie radio waves) is not a good idea.

Maybe this will result in a test case for the Supreme Court. Besides, it sounds as if this couple was using a professional CelTel interception unit (like the cops have).

1376. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350779BB.7A93@usa.net>
Source record: 167431

And YOU, BILL CHEEK have NEVER answered a question that has been
asked for nearly 2 years:

"Why is it that YOU, BILL CHEEK, are always the common denominator in
in all the problems that occur on this NG?"

Bill Cheek wrote:
> And you never did answer the question of WHO is
> "Bud Powell"? Are you on a forgery campaign, snake?

1377. Blimp Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Earl <ecwjr@pacbellREMOVE.net>
Message-ID: <35077ABA.7077@pacbellREMOVE.net>
Source record: 167432
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

My main interest with my scanner is aviation. I have found the FREQs
for my local airports. With the amount of sports events around here, it
is not unusual to look up in the sky and see a blimp. I was wonderring
if anybody have the frequencies for the GOODYEAR, MET, and FUJI blimps,
along with any other blimp.

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If you are ever in Las Vegas, Go and see LORETTA HOLLOWAY
She is a true DIVA!!!
http://www.lorettaholloway.com

1378. Re: Regency mx7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Philip J. Smith" <psmith@appliedsystems.com>
Message-ID: <6e8om1rip1@nntp3.interaccess.com>
Source record: 167433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Randy/DeeDee/Robin wrote in message <35023289.C9B05E6@citynet.net>...
>Saw a scanner I really liked, not sure of the model..regency mx7000 or
>something to that effect. Grey/blue, slant face with blister keys, about
>6" across and 9" deep (kinda like the older regency/relm bus. band
>mobiles..). At any rate, if anyone knows what these are, I'd like to
>know how hard it would be to come by one; price, availability, and when
>they were discontinued (if they're d/c'd).
>thanks,
>Randy

It most likely is a Regency MX-7000, mfg by AOR. I bought mine back in 1985, am still happy with it, and will probably never sell it. By today's standards, it's a really slow scanner at only 7 channels/sec out-of-the-box. A simple mod brings it up to about 10 ch/sec. Also, memory is only 20 channels. The '7000 really shines when it comes to selectivity, sensitivity and image-rejection. It's the only radio I own that I can listen to the 900MHz trunked systems clearly, where active frequencies are sandwiched together every 12.5 kHz. The only drawback is that it takes some patience to learn how to program; it's not quite as intuitive as a typical Uniden unit.

One plus about the design of the unit. I accidentally left mine outside in a torrential rainstorm once, but the inside was relatively dry.

1379. CA DOJ in LA - codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big Daddy <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6ean6a$mjl@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167434

i have been monitoring the CA DOJ and CHP in LA on an obscure freq....

can anyone tell me what a CODE-500 is? any other DOJ codes would be helpful.

Karl Dahlquist
karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com
http://vistagroupusa.com/burbank.htm

1380. Frisco Choppers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Dillman <ddillman@igc.apc.org>
Message-ID: <APC&1'0'7cbf1eb3'a9d@igc.apc.org>
Source record: 167435

San Francisco has recently added its first police helicopters in many years to service. Has anyone heard these yet? What channels and call signs are they using? What are their hours of operation?

The press photo seemed to indicate that the helicopters were not equipped with Nightsun spotlights so perhaps they're restricted to day ops?

Our former helicopter, a Hughes 300, used the call sign 3V1 so if something like this pops up it might be them.

All information appreciated.

Regards,

Dick Dillman
<ddillman@igc.apc.org>

1381. Re: Icom R1 Restore 800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: PSYPHY@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6e6fvpdoi1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 167436

Hi,
you may want to check out the following mods bible:
Radio/Tech Modifications & Alignment Controls 8A (Ham radio outlet)
Those guys describe exactly what to do.
Basically you only need to exchange diodes D9 and D10 which are located
on the main PCB but hard to find without a picture (donï¿½t have it).
You need to get the parts from ICOM since usual diodes wonï¿½t do the job.

Hope that helps
Karsten

1382. "H & S"----what does it mean?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Daniels <kf6swl@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6eet5r$o0g@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167437

I've heard my local police use refer to "H & S activity". Does anyone know what this means? I'm sure there there are some scanner buffs out here who know the answer.

thanks,

Larry Daniels

1383. " H & S" ----what does it mean??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Daniels <kf6swl@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6ef7hp$juj@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167438

I hear my local police refer to " h & s activity". Do any of you scanner buffs know what this means in police terminology? I don't have a clue.

thanks for any ideas.

Larry Daniels

1384. Re: pro-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: emoney250@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311035200.WAA17465@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167443

may have something to do with the RS 'Triple Conversion'

1385. Re: Radio Shack scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Oliver" <doliver@fgi.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4ca1$934bb5a0$87be95d0@852156920worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167444

I thought Radio Shack repaired their own equipment.... but ..... again
maybe they don't......

John McCoy Jr <jbjr@itol.com> wrote in article <34FEC9C4.336F@itol.com>...
> I have a pro 2004 scanner that needs to be repaired where do I send
> it??? Please e-mail me if you can help me
>
> Thanks JOHN
>

1386. Re: WTB : Pro-43 hand held scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311041100.XAA20920@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167445

I have one. Full cell moded w/design EQ custom leather case. box, charger,
Nicads.
Just reduced to $250

ligosa@aol.com

1387. FS: pro 43 (Reduced)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311041300.XAA21384@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167446

FS: pro 43 (Reduced)
I have one. Full cell moded w/design EQ custom leather case. box, charger,
Nicads.
Just reduced to $250

ligosa@aol.com

1388. Bearcat 210xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: PakRat@anonymous.com
Message-ID: <35061deb.17121490@news.altopia.com>
Source record: 167447

Any one know if there are any mods for a BC210XLT ?

Much Thanks.

1389. Re: Milwaukee Medflight freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jking1823@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311053200.AAA04248@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167448

I do not monitor aero transmissions, so I cannot
vouch for this, but . . . . one of my old local
frequency lists has Flight For Life: 123.050

Hope that helps

Jeff Kingsley
Milwaukee, WI

1390. Re: Milwaukee Medflight freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jking1823@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311053900.AAA09301@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167449

I wrote:

>I do not monitor aero transmissions, so I cannot
>vouch for this, but . . . . one of my old local
>frequency lists has Flight For Life: 123.050
>
>Hope that helps

You might also try: 45.580 and 129.275

Jeff Kingsley
Milwaukee, WI

1391. BC220xlt/bc230xlt Schematics ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Acid <no@mail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4c9e$9195cfa0$02000001@acid>
Source record: 167450

Can anyone help me find the discriminator for a BC220xlt ?

thanks

1392. Re: Free Scanner Antennas!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <351029c8.37776693@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 167451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net (Glen Quarnstrom) wrote:
>
>> bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:
>>
>> >glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net (Glen Quarnstrom) wrote:
>> >
>> >> I'm very well aware of Cheek's history in FIDO, having been subjected
>> >> to his bullshit there for quite some time.
>
>> >If I were to be in your car or your home or even in
>> >your yard, would I not be subject to your "bullshit"?
>
>> Not to the extent that you dished it out, no. I'm a much fairer
>> person than you are.
>
>I don't understand what you mean there. Your posting
>frequency in this forum goes up and down like a yo-yo,
>but you *never* post on-topic, and you are *never*
>friendly and sociable. You are always *on* someone's
>case - *never* on the subject of scanners and scanning.
>
>Is THAT fair?

It's far more fair than what you do here. It's also untrue, but we'll
let that pass.

>> > Re TV Antennas for scanners......
>
>> >THAT....and only that was the "bullshit" to which
>> >you were "subjected".
>>
>> That is hardly the whole story.
>
>It is the whole story as far as YOU were concerned.

No, it is not. What gives you the right to tell me what concerns me?

>You galloped in out of nowhere to attack me for my
>stand on using TV antennas for scanner beams. There

I did not.

>were no other issues betwixt thee and me.

Yes, there were.

>> >Your "victimization" wasn't all that complicated. And
>> >you did comply, if memory serves, and you were not
>> >booted. So what's the problem?
>>
>> The problem has already been addressed here in the past, and I'm not
>> going to go through it again. Anyone who was around already knows it,
>> and those who weren't can peruse the archives.
>
>You haven't addressed it with me, and I don't recall

Oh, yes, I did. At some length. It's all there in the archives.

>seeing you tell anyone else. You don't hold conversations

You saw enough to put me in your killfile when you couldn't rebut what
I said.

>with people. You just snipe and potshoot here.

I think you have me confused with yourself. Also, unlike you, I try
not to indulge in sophomoric namecalling.

>However, I do have a record of yours and my interchanges

As do I.

>on Fido.....and the TV Antenna Issue was it. And only it.

Wrong.

>And you got personal from the opening shot....it was

Wrong.

>obvious you weren't there to discuss scanners and scanning,
>same as you're not here to discuss scanners and scanning.

Wrong.

>> The fact is that you abused your power, so I obeyed "your rules,"
>
>It wasn't a matter of power. You were MY guest there.

Wrong.

>> I bided my time, and when we met
>> here where you did not have any advantage, I got my side of the story
>> presented, much to your chagrin and frustration.
>
>HA ha ha ha ha ha..... Well if that is true, then present
>it again so that I will be even more frustrated and chagrined.

Nope. Once was enough. Interested parties can look it up. I'm not
wasting the bandwidth.

>> Once it was over, I let it drop; I'm not a vindictive person.
>> The only time I jump on your case is when you do something outrageous.
>
>Oh. I see. Hmmmmm, your track record says different. But

Wrong.

>who cares. I had you on my Shit List for a long time. Maybe

I suggest you put me back in there, then, because you're not drawing
me into a protracted name-calling contest. When you distort the
facts, I may correct you, otherwise I'll just let you carry on your
long-winded and profane tirades.

>I missed something. You sure continue to take your snipes and
>pot shots nowadays, though.

Wrong.

>> I always tell the truth as I see it, Mr. Cheek.
>
>No no no no.....I'm not talking about OPINIONS, man. Not

Yes, you are. I've presented facts, not opinions, in most cases, but
"truth" is almost always subjective in these cases. I admit my
biases, since, unlike you, I don't consider myself omniscient.

>those things that have "color" depending on the eyes. I was
>talking about YOU and ME on FidoNet and the TV Antenna issue.
>There is no "as we see it" there. Just truth.

The truth is that I exposed your errors in several areas.

>Like here. You do not discuss scanners and scanning. You

Wrong.

>participate in slams and off-topic hullabaloos to the exclusion
>of everything else. These are TRUTHS......

Wrong.

>Like......how TV antennas make great scanner beams. THAT is
>a truth. It isn't an opinion.

Wrong.

It's a rule of logic that any gratuitous assertion may be refuted with
an equally gratuitous rebuttal. Almost all of your assertions here
were gratuitous, as usual when you start to pontificate.

I've made my point. This conversation is over.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

1393. Re: !Antenna Question-weak reception

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrshattuck@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311062601.BAA11176@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167452

>Subject: !Antenna Question-weak reception
>From: "T. Hereford" <therefor@pobox.com>
>Date: Tue, Mar 10, 1998 07:27 EST
>Message-id: <350531B9.80F27C18@pobox.com>
>
>

>I am an avid listner to AM radio. I just purchased a Jeep and the
>reception for AM radio stinks. Very weak signal. If I hold the antenna
>with my hands it improves.

New Jeep? Take it back to the dealership and have them fix it.
Old Jeep? See if the antenna is plugged into the radio. If you decide to replace the antenna, go to your local auto parts dealer and buy a replacement antenna. If it doesn't come with installation instructions, ask the persons behind the counter. If they don't know, they should know someone in the area who does.
You might want to try another radio. Check around for a "You-pull-it" parts auto parts yard. You can probably find a radio for 5 to 20 bucks.

1394. Re: Pro-26 CPU

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrshattuck@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311063101.BAA15736@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167453

> Re: Pro-26 CPU
>From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
>Date: Tue, Mar 10, 1998 17:31 EST
>Message-id: <6e4ett$76i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>

>In article <19980310051400.AAA07002@ladder02.news.aol.com>,
> jrshattuck@aol.com (JRShattuck) wrote:
>>
>> >From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
>> >Date: Mon, Mar 9, 1998 17:43 EST
>> >Message-id: <6e1r8e$9ot$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
>> >
>> >On the schematic diagram of the Pro-26, many of the CPU's pins are
>> >grounded or are not connected to anything. What is the purpose of these
>> >pins? Could they be used to hide extra features in the CPU?
>>
>> The grounded pins supply Vss to the CPU, plus one line to inhibit Test.
>The
>> ungrounded pins are Data/control ports which may allow different functions
>of
>> the CPU to operate. Without a data sheet from the CPU manufacturer, it's
>very
>> hard to say.
>
>Where could I get a such a data sheet? I have the service manual, but it
>only
>says that the pins are not connected. Could any of these pins allow access
>to
>other frequencies?
>
>

My research indicates the CPU is Uniden; P/N UC1702 for US CPU's, UC1771 for
UK. Anybody out there got a contact at Uniden?

1395. ATTN: Bill Cheek--Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrshattuck@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311063501.BAA16166@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167454

Any suggestions for obtaining IC data sheets from Uniden?

1396. Re: Making Pro-64 computer interface work - resolved!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mroberds@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6e5dk8$kat@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167455

In article <6e2mf2$31c@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>, mroberds@worldnet.att.net
blathered on about...
>
>I am having some trouble getting the Pro-64 computer programming to work
>and I wonder if anyone can give me some suggestions.

Tonight I tried it without either the 1K resistor between the tip and ring
connections or the connection from the tip to the PC. I had to reset the
scanner, as mentioned in the directions I've seen, and it worked just great!

The short answer seems to be: Not only do you not need the 1K resistor or
the tip connection, it seems to mess things up if you add it. YMMV.

Thanks to all who responded!

Matt Roberds
mroberds@worldnet.att.net
Tulsa, Oklahoma USA

1397. Re: ICOM R10 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: lmandgr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311071901.CAA20474@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167456

IMHO DOS program is still better than punching the keypad. I saw in Summer 1997 AES Catalogue a listing for both the DOS and (yes!) Windows versions. Windows version part number CSW-R10 (on page 13 "Window prog soft/cable; R10 $50.95). I have heard somewhere recently this software may never really materialized. Good luck and let me know if this Window's software is available and any good./GR
nobloodyspamLMandGR@aol.com

1398. AR8000 control using the Scout modification?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: buck100@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35063be9.31820715@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167457

Has anyone use the scout reaction tune socket to control their AR8000?

I have the scout mod from javiation...i though i saw a web page about it....what do you think?

-Tom

1399. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35064051.109321824@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167458

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

tvine@teleport.com (PjB) wrote:

> > Oh....and learn how to control your computer
>
> God, that gambit gets old....."CONTOL YOUR COMPUTER!! CONTROL YOUR
> COMPUTER....' Good Lord, you must have been toilet trained at
> gunpoint. Grow up, geezer.....

.....except in your case, before you can possibly
hope to control your Osborne computer, you have
to learn how to control your Prozac spastic fingers.

Start with taking the one finger out of your mouth and
the other one out of your arse, and SWITCH 'em, you
stinkin degenerate pedophile.

And you never did answer the question of WHO is
"Bud Powell"? Are you on a forgery campaign, snake?

1400. For Sale pro 39 Full 800 Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6e5gcq$fel@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167459

Selling a very clean pro 39 scanner by radio shack 1994 model the good
one!!! 200 ch hyperscan full 800 mhz no gap's super cond sellling for
..
$200.00 shipped via US Mail priorty mail in so cal....let me know
thanks..
PS this looks just like a pro 43 scanner...

1401. Uniden Scanner Sport Cat 150..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: klorenzo@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <3506485d.183355389@news.direcpc.com>
Source record: 167460

I am thinking about getting this scanner, does anyone know if the 800/900Mhz is locked out, and if so what i would have to do to unlock it?

Or is there a better radio that i can do this with?
How about Radio Shack?

1402. ADVERTISE YOUR SITE FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: TACTICAL-COMMAND <tac-com@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6e5gic$p1p@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167461

From: TACTICAL-COMMAND <tac-com@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: FREE ADVERTISING
Date: Tuesday, March 10, 1998 10:54 PM

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1403. Re: What is the best all around mobile scanner antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: clawson@telegrafix.com
Message-ID: <clawson-1103980136370001@dyn57.cas1.winchester.va.us.crosslink.net>
Source record: 167462

In article <19980306135000.IAA11388@ladder03.news.aol.com>, edscma@aol.com (Edscma) wrote:

> I am currently using the Austin Spectra. Works like a champ.
> Have it mounted on a motorola mount on the rear fender.
> Using my Yupiteru MVT-7100 I hear everything, it even does a good job on
> shortwave.
>
> Ed

I second the Austin Spectra...really killer antenna. Pricey, but worth every penny.

Pat Clawson
Winchester, VA

1404. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35074150.109576983@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167463

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net> wrote:

> > And I don't see an atmosphere on this newsgroup, either.

> I do and it seems Ollie and I are not alone.

Yes, but that is a choice, the results of which
you, Ollie and others have simply self-imposed.
Sort of like self-flagellation, if you will.
Why do it? Duhhhhhh....cuz you like it? You
tell me. Don't make me guess.

> > It's whatever the hell I want to see in it, regardless
> > of who does what to whom. In a short time, I am slapping
> > Smacksie, Petey, Hankie, and a few others back on my
> > Shit List and going on with business.

> Seem you are well overdue to get back to business Bill.

Maybe. MAybe not. But I and I alone will make that
determination......without assistance. More or less
exactly like you do.....

> > The way I see it is anyone can make of it whatever
> > they want..... and there is no way anyone can force
> > anything on anyone else. So good ol' Ollie came on
> > here whining and sniveling about what a trashed up
> > newsgroup this is.....when in fact, he has the choice
> > of making it utter heaver or sheer hell, regardless of
> > what anyone else does.

> Maybe in your mind he did but I don't agree. There is no way you will
> ever convince me that the 100's of BS crap posted on here hasn't driven
> away talent.

I didn't say it didn't. But I am saying that "talent"
chose to be driven away. Puredeegolden personal choice.
Probably based on not being able to withstand the heat,
but the more timid sorts might well just have better
things to do with their time.

Me.....it's a hobby. I always did enjoy a good fracas
of one sort or another, from an out and out rumble to
peeing contests. So if that's what folks want to do,

well.....okay, I sure won't run from it. If others do,
well, that's their choice.

> Yes we can all use filters and such but in reality many
> have just said screw it and don't bother to contribute to this
> newsgroup. All the virtual bull crap babble aside that is a fact.

Maybe. But even at its best, there would be some to choose
to go elsewhere. If everyone hugged, kissed, and loved up
on each other, I'd probably hit the trail. <Gack.>

> > He ALWAYS has the choice. But
> > he piped in as a "poor ol' victim"....like he'd bent
> > over and someone just helped theirself.

> The guy was 100% correct. Your was as expected by him and countless
> others including myself. I don't see him as the poor old victim as you
> do and there lies the difference.

So what do you see? Him as being in full control?
Are you in full control? Does Petie Breath force
himself upon you and relieve you of your goodies?

> > Rubbish! It's that way only if YOU want it that way.
> > He just as easily could have piped in, frothing over
> > at the mouth, cup runnething over, and observed that
> > this newsgroup was the coolest place he'd ever seen on
> > earth.

> Yea, right. That makes no sense at all. Seems opinions that your on
> going dance with Mackey cause you to froth at the mouth. You could have
> just ignored it but those comments always send you off on your virtual
> sermon.

How's come you don't ignore Peter Breath Boe? Why
ignore dung? It still stinks....so you may as well
shovel it up and pitch it into the cesspool, and hose
the spot down.

> > He could have observed that just as easily as
> > the opposite extreme that he noted.

> He could have if he was a moron.

If? How do you know he wasn't?

> It was far better before Mackey showed
> up which is directly related to you showing up.

Ummmmmm nooooooo......it was another feller who really
sounded my calling......but we'll not argue the point,
fellers being fellers and all......

> You remove the noise and
> the level of meaningful posts will rise,

THAT is not a foregone conclusion. People CAN control
the noise. People can choose not to be victimized.
And even if it was all huggy-kissy-smoochie, you'd have
a hundred times more dumb cellular hack questions and
not a heck of a lot more contributions. Maybe SOME more,
but not a LOT more. A different kind of "noise" will
arise....."How do I mod my SnakeBite 760YMU for
cellular?"

And then when the 167th one of those in a week comes
in and gets ignored, then the sicko will get pissed at
the "talent" he perceives as having ignored him, and
a whole new war will commence.

It is a vicious circle, perpetuated by Mackey, Boe,
Hamptom, and their ilk.....the likes of whom outnumber
the chiggers in a blackberry patch. If it ain't one
thing, it will be another. You ought to know that.

> or it certainly seems that way
> to me. I would be more than happy to be proven wrong but it isn't going
> to happen. Only a fool or an idiot would argue that 100's of off topic
> messages help improve the quality and number of participants of this
> newsgroup.

They don't improve or degrade. At least not to the
enlightened participants who come here for what they
want and perhaps to give a little.

> > There is no REALITY here, my friend,.....other than
> > the reality that we CHOOSE to create.

> What cyber-babble Bill. Give it up.

I'm not accusing you of babbling.....though I could.
Why are you drifting off on that tangent? Why don't
you argue or explain how this virtuality is as real
as the hemmorhoids you're sitting on? Or some other
reality that is about as real as blue sky, chilled beer,
and peanut butter sandwiches?

It isn't babble. You may choose not to agree, and if
so, then offer some tangible shred of evidence of this
forum being a reality. Begin with researching the defintions
of the words, both in Websters as well as in the cyber
glossaries. Then tell me why I'm wrong. If I'm wrong.

> > Me....I like to please a lot of people, so I go betwixt
> > the two extremes from time to time. Smacksie, Petey,
> > and Hankie need pleasing same as everyone else. So
> > they snivel, whine, and blow great big snotbubbles and
> > want to hose 'em down. So I do. It makes them happy.

> Geeze Bill, get a grip. You feed your ego or something with your little
> Mackey battles. It is your reality that seems disconnected from the
> rest. You must really feel good showing up an idiot like him day after
> day after day after day after day and then twice on other
> days.

No, I just feel good each morning waking up knowing that
I ain't him.

What's the difference, anyway, with you and Peter Breath Boe?
You sure seem to get off porking him every chance you get.
Is this a deal where it's okay for you and not for me?

> > Then I post stuff about scanners and answer questions
> > on 'em. I'm happy. You're happy. Everyone's happy.
> > Nobody gets left out.

> yawn

Ahhhhh, I see. So you DON'T like scanners and scanning?
At least those topics bore you, eh? I mean...YOU don't
talk scanners and scanning a whole lot. Not at all,
actually......though you certainly have more exceptions
than Mackey and Boe. Those two popinjays NEVER talk
the topic while you hardly ever do. It's a matter of
degree, but not by a hell of a lot.

> > Even Ollie......fer example.....he even observed right
> > off that he was going to get hosed. Do YOU ever do that?

> When it involves posts that have any connection to you that aren't
> praise I can say
> I would normally bet on you posting a similar response as you did to
> Ollie. You are very predictable in that sense Bill.

Predictable? <Shrug> If so, then it ought to be worth
some money to you on a bet with some sucker. Take
advantage of it. If you can.

I won a fortune in poker some years ago....from people
who thought I was predictable. No matter. Just consider
that it doesn't count for much my being "predictable" here
and now. If it were to ever COUNT, let me know and I'll
mend my ways.

> > I don't. I don't think you do. Why not? Because it is
> > an explicit invitation to others to come around and bend
> > you over and help theirself. They guy WANTED a hosing, see?
> > Else, he'd have just made his point, if he had one......

> Well some of us got and understood his point others including you
> didn't.

You are as much 'fessing up that you PICKED and CHOSE
the points you picked up. But you can't legitimately do

that. A guy writes something, and you gotta take it all
into account. The WHOLE picture. You can't pick and
choose and have any reasonable hope of being correct.....

> Maybe your mind is too intent on looking at things as if they
> are all bent over. I dunno, it does seem to be a popular theme of yours
> lately.

Do you want a different one? Show me. Show me a
different one in how you treat Peter Breath Boe.
Examples are louder than words. Show me.

> > See, the problem is that people can't understand a world
> > where there are no victims and no heroes. But that is
> > the way is here in these virtual forums. We all are
> > armed to the teeth, and we possess or have the capability
> > to possess perfect force fields as well as perfect plasma
> > ray hyperzipzapwarp guns.

> More cyberbabble and excuses for behaviors one normally would not
> exhibit in public.

There is NO "behavior" in these virtual forums. "Behavior"
is an item of action. There is NO action here. And what
there is, period, is totally and 100% *perceived*. It is
not in any sense of the imagination.....real. Tell me how
it can be.

> > Read good ol' Ollie's post again, word for word, and
> > see where he welcomed a good hosing for his dismal
> > view of the world around him. He said a lot and gave
> > away a lot of himself.....poor fellow. But then he's
> > used to being a victim....same as a mistreated dog
> > doesn't know any difference.

> Have you considered putting all this in a FAQ? In the future you could
> just post the FAQ. I've seen this line from you so often it would save
> you lots of time. Again, you see Ollie in a different light than I do.

I don't "see" Ollie. All I saw were words attributable to
him, and I read every word he wrote....individually and
in summation.

A FAQ? Hmmmmm. That may be a good idea....*if*....people
read FAQs. There is plenty of evidence, however, that
people don't read much. So I dunno. I'll dwell on it.

> > The main difference, however, is that dogs can't choose
> > whereas people can. Like you, ferinstance....you can
> > tell people to eat your shorts.....or offer to eat theirs.
> > Or....express a disgust for shorts in the diet, period.

> I usually don't get into such nonsense. Once and a while for Boy Prozacs
> sake but that is it.

"Once in a while?" You're kidding? There are 21 posts
from you in my recent queue, three of which are remotely
on topic. The rest are to, about, or connected with
Mackey and Boe. How do you explain "once in a while"?

> > Me, I like anchovies on my pizza...
> >
> > <shrug>
> >
> > It's always a matter of choice here in "virtuality".

> Cyber-babble Bill. All of life is choice sooner or later.

There you go with the "babble" again. It isn't.
Not....unless.....you can't understand what I'm
talking about...in which case we have a problem
either of your lack of comprehension or my lack
of clear expression. Which is it?

> > Tell me it ain't.
>
> Why? That burning desire you have to argue and show all what you are
> made of? Most all of us know Bill. We have seen and heard it from you a
> million times. No thanks, no more today for me. Go play with Mackey, we
> are through here I think.

Wow. Wild. Crazy. Far out. I take it you don't
like me anymore?

That is utterly amazing......staggers the farthest-fetched
imagination.

We? Babble? Million times? Made of?

Throughout your entire series of posts, you have
continually injected little personalisms, adjectives
that were not initially fired at you, and you've
methodically avoided hitting the nail on the head,
in terms of the subjects discussed.

Why? I didn't do it to you. So what elicited
it other than your 'disagreement'? I don't understand.
The "million times" crap can be simplified to me
mentioning several dozen times that Mackey is a
hermaphrodite. Did this somehow get around to where
you thought I called you one?

I don't recollect it, if I did. I don't feel I
accused you of "babbling". So why take a perfectly
good argument down to a personal nature? Why
dismiss the points I made or tried to make?

You want scanners and scanning talked about here?
Show me. You are capable of talking radio. You
are capable of answering a lot of the newbies'

questions. You are capable of talking higher level
stuff, from computer interfacing to digital decoding
to satellite reception.

But you don't.

Don't task me until you've either corrected or
at least explained your own failings. That's
only reasonable and fair.

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| or 204.210.11.214 (depends on your FTP program) |
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1405. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35084eff.113081348@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167464

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > I booted six or eight people in all the time I
> > was there....
>
> NO, you are GROSSLY under reporting the truth.
> Would you like me to post the comments you made when
> kicking each one off back then?

Yes, of course. You ain't got a hair in
your arse if don't, (Baldy).

> > You are so wretchedly ignorant. I wasn't on Fido
> > mast Fall, dumbshit.

> Right, but you sent them to my fidonet account from your internet
> account. So you are attempting to deceive again!

You're an imbecile without any sense of truth
and honesty, Hermie. (That's short for hermaphrodite.)

1406. Re: ATTN: Bill Cheek--Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3509500d.113350599@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167465

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

jrshattuck@aol.com (JRShattuck) wrote:

> Any suggestions for obtaining IC data sheets from Uniden?

Not data sheets for IC's no. But get whatever
service manual you can....it shows the IC's,
and from there, you can get the datasheets
from the manufacturer of the chips.

That would be about the only way, really,
though there are a number of variations on
the theme. You get the idea, though.

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|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.11.204/ |
| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.11.204 or ftp.204.210.11.204 |
| or 204.210.11.214 (depends on your FTP program) |
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1407. The Orlando Scanning / Trunktracking Page Updated

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: orlscan@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311091201.EAA23201@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167466

Including Exclusive Photos Of the recent Tornado Damage

Thanks
Jason

J.C.Webb EMT/NAEMD
The Orlando Scanning Page
http://members.aol.com/Orlscan

1408. Re: BC 2500XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: DCLIFF@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6e591h$c6a$1@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 167467

To hell with E BAY. If you want to sell it put a price on it and post it.

DENNIS in GA.

1409. Re: Beta Testers Needed!--BILL CHEEK APOLOGY>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cen00746@207.17.135.251
Message-ID: <35065da6.0@news7.centuryinter.net>
Source record: 167468
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You've got a lot of cheek, Bill. Send me my money back
you cheap screw!

Mike Rice

tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>>You need to give me more information, else accept
>>the possibility your letter was lost in the mail.
>>
>>Based on what I know so far, I have nothing from you.
>>

>The whole issue is moot at this point. Obviously, you're not going to put me
>into your beta test now. I was just ticked that I never heard a word from you
>and figured I got screwed and chalked it up to experience. I do apoligize for
>calling you a liar. I thought for sure I sent a couple of bucks with the
>envelope to cover the costs of copying the material. But, the question is did
>your "receiving department" get it or not?

>Tyler

1410. SCANNERS FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Teague <al@mpinet.net>
Message-ID: <35067483.DF829453@mpinet.net>
Source record: 167469

2 Scanners for sale. Pro 2030 base, very good shape with all mods done
150.00. Uniden BC 760 XLT base-mobile, good shape with mods done 125.00.
I will pay shipping.
Alan

1411. Re: BC 2500XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erik Evertz <evert-er@reze-1.rz.rwth-aachen.de>
Message-ID: <35067BD3.810EF35A@reze-1.rz.rwth-aachen.de>
Source record: 167470

sjblack@primenet.com wrote:
>
> Iam selling my scanner to the highest bidder on ebay. follow this link
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7406549
>
> The Scanner is a BC2500 XLT hand held unit comes with operating
> guide,rubber antenna,AC adapter/charger,earphone,leather-like carrying
> case,belt clip,and also cigarett lighter powercord.
>
> the model # is #35007758
>
> It is in original Box maybe used five times.

For what did you use the box 5 times? ;-)

Erik

1412. Re: New Sony Scanners -Trunk Tracking?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <35067B84.99074E57@vnet.com>
Source record: 167471
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,triangle.scanner

David Filice wrote:
> Do any of the new Sony models have Trunk Tracking?
>
> Rich Wells wrote in message <3505D6A1.BA6@ibm.net>...
> >Thanks to Alex Blaha of Scanning USA magazine for providing the latest
> >details on the new scanners from Sony!

I would seriously doubt it.

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1413. Re: AR8000 antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <3506802E.855960D0@vnet.com>
Source record: 167472

buck100@hotmail.com wrote:
>Did anyone replace that thing?
>
>It is so damn stiff..
>
>which one did you replace it with?

Forget the stiffness issue...it is one of the
worst stock antennas ever supplied on a radio.
Have a look at my antenna page for a few hints
on a replacement :

http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/ANTENNA.HTM

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1414. Re: AOR 1000 repairs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <3506812E.C07D79A8@vnet.com>
Source record: 167473

C.J. LEE wrote:
> No problems with the AR1000 but worn out
> case(cover). Anybody know where I might get a
> replacement for it.

Highly recommend Design EQ

http://www.designeq.com/radio.html

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1415. Re: New Sony Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <3506822A.2D820AAD@vnet.com>
Source record: 167474

Home Slice wrote:
> On Tue, 10 Mar 1998 19:11:13 -0500, Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net> wrote:
> >Thanks to Alex Blaha of Scanning USA magazine for providing the latest
> >details on the new scanners from Sony!
>
> Can I hook it into my Sony Playstation? ;-)

Sorry, forgot to ask about that possibility! Depending on the
capabilities, I might be tempted to do the same! ;-)

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1416. Re: pro-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <3506836E.89AACD18@vnet.com>
Source record: 167475

zippy@united.com wrote:
> How come the pro-90 can't pick up the cellular freqs at the 900 MHz.
> freq, while the BearCat 200xlt can?

Because the PRO-90 is a superior receiver using triple conversion.
Your 200XLT is receiving image frequencies which are a by-product
of the receive process and especially troublesome on most double
conversion units. Triple conversion helps to eliminate these
false signals and their annoyances.

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1417. Re: Outer Banks/Dare County, NC freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <350683F0.48536EE1@vnet.com>
Source record: 167476

CynTh5655 wrote:
> Does anyone have any frequencies for the Outer Banks
> of North Carolina, especially Dare County and the areas
> of Avon, Buxton, or Frisco?

Your best bet is to try here :

http://www.li.net/~j4dice/frequencies/travel/outerbanks.html

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1418. Re: Advice? Pro 2035 + Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <35068502.899F136@vnet.com>
Source record: 167477
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jeffery R. Smith wrote:
> I have a Pro 2035 scanner, a computer, and an antenna on the roof. I am new
> to the hobby and have been reading this newsgroup long enough to learn there
> are evidently some better ways to use my resources. I have been looking at
> the scout and the board to go into the 2035. I have looked at Opto's
> webpage and think these may be a good investment.

Jeff,
Have you read my PRO-2035 with Opto Review? If not and you are
interested, have a look :

http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/REV2035.HTM

> I was wondering if any experienced scannists could give me the pros and cons
> about these devices. Also I am interested in monitoring the military
> aircraft band, would the scout be any good for this?

Not unless you can set up right next to the runway they are using and
catch them as they take off and land.

Best of luck and feel free to e-mail if I can help with
anything else!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1419. Re: 98 NASCAR Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Burke Jr <barry_b@snet.net>
Message-ID: <35068117.25EE1D22@snet.net>
Source record: 167478
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.autos.sport.nascar

LDPE wrote:
>
> Has anyone pulled the 1998 frequencies for NASCAR? Looked everywhere and
> all the info is not updated for 1998 teams.

There really isn't much to update, so it isn't all that hard to figure
out.

The FCC licenses belong to the team (holding company), not the driver,
simply follow the equipment. For example, when Brett Bodine bought the
#11 team from Junior Johnson, the radio gear went with it, same thing
with the #7. The #25 became the #50, so the freqs will stay the same.
For Steve Park, look for the #14 from 1997, this is much of the same
equipment, now with a different number. I'll bet that the 97 team has
the same radios as the old 97 team, even though they are considered a
"new" team by NASCAR.

For Sterling Marlin, look for the #40, since it is still owned by the
same company (Sabco), it'll have the same freqs with a different driver.

The only real tough ones are the truly new teams, such as the 26, 35,
13, etc... Ask at the track for these or on the net for the specific
car you are looking for. <G>

Barry
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****
Barry Burke Jr. barry_b@snet.net
SNET Internet Administration
****

1420. Pro-2022 for sale $125.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: d308@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <35068706.4A6A@pacbell.net>
Source record: 167479
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Pro-2022 for sale. Full 800 coverage including cell. very good condition
no docs. $125.00 plus shipping.

..Don.

1421. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6e61om$9ph$0@207.18.224.88>
Source record: 167480
Cross-posted to: usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Tue, 10 Mar 1998 18:50:39 -0800,
-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Eric is blind, we have no confirmation that he is
>retarted, YET.
>
What the hell is retarted?

1422. Re: how do I choose a new scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <35068A77.D2F22E32@vnet.com>
Source record: 167481

Asnow wrote:
> I am hoping you can help me with the purchase of a new scanner. I
> currently own a Uniden BC220XLT which I purchased about 4 years ago. I
> would now like to buy a full featured scanner and see what I have been
> missing.
> There are so many possibilities as far as companies making scanners and
> models made by them and I am hoping that you will be able to assist me
> if not in making that decision to at least help me narrow down the
> options.

I would offer up my Manufacturers web page for a listing of those
on the market today :

http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/MANUFACT.HTM

> What I would like in a scanner follows:
> ? Portability. I would like a handheld.
> ? Full frequency coverage, no gaps from a few hundred K to 1.3 Ghz + (my
> current scanner Gaps at 174 - 406 Mhz and cellular) guess I'll have to
> buy it out of the US.

Or you can buy used.

> ? A price not exceeding (by much) $600.00

That should be easy to do. Have you checked Bandercom pricing?
Their latest posting at http://www.bander.com/export/exscan.htm :

AOR Receivers
AOR AR-8000 0.5 - 1900 MHz, 1000 ch US$425
AOR AR-8000M scout/birdiemod/US band plan/case US$499
WELZ
Welz WS-1000 0.5-1300 MHz, Full coverage. US$319
Welz WS-2000 0.5-1300 MHz, Full coverage. US$349
ICOM
Icom IC-R10 No Block version, handheld US$425
Icom PCR-1000 PC Card receiver US$529
ALINCO
Alinco DJ-X10 Wideband sca with 110V drop in charger US$425
UNIDEN
UBC-220 "AMPS" 30 kHz step on cellular band US$249
UBC-3000XLT 25/1300 MHz, no-block 800 MHz. 5 kHz s US$279
UBC-3000 "AMPS" modified to have 30 kHz step US$329
YUPITERU
MVT-7100 0.530-1650 MHz, 1000 ch. Full coverage US$305
MVT-9000 0.530-2039 MHz, 1000 ch, Full coverage US$499

MVT-9000M 33% higher scan/search, Bleed-mod plus US$559

> ? A unit I can use to decode WEFAX, POCSAG, and other such transmissions
> into my home PC. (apparently I need to find a unfiltered DC-coupled
> discriminator-output MOD for my scanner before I can decode such
> information)

You will want to check into available modifications for the radios
which you are considering. You might also want to take a look into
the WiNRADiO Digital Suite package. WiNRADiO plus Digital Suite
will run you about $565 from Advanced Digital System which is
where I purchased mine.

> ? A scanner that is not going to be limited in what it can do straight
> out of the box.
>
> From what I have read so far the AR8000 is supposed to be the best
> scanner around, And I would love to couple that with the Optoelectronics
> Scout for reaction tuning?? but that may be higher than my $600.00 mark,
> and is it still considered the best scanner? I believe it was available
> when I bought my Uniden 4 years ago. Are there other scanners that have
> come out by other companies that can match or beat the AR8000?

Match or beat it in what aspects? It has a great receiver in it and
recent version have fixed some of its earlier shortcomings. It is
highly flexible but also quite complicated due to its programming
syntax as well as sheer number of features.

> Are there
> any scanners other than the AR8000 that can reaction tune?

The Reaction Tune feature supports the AR8000 and CI-V protocols
which means any of the CI-V iCOM radios such as the R10. The older
AR2700 also supports Reaction Tune but I would not recommend this
radio for your purposes.

> What about in the near future?
> I really don't have a favorite band to listen to, basically if it is
> there I will listen to it whether that is the local mall, an air show or
> some 800 Mhz activity to top off a night. I also bring the scanner with
> me when traveling by plane or ship, so a near field tuner or reaction
> tuner would be great to pick up local frequencies I could otherwise
> miss.

Then it seems you are to choose between the AR8000 and R10.

> I have had some interest in the WinRadio and PCR-1000 units. Both of
> these units would be great from what I have read so far, but I am not
> ready to invest in a laptop to connect them to for portable use. I
> believe a handheld would really be my best choice now. But they sure are
> tempting!

WiNRADiO won't work with a laptop. You'll need a "full-blown" PC with ISA. For the IC-PCR1000, a laptop is fine using the serial port but you'll need to supply power to the receiver. More mobile than the WiNRADiO but still limited to finding a power source or carrying some form of battery/gel cell.

> There are just so many options available, and I have no way of actually
> seeing any of these units or trying them before I purchase them. So
> basically if I gave you $600.00 what would you buy as the best
> combination of a scanner and a Near field Receiver (like the scout, or
> R11).

You seem to have done your homework, which is good. But for your requirements of mobility and signal detection/interception, the AOR AR8000 and iCOM IC-R10 seem to be your only choices since they are handheld and support Reaction Tune.

If you would like more info on either the AR8000 or R10, I have written reviews of both which are at my web site. If interested, go to my home page below, follow the radio monitoring link, page down to my table of receivers.

You can get the AR8000 from an exporter, or go with the US made, cellular-blocked AR8000B. You can get the IC-R10 in either export or domestic versions.

Good luck with your decision!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1423. Re: Bill Cheek gets SLAMMED again!!! was:Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35068690.3040011@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167482
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mackey, who read this to you?

I don't need any cheering from the retard peanut gallery.

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Well done!
>
>VERY well done Hank!
>
>
>
>
>Hank Hampton wrote:
>
>> On Sat, 07 Mar 1998 00:48:28 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:
>> >They're BOTH real, you dumbshit. Besides, way before
>> >then, I was accused of being "Billy Thunder" because
>> >of "similarities" of the accounts.
>
>> I think you truly believe that you didn't try to deceive anyone. I feel sorry
>> for you, old man.
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>
>
>x

1424. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35078739.3208792@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167483
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Tue, 10 Mar 1998 18:31:16 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
wrote:

>Hank Hampton wrote:
>> Oh. I'm sorry. You were laid off.
>
>No, your whole idea is completely wrong.

GREAT defense. Explains it all.

If you weren't fired or laid off - you never had a job and were just living
another fantasy. It's one of those three. You choose.

1425. Re: IWSTIRN REAL IDENITY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35088769.3256447@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167484
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Hank Hampton wrote:
>
>> how is that relevant to challenges made months ago ?
>
>How are these idiotic comments of YOURS relevant to anything?

Just pointing out your inability to complete challenges, that's all retard.

1426. Re: cancel <34F79456.FA3B762A@primenet.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: hampton@concentric.net
Message-ID: <350987aa.3321378@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167485
Cross-posted to: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You've been too busy confirming your retardation on a daily basis.

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Eric is blind, we have no confirmation that he is
>retarted, YET.
>
>
>Macaroon wrote:
>> Come on. You're being WAY too nice to the retard. Only 3 ??!!

1427. Re: ABUSE OF THE TERM "MINT"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4cf2$d65911c0$aed171d1@dickburk>
Source record: 167486

Dick <toby@gis.net> wrote in article
<01bd4b09$8be87c60$ced171d1@dickburk>...
> Bitch Bitch bitch
>
> Fishbags <fishbags@aol.com> wrote in article
> <19980308155601.KAA21808@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
> > SOME PEOPLE CALL ANY USED RADIO THAT IS NOT DENTED OR CRACKED
> "MINT"....CUT IT
> > OUT. MINT IN MOST HOBBIES MEANS NEVER USED OR OPENED. A COMIC
> BOOK OR
> > COIN 8 YRS. OLD THAT HAS BEEN USED CAN'T BE 'MINT'. A PRO-43 THAT WAS
> BOUGHT &
> > LEFT IN THE PLASTIC & STYROFOAM BOX FROM DAY ONE MIGHT BE...BUT IF IT'S
> BEEN
> > 'MODIFIED & USED FOR 5 YEARS IT AIN'T MINT WHEN YOU SELL IT.
> >

1428. Re: BC Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4cf2$b2ecc560$aed171d1@dickburk>
Source record: 167487

Still have some scanners for sale..

Dick <toby@gis.net> wrote in article
<01bd4578$63005480$aed271d1@dickburk>...
> Police Scanners For Sale
>
> 1-----Bearcat 60xlt Hand Held 30 Channels $ 60.00 no box have
book
> 2-----Bearcat 80xlt Hand Held 50 Channels 75.00 no box no
book
> 3-----Bearcat 350A Mobile/Base 50 Channels+ 80.00 no box no
book
> 4-----Bearcat 300 Mobile/Base Needs Work 40.00 no box
have book *****Sold*****
> 5-----Pro 2026 Mobile 100 Channels 135.00 no box no book
> ***SOLD***
> 6-----Bearcat 890xlt Mobile/Base 200 channels 200.00 no box copy of
> book
> 7-----
>
>
> All Scanners are in mint condition unless told.The BC300
> does scan,but nothing is heard on the freqs.Talk to
> me.I am looking for:
>
> 1--Newer Dual Bander with removable face plate
> 2--6 Meter all mode
> 3--Yaesu FT-8000 or FT-8500
> 4--Kenwood TM-733
> --
> Thanks
> Email:toby@gis.net
> Tel:978-281-3359

1429. Re: !Antenna Question-weak reception

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T. Hereford" <therefor@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <35068874.7A512DB5@pobox.com>
Source record: 167488

Old Jeep.
I was thinking of maybe a different (better) style antenna.
It's not the radio as a Sony of mine does the same thing.
HELP

JRShattuck wrote:
>

> Old Jeep? See if the antenna is plugged into the radio. If you decide to
> replace the antenna, go to your local auto parts dealer and buy a replacement
> antenna. If it doesn't come with installation instructions, ask the persons
> behind the counter. If they don't know, they should know someone in the area
> who does.
> You might want to try another radio. Check around for a "You-pull-it" parts
> auto parts yard. You can probably find a radio for 5 to 20 bucks.

--
(__) (Thomas Hereford, Plymouth, MI
(oo) (therefor@pobox.com
/---------\/ --< (Product Data Management Administrator,
/| || (Simpson Industries, Inc.
* ||-------||
~~ ~~
"My opinions are my own. Flames >/dev/null"

****
"There are two ways of meeting difficulties:
you alter the difficulties or you alter
yourself meeting them."
****

1430. Re: Regency mx7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Philip J. Smith" <psmith@appliedsystems.com>
Message-ID: <6e69rffsq1@nntp3.interaccess.com>
Source record: 167489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Randy/DeeDee/Robin wrote in message <35023289.C9B05E6@citynet.net>...
>Saw a scanner I really liked, not sure of the model..regency mx7000 or
>something to that effect. Grey/blue, slant face with blister keys, about
>6" across and 9" deep (kinda like the older regency/relm bus. band
>mobiles..). At any rate, if anyone knows what these are, I'd like to
>know how hard it would be to come by one; price, availability, and when
>they were discontinued (if they're d/c'd).
>thanks,
>Randy

It most likely is a Regency MX-7000, mfg by AOR. I bought mine back in 1985, am still happy with it, and will probably never sell it. By today's standards, it's a really slow scanner at only 7 channels/sec out-of-the-box. A simple mod brings it up to about 10 ch/sec. Also, memory is only 20 channels. The '7000 really shines when it comes to selectivity, sensitivity and image-rejection. It's the only radio I own that I can listen to the 900MHz trunked systems clearly, where active frequencies are sandwiched together every 12.5 kHz. The only drawback is that it takes some patience to learn how to program; it's not quite as intuitive as a typical Uniden unit.

One plus about the design of the unit. I accidentally left mine outside in a torrential rainstorm once, but the inside was relatively dry.

1431. Re: Regency mx7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Philip J. Smith" <psmith@appliedsystems.com>
Message-ID: <6e6a50fus1@nntp3.interaccess.com>
Source record: 167490
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Randy/DeeDee/Robin wrote in message <35023289.C9B05E6@citynet.net>...
>Saw a scanner I really liked, not sure of the model..regency mx7000 or
>something to that effect. Grey/blue, slant face with blister keys, about
>6" across and 9" deep (kinda like the older regency/relm bus. band
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1432. For Sale: BC890XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: s957697@admiral.umsl.edu
Message-ID: <s957697-1103980955130001@cisco340.umsl.edu>
Source record: 167491

Like new, barely used. Includes all paperwork, power supply, and original box. Only asking $225. Email s957697@admiral.umsl.edu

1433. Icom R1 Restore 800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gray <rgray@dmv.com>
Message-ID: <3506B823.2A220F5A@dmv.com>
Source record: 167492

I would like to have information for restoring 800 to 900 mhz to Icom
R1.
Anyone have schematic showing difference in U.S. and other versions?

1434. Re: WTB: ICOM IC-R1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6e4kms$4ap@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 167532

In article <3505AD3F.A9CC6DC2@gyld.online.se>,
JiLLiS <sm3weo@gyld.online.se> wrote:
>I want to buy a icom ic-r1 scanner.

Why?

There have been better radios on the market.

--
Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

1435. Re: Cordless Phone 216MHz ??????????????????????????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kamali@netcom.com
Message-ID: <6e4n13$sbu@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 167533

All the cordless phone freqs you want

http://www.senao.com/

In article <19980220131501.IAA27735@ladder03.news.aol.com>, n3taw@aol.com
(N3TAW) wrote:
>A friend of mine was listening to a conversation
>on the 20 Meter Band, And one fellow stated that his
>cordless phone tranmits in the 216 MHz area.
>
>Does anyone know of a phone allocation in this
>area, could this be a foriegn phone, or is this
>guy just blowing smoke?
>
>Mark (n3taw)

1436. Re: New Sony Scanners -Trunk Tracking?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Filice <cubit@mci2000.com>
Message-ID: <2JIN.58$HS1.63320@news.internetMCI.com>
Source record: 167534
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,triangle.scanner

Do any of the new Sony models have Trunk Tracking?

Rich Wells wrote in message <3505D6A1.BA6@ibm.net>...
>Thanks to Alex Blaha of Scanning USA magazine for providing the latest
>details on the new scanners from Sony!
[snip]
>Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/RADIO.HTM
>New Scanner User FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
>Scanning USA columnist
>

1437. Re: 900Mhz Walkie Talkie with Telephone Base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: DortorsAreGreedyBastards@NoInsurance.net
Message-ID: <3508ef5b.77715392@news1.lig.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 167535

On Tue, 10 Mar 1998 18:48:59 -0500, FRITO BANDITO
<THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Cachy wrote:
>>
>> Hi,
>>
>> Is there're anyone knows where I can purchase a 900Mhz Walkie Talkie (around
>> 2 miles range) that can hook up to a telephone base (Can make phone calls
>> through the telephone set).. ?
>>
>> Any help is greatly appreciated..
>>
>> Thanks.
>>
>> Cachy
>WELL THAT WOULD BE COOL

Sufdom writes:

Try Circuit City they have the Northwestern Bell model 39500 DSS phone
with two way page/talk and its only 119.00 US $. I bought one and it
truly does work up to 4000+ feet with near impossible to break
encryption. No scanner is capable of decoding it any way, The CIA can
and if your being eavesdropped on by them I say the phone is the least
of your problems.

1438. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3506f10e.728944@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167536

On Tue, 10 Mar 1998 18:41:38 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Bill Cheek wrote:
>
>> I booted six or eight people in all the time I
>> was there....
>
>NO, you are GROSSLY under reporting the truth.
>Would you like me to post the comments you made when
>kicking each one off back then?
Is this really something that bothers you soo much that you still have
posts of his from these days?...Seems rather obsessive....
>
>> You are so wretchedly ignorant. I wasn't on Fido
>> mast Fall, dumbshit.
>
>Right, but you sent them to my fidonet account from your internet
>account. So you are attempting to deceive again!

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

1439. Re: Hold him accountable (was: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6e4s7k$c3k$1@uni.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 167537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

MR. JERRY H. KACPRZYCKI (THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net) wrote:
: Brent Corbin wrote:
: >
: > Ok - but what happens when the local drug dealer sues Grandma Bearcat
: > for disclosing to the police the transactions she overheard him make
: > on his cell phone?
: >
: > Sure, the dealer's crimes are arguably more heinous - but the underlying
: > principle is the same. The dealer has every bit as much right to privacy
: > as the politician does (hey - wasn't that part of the contract on America?
: > no perks, no priviledge?)
: >
: > If Justice truely is blind (and we all have to hope she is), she cares not
: > a wit that your favorite politician got dinged in the incident. The folks
: > that brought us the Newt tape are every bit as guilty as Grandma Bearcat,
: > and deserve the exact same sentence she gets...
: >
: HEY EQUAL RIGHTS, DUDE.
: JUSTICE CAN BE A HE TOO

8*) Good point 8*)

Mentally, I was picturing the usual image of the blindfolded female
holding the scales of justice... I stand corrected.... 8+}

1440. Re: 98 NASCAR Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwc@davewc.mv.com
Message-ID: <3507f804.7701991@news.mv.com>
Source record: 167538
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.autos.sport.nascar

Try: http://www.ianet.net/~rbarnes/frequency.html

-dwc

"LDPE" <nospam@nospam.com> says:

>Has anyone pulled the 1998 frequencies for NASCAR? Looked everywhere and
>all the info is not updated for 1998 teams.

David W. Crawford Jr.
dwc@davewc.mv.com
http://www.mv.com/ipusers/davewc/dwc/

1441. Re: Book GrandMa too!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6e4sah$c3k$2@uni.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 167539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

As long as you're consistent... 8*)

Karl Dahlquist (karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com) wrote:
: I dont have a problem with letting a drug dealer walk due to grandma hearing
: him on her illegally-modified scanner. What if she heard an image on a baby
: monitor? An "accidental" occurance. Let him walk then too. The law should
: apply equally.

: Karl Dahlquist
: karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com

1442. bc700a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: midnite906@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311023900.VAA03798@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167540

just noticed your add and was wondering if you found any mods. for this unit.
If you did could you please inform me as to where to obtain this info. or if
you do have it are you interested in sharring this info with me. This would be
deeply appreciated.
Thank You,
midnite906@aol.com

1443. Re: New Sony Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <7FA93B784C5E8D15.D27C3C8D2462D3D1.D6E6EFF0D5C014A1@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 167541

On Tue, 10 Mar 1998 19:11:13 -0500, Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net> wrote:

>Thanks to Alex Blaha of Scanning USA magazine for providing the latest
>details on the new scanners from Sony!

Can I hook it into my Sony Playstation? ;-)

1444. Re: EEPROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6e504gqbs1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 167542

In article <01bd4aab$a21b40c0$43ea03c7@main>, excon@thwalls.tdc says...
>
>these are special devices that cost alot. send cash to my group at:
>Inmates For Free Inter-prize
>Walls Unit
>Huntsville, Tx
>
>Small bills perfered 20s or less. Drugs are ok, rolling papers, so so
>handguns are nice, Each device cost $10,000.00 tax included.
>Tracey <tracey12@swbell.net> wrote in article <34FF97A0.56E@swbell.net>...
>> Help!

The check is in the mail....

Tyler

1445. Re: Is Icom introducing a Newer scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rstreif@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3507fbad.404980@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 167243

Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:

>I noticed in the March QST that the Icom R-10 has a $100
>rebate. Usually this means that they are getting ready
>to introduce a newer product. Has anyone heard anything?

They are having trouble selling the blocked version (no cellular).
The rebate doesn't apply to the non-blocked R-10.

Rick VE7ABW
locksmith@sprint.ca
N 49.16.34.2
W123.01.36.9

1446. FS Attenutor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e8u67$ra7@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167244

Hi All
I have for sale ATTENUATOR.
Good working codition.
I have two stock . $ 150.00 / EA Plus UPS
" TENULINE COAXIAL ATTENUTOR "
* Attenuation : 30DB
* Model : 8323
* Watts : 100
* Ohm : 50
- Bird Electronic Corp -
Thanks

1447. Re: Need info on building a 137 MHz turnstyle or quadrifilar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <6e93kh$kp2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <3507918c.163962649@ftl.msen.com>,
rdemar@home.msen.com wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> I am using a scanner and my soundcard to decode pictures from the NOAA
> polar orbiters and in the tradition of my hopelessly poor methods I
> would like to try to build a turnstyle antenna, or maybe even a
> quadrifilar... but I think I wanna go with a turnstyle first until I
> have better materials. Anyone have sufficient data for radial lengths
> and separation distances, loading (if any), wiring, etc. for a simple
> 137 MHZ turnstyle? I built a simple twisted loop antenna and it seems
> to work -ok- but for my current residence I need better gain and I
> like the turnstyle idea the best.
>
> Thanks in advance for any help you guys can offer!
>
> , Rick
>
> rdemar@home.msen.com
>

I do have a quadrifilar helix antenna for sale for $ 150, it is no longer
needed by me. Shipping would be from Cut Bank, Montana, 59427
Rene VE6WCA

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1448. Help Icom8500 or aor5000+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob / Barbara <bob17999@home.com>
Message-ID: <350805A6.DA7686B6@home.com>
Source record: 167246

Help which is a better rec radio the icom8500 or aor5000+. I have had the chance to operate a icom8500 but was not to impressed with the radio. Was wondering if both radios compaired side by side which one pulls in the best, on all bands. Tall question, But may be someone has had the chance to compare both units side by side.
Experiences is the best teacher.

1449. Yupiteru 7100 Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robert@bobsmy.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <35080d99.1509784@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 167247

Hi,

Anyone know of a mod to turn off the delay completely in this scanner
or is everything done in the micro-proccessor. Maybe snip a track
(wishfull thinking)

Regards Bob

1450. UPDATE: LAFD FUNERAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4dd4$c969c6c0$76a2edcc@pso>
Source record: 167248

Public Memorial services for Los Angeles City Fire Captain Joseph Dupee will be held this Saturday, March 14th in the South-Central area of Los Angeles.

Preliminary news reports of the fire that took Captain Dupee's life may be found at the LAFD website: http://www.lafd.org

Members of the Public and uniformed Firefighters who are NOT driving emergency apparatus are to report no later that 8:00 AM Saturday morning to the schoolyard near the intersection of 77TH Street and Vermont Avenue where they will assemble to march in a procession. This assembly point for the Public and Firefighters NOT driving apparatus, can best be accessed by exiting Highway 110 (the Harbor Freeway), at Manchester Avenue and heading west to Hoover Street. Turn right, traveling North to 77TH Street and turn West (left) to the schoolyard entrance. (Thomas Bros. map page 704 coordinates A-1). Though there will be supervised parking, we do encourage carpooling.

These members of the public and uniformed Firefighters who are NOT assigned to drive emergency apparatus will be shuttled from the schoolyard to the nearby intersection of Vermont and Florence. At Vermont and Florence, they will assemble to march in a procession back to nearby Fire Station 57, Captain Dupee's last assignment, where brief ceremonies will take place. After these brief LAFD ceremonies, those gathered will walk across the street to attend a public ceremony at the Crenshaw Christian Center (commonly referred to as "The Faith Dome"). The indoor facility can seat up to 10,000 persons. This public ceremony will begin at 10:30 AM and end at 12 Noon.

These are the only PUBLIC events planned for Captain Dupee. Other services as well as committal are characterized as private at this time. Members of the Los Angeles Fire Department should refer to upcoming administrative teletypes for further information.

Agencies that will participate with emergency apparatus are asked to closely follow these directions. The assembly point for apparatus only, is the MTA bus facility at the intersection of 54TH and Arlington (Thomas Bros Map 673 G-5). The yard will open at 6AM. We encourage early arrival to allow for a 7:30 AM assembly of apparatus. Departure will be at 8:30 AM sharp. The procession will proceed east along Slauson Avenue, turn south on Western, turn east again on Florence to Vermont. At this location, Engine 57, carrying the body of Captain Dupee will proceed slowly southward on Vermont to Fire Station 57. Those uniformed Firefighters and members of the Public who earlier assembled will follow the casket. The marching Firefighters and walking citizens will themselves be followed by the procession of emergency apparatus. Detailed written instructions will be

handed to apparatus drivers on arrival at the MTA yard at 54TH and Arlington. Agency representatives that desire further information may call our Chief of Staff directly at (213) 485-6002. Once again, for PUBLIC SAFETY AGENCY COORDINATORS OF REPRESENTED AGENCIES ONLY, please call the LAFD Chief of Staff at (213) 485-6002 if you are in need of further information or to finalize details of your agency participation that morning.

The latest memorial service information can be obtained by calling our special information hotline at (213) 485-2337.

In lieu of flowers, the Dupee family has kindly asked that donations be made to a special fund established to support his children. There is also a separate address where messages of condolence are warmly welcomed.

Donations may be sent to the:

Dupee Children's Fund
Los Angeles Firemen's Credit Union
P.O. Box 60890
Los Angeles, CA 90060 USA

The hand-written notes to his family have been especially welcome, and no doubt will remain touching in the difficult years ahead. Personal cards, letters and notes to Mrs. Dupee and her children may be sent by way of our benevolence society at:

Los Angeles Firemen's Relief Association
2900 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90026 USA

Thank you for your support of our men and women during this difficult time.

Please no e-mail regarding this notice (my box is already overflowing). Rather than tapping out an e-mail or posting a message here, please direct your condolences to the address above.

Brian Humphrey
Firefighter/Paramedic
Public Information Officer
Los Angeles Fire Department

LAFD website: http://www.lafd.org

1451. UPDATE: LAFD FUNERAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4dd5$03640020$76a2edcc@pso>
Source record: 167249

Public Memorial services for Los Angeles City Fire Captain Joseph Dupee will be held this Saturday, March 14th in the South-Central area of Los Angeles.

Preliminary news reports of the fire that took Captain Dupee's life may be found at the LAFD website: http://www.lafd.org

Members of the Public and uniformed Firefighters who are NOT driving emergency apparatus are to report no later that 8:00 AM Saturday morning to the schoolyard near the intersection of 77TH Street and Vermont Avenue where they will assemble to march in a procession. This assembly point for the Public and Firefighters NOT driving apparatus, can best be accessed by exiting Highway 110 (the Harbor Freeway), at Manchester Avenue and heading west to Hoover Street. Turn right, traveling North to 77TH Street and turn West (left) to the schoolyard entrance. (Thomas Bros. map page 704 coordinates A-1). Though there will be supervised parking, we do encourage carpooling.

These members of the public and uniformed Firefighters who are NOT assigned to drive emergency apparatus will be shuttled from the schoolyard to the nearby intersection of Vermont and Florence. At Vermont and Florence, they will assemble to march in a procession back to nearby Fire Station 57, Captain Dupee's last assignment, where brief ceremonies will take place. After these brief LAFD ceremonies, those gathered will walk across the street to attend a public ceremony at the Crenshaw Christian Center (commonly referred to as "The Faith Dome"). The indoor facility can seat up to 10,000 persons. This public ceremony will begin at 10:30 AM and end at 12 Noon.

These are the only PUBLIC events planned for Captain Dupee. Other services as well as committal are characterized as private at this time. Members of the Los Angeles Fire Department should refer to upcoming administrative teletypes for further information.

Agencies that will participate with emergency apparatus are asked to closely follow these directions. The assembly point for apparatus only, is the MTA bus facility at the intersection of 54TH and Arlington (Thomas Bros Map 673 G-5). The yard will open at 6AM. We encourage early arrival to allow for a 7:30 AM assembly of apparatus. Departure will be at 8:30 AM sharp. The procession will proceed east along Slauson Avenue, turn south on Western, turn east again on Florence to Vermont. At this location, Engine 57, carrying the body of Captain Dupee will proceed slowly southward on Vermont to Fire Station 57. Those uniformed Firefighters and members of the Public who earlier assembled will follow the casket. The marching Firefighters and walking citizens will themselves be followed by the procession of emergency apparatus. Detailed written instructions will be

handed to apparatus drivers on arrival at the MTA yard at 54TH and Arlington. Agency representatives that desire further information may call our Chief of Staff directly at (213) 485-6002. Once again, for PUBLIC SAFETY AGENCY COORDINATORS OF REPRESENTED AGENCIES ONLY, please call the LAFD Chief of Staff at (213) 485-6002 if you are in need of further information or to finalize details of your agency participation that morning.

The latest memorial service information can be obtained by calling our special information hotline at (213) 485-2337.

In lieu of flowers, the Dupee family has kindly asked that donations be made to a special fund established to support his children. There is also a separate address where messages of condolence are warmly welcomed.

Donations may be sent to the:

Dupee Children's Fund
Los Angeles Firemen's Credit Union
P.O. Box 60890
Los Angeles, CA 90060 USA

The hand-written notes to his family have been especially welcome, and no doubt will remain touching in the difficult years ahead. Personal cards, letters and notes to Mrs. Dupee and her children may be sent by way of our benevolence society at:

Los Angeles Firemen's Relief Association
2900 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90026 USA

Thank you for your support of our men and women during this difficult time.

Please no e-mail regarding this notice (my box is already overflowing). Rather than tapping out an e-mail or posting a message here, please direct your condolences to the address above.

Brian Humphrey
Firefighter/Paramedic
Public Information Officer
Los Angeles Fire Department

LAFD website: http://www.lafd.org

1452. Desramblers and Signal Meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312171700.MAA28134@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167250

Speech Inversion can be descrambled utilizing a balanced
modulator/demodulator circuit.
We manufacture a Frequency Inversion Descrambler in wired and tested and
kit form as well as Signal meter's for Scanners. Our Descrambler is
tunable from 2400 to 4700 Hz.

CTP Descramblers
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

1453. Re: Regency mx7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman@localnet.com
Message-ID: <6e95mk$497$1@usenet11.supernews.com>
Source record: 167251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Thought i'd toss my 2 cents in....
I too like the unit. I asked G&G Communications (Gerry) and he agreed
that it was a good unit. He did caution that the keypad is overly
delicate and they may be hard to get replacements.
Best Regards,
Ray Miller N2NJK

Randy/DeeDee/Robin <dc@citynet.net> wrote:

>Saw a scanner I really liked, not sure of the model..regency mx7000 or
>something to that effect. Grey/blue, slant face with blister keys, about
>6" across and 9" deep (kinda like the older regency/relm bus. band
>mobiles..). At any rate, if anyone knows what these are, I'd like to
>know how hard it would be to come by one; price, availability, and when
>they were discontinued (if they're d/c'd).
>thanks,
>Randy

1454. Re: Startek Frequency Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd Hockert <thockert@corpcomm.net>
Message-ID: <6e96e9$r38$1@news.corpcomm.net>
Source record: 167252

I have a Startek freq counter for about 8 years now. They seem to be reliable. The only problem that I have had is when I forst got it, I overloaded the input and burnt out something. They repaired it under warranty. I have been very happy with the performance. They are not as popular as the Opti type but probably less expensive too.

1455. Re: comparison of most trunked radio systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <3507B8E0.2ADF53E@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 167253
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Don't forget about Kansas City fire Department and the wonderful EDACS system, no talk around capability IE direct comms., a great idea when a team in a burning building cannot talk to each other direct. KC fires chief has now bought CB's for the fire units to use, I understand they can now talk to one another in burning buildings.

1456. Re: mobile phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6e972h$cbc@HOPPER.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 167254

"glenn" <corbo_99@yahoo.com> asked:
> ... Can some one send me a list of some mobile phone frequencies.

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Mobile Telephone [22.501]

VHF - 30 kHz spacing UHF - 25 kHz spacing

Base: 152.030 - 152.210 RCC 454.025 - 454.350 RCC
152.510 - 152.810 telco 454.375 - 454.650 telco
Mobile: 157.770 - 158.070 telco 459.025 - 459.350 RCC
158.490 - 158.670 RCC 459.375 - 459.650 telco

Transmissions are FM. Many of these channels may now be used
for paging, specifically 152.78, which is a nationwide page.

1457. Re: Globalstar vs. Iridium CDMA vs. TDMA which is the superior system?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <3507C005.25787045@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 167255

Iridium put up the satellites over a year ago, when I worked for Allied Signal in KC, KS I saw launches live in Feb and March of 97, they have a working 1800MHz/800 MHz dual frequency HT they have been running test communicating with the sats for almost year now with good results.

1458. Re: 900 MHZ Phone Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chuck U. Farley" <reynolds@cs.fsu.edu.no.junk.email>
Message-ID: <6e9asd$hh9$1@server.cntfl.com>
Source record: 167256

>Looking to get a 900 mhz phone for home use. Am I correct in
>assuming that the analog phones can be scanned but the digital
>ones cannot be? Any suggestions on a good phone? Thanks!!

IMHO regular digital should be enough to stop the casual eavesdropper.
Another form of relatively cheap 'security' would be speech inversion. From
there you can move up to DSS, encryption, or best of all just using a corded
phone :)

1459. Info and Mods on the BC3000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: epattis@uvi.edu
Message-ID: <epattis-1203981527220001@voyager.uvi.edu>
Source record: 167257

Hi everyone!
I just got myself a BC3000XLT handheld scanner. So far I have been
really impressed with it and I am enjoying it immensely. I am interested
in learning more about it... specifically on its performance in certain
areas. What antennas are found to work the best? I know that at least
one company had (before legislation) offered mods for unblocking it to get
full range freq coverage. How is this done and can I or anyone these days
do this? I know the European model is unblocked "UBC3000XLT". Any
BC3000XLT users out there who want to compare notes?
Thanks!
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Erik Pattison
epattis@uvi.edu
Microcomputer Specialist
Videoconference Technician
President, The VI Blades Fencing Club

1460. 900 mhz cordless freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Chauza <nospam@lv2flyrc.fly>
Message-ID: <350840C1.FA74305A@lv2flyrc.fly>
Source record: 167258

What is the frequency range for the typical 900 mhz cordless phones?
Where can I find more information on this?

Thanks

1461. Re: Info and Mods on the BC3000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: maxinnis@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312201700.PAA21268@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167259

>Subject: Info and Mods on the BC3000XLT
>From: epattis@uvi.edu (Erik C. Pattison)
>Date: Thu, Mar 12, 1998 14:27 EST
>Message-id: <epattis-1203981527220001@voyager.uvi.edu>
>
>

>Hi everyone!
> I just got myself a BC3000XLT handheld scanner. So far I have been
>really impressed with it and I am enjoying it immensely. I am interested
>in learning more about it... specifically on its performance in certain
>areas.

take a look at http://www.universe.digex.net/~bnr/3000.html for info on
antennas and keyboard trickery. forget about cell mods.
Max Innis

1462. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: de Phantom Spam <dephantomspam@spam.com>
Message-ID: <6e9i7ifp1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 167260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Glenn, please do not send my ISP any more of your requests to have them quell free speech! If you do like what someone has to say then do not read it. It's one thing to SPAM newsgroups and another to voice your opinion on something. This thread appears to have been taking a turn anyways so maybe you helped encourage the diversion ;-)...

de Phantom was here...

G Hansen wrote in message <35071F60.3C630B50@usa.net>...
>Bill Cheek wrote:
>
><..>
>
>And here is what Ollie wrote....
>
>---
>I know I'll burn in hell for this but...
>
>I regularly lurk in about 50 newsgroups, plus I jump in and out of
>dozens more. What I'm I getting at? This group has the most ornery
>bunch on usenet! I don't know if I love it or hate it. I can't wait
>to get home to see what happened on
>"as-the-rec.radio.scanner/alt.radio.scanner-turns".
>
>Thanks for a most interesting, if not somewhat annoying group.
>---
>
>
>Yep, sounds like the plea of a victim Bill. I was wrong, not.
>I still agree 100% with Ollie. I also understand why he picked the
>subject line. You have done the same yourself.
>
>BTW, I said your virtual reality spiel is cyber-babble. Bullstuff. If
>you want to be a victim and interpret it as all your writing is babble,
>that is your choice.

1463. ATTN: CAN SOMEONE HELP WITH THIS QUESTION PLEASE..?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff Pitt <cliffpitt@the-cyclops.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <01bd4df9$ac0d7340$99a1dec2@the-cyclops.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 167261
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi All

Is anyone aware or can anyone point me in the direction of someone who can tell
me the codes that control an AOR 3000A when used remotely from a pc..the owners manual gives a few codes i.e. how to store a frequency at a given memory
address using a terminal emulation program but the manual does not tell how to do a search between two freq's..or rather it does not show the command to do this.

I'm tearing my hair out with this so I would really appreciate any help you all could give me.

Cliff.

cliffpitt@the-cyclops.demon.co.uk

1464. Re: Blimp Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marty(smiley)" <martyrip@ptdprolog.net>
Message-ID: <35085902.1DD0@ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 167262
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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Vist the Schuylkill Amateur Repeater Ass.
At http://home.ptd.net/~cakunk/

Two good scanner radio page.
At http://www.li.net/~j4dice/stateidx.html
http://www.erols.com/jcardani/sepascan1.htm

@ @ N3PTU
^ 73's from Marty (Smiley)
\___/ Email martyrip@ptdprolog.net

From: nobody@alpha.c2.org (Anonymous)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Goodyear_blimp
Date: 19 Feb 1995 04:03:47 -0500
Organization: The Ohio State University
Lines: 45
Sender: root@magnus.acs.ohio-state.edu
Message-ID: <199502190900.BAA23292@infinity.c2.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: charm.magnus.acs.ohio-state.edu

GOODYEAR BLIMP FREQUENCIES
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By John (Topol) Johnson KWV8BP

Source: Monitoring Times

Here are a few frequencies you might want to monitor if you ever see one
of the Goodyear Blimps fly overhead. A couple quick notes first, there are
three Blimps in operation in North America a fourth is operated in Europe.
The American blimps are stationed at three locations, one on each coast
and one in-between. The Enterprise, tail number N1A, is based in Pompano
Beach, Florida: the America, tail number N3A, is based near Houston, Texas
and the Columbia, tail number N4A, is based in Los Angeles.
Each blimp is accompanied by a three vehicle ground fleet consisting of a
van, a tractor-trailer, and a Greyhound-like bus.

The communications between the blimp and ground crew are normally held on
151.625 Mhz. The blimp also uses VHF aircraft band, communications can be
monitored here at 132.00 Mhz. AM. Below is a list of other frequencies used
by the blimp.

123.050 Common Blimp port frequency
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123.250 Suffield (Ohio) Wingfoot Lake Facility

132.000 Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company channel

151.625 Blimp Operations NBFM

465.9125 Blimp Operations NBFM - Low Power

465.9375 Blimp Operations NBFM - Low Power

465.9625 Blimp Operations NBFM - Low Power

This file was brought to you by John Johnson KWV8BP of The Hotline,
we offer many files and a bulletin area devoted to Scanner & Radio
related topics. Stop in and give us a look...

The Hotline BBS 304-736-9169 or 304-743-7909

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From dns1.NMSU.Edu!lynx.unm.edu!nntp.sunbelt.net!udel!news.sprintlink.net!howlan
d.reston.ans.net!swrinde!tusol.cs.trinity.edu!jtrykosk Mon Feb 20 18:22:42 1995
Path: dns1.NMSU.Edu!lynx.unm.edu!nntp.sunbelt.net!udel!news.sprintlink.net!howla
nd.reston.ans.net!swrinde!tusol.cs.trinity.edu!jtrykosk
From: jtrykosk@CS.Trinity.Edu (Jeff Trykoski)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: Goodyear_blimp
Date: 19 Feb 1995 16:06:19 GMT
Organization: Trinity University
Lines: 5
Message-ID: <3i7q9s$6ss@tusol.cs.trinity.edu>
References: <199502190900.BAA23292@infinity.c2.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: janus5.cs.trinity.edu
X-Newsreader: TIN [version 1.2 PL2]

> the America, tail number N3A, is based near Houston, Texas
>
The America blimp is no longer based in Houston. It was moved
north several years ago. I thought that it was now based in
the Ohio area...

1465. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
Message-ID: <35079e6f.1038603@news>
Source record: 167263

dac_nospam@compuserve.com (Don Curtis) wrote:

> In article <19980306004400.TAA14111@ladder02.news.aol.com>, jvillafane@aol.com
(JVillafane) wrote:
> >the only law broken here was nothing got done about the conversation that newt
> >gingrich was talking about he bitch and moam an got this new law pass. but if
> >that was a police officer
> >that heard a conversation about illigal activity they would find that person
> >and arrest him or her under the saying conspiracy to comit a crime and aint
> >that the truth and nothing but the truth.
> >
> >
> NO...it's not the truth. Cops can't just listen...they need a court order.
>
> Don

Don,

Can you cite a single instance where such a court order has been
denied?

Eric

1466. Re: Hold him accountable (was: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
Message-ID: <350aab80.4383673@news>
Source record: 167264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:

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>
> Some people argue that conversations on cellular radios should be no more
> private than any other radio communications. Historically, radio has been
> considered a public medium while telephone lines have been considered private.
> If someone broadcasts a message thorgh an unprivate medium and then through a
> private one, the communication would not have an expectation of privacy. The
> same rules should apply to cell-phones. The Communications Act of 1934, which
> prohibites wiretapping, does not prohibit listening to radio signals simply
> because they were also sent through a telephone line. Listening to
> cell-phones is only illegal due to the influence of the CTIA with legialstion
> such as the ECPA of 1986.
>

The Communications Act of 1934 as you recall it is *history*. Gone
forever. When HR2369 becomes law, the Act will change from a law
which enumerated what you _couldn't_ do with a receiver to one which
enumerates what you _can_ do with a receiver. The law states you
cannot "intercept *or* divulge" radio signals, with a list of
exceptions. The act of interception -- by itself -- is now illegal.

Fortunately, the exceptions include most of what a so-called "legit"
scannist would listen to. Unfortunately, it's not all that big a
list, and could be shortened without much trouble.

Meanwhile, those of us who *have* to use cell phones have no more
assurance of privacy than before -- in fact, even less than before,
since CTIA will point to this law when asked why cell phones in the
US are _still_ unencrypted.

1467. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: yasmin2@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6e9m81$baj@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In <6e7q49fcj1@gte2.gte.net> Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> writes:
>
>WB5SXK wrote:
>>
>> When the stuff hit the fan concerning the monitoring and taping of
Newt's
>> cellphone conversations, did anyone get the idea that something was
awfully
>> strange about the alledged scenario?
>>
>> I believe the tape was about 20 minutes long. The people who were
>> monitoring it were supposed to be in a vehicle, driving along an
>> interstate highway when they just happened to hear a familiar voice
>> on a hand held scanner that they didn't know had been modified for
>> cellular use! They then held a pocket tape recorder up to the
speaker
>> and got an excellent quality voice recording.
>>
>> Several things are wrong with this
>>
>> 1) When was the last time you were able to track a
cell-conversation for 20
>> minutes. Even in a small town like ours, the signal would have been
handed off
>> several times, and a real chore to even find, let alone tape.
>>
>> 2) You're doing this from a moving vehicle. In 20 minutes you've
move through
>> the coverage area of several cells. What's the range of a cell to a
hand held
>> scanner...inside a moving vehicle?
>>
>> 3) I've heard a couple of snippets of the tape. The audio quality
was
>> remarkable to have been done with a hand held scanner with the mic
of a pocket
>> recorder.
>>
>> Now...
>>
>> What do you think are some alternate explainations???
>>
>> Were one of the participants to the call taping it and then it was

leaked
>> using the cell phone scanning as a cover?
>>
>> Was there an illicit wiretap ... and again, the cellphone story used
for
>> cover?
>>
>> What do you think?
>>
>> Bill Ford, WB5SXK
>> Systems Administrator
>> City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
>> Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
>> Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net
>
>Even if Newt was parked, the copy was very good. Let us hope that
McDermitt
>getting nailed will help convince Congress that taking away freedoms
(like
>the freedom to listen to what comes thru your house, ie radio waves)
is not
>a good idea.
>
>Maybe this will result in a test case for the Supreme Court. Besides,
it
>sounds as if this couple was using a professional CelTel interception
unit
>(like the cops have).

I read the other day that John Boehner is filing a "civil suit"
against McDermott. I guess he's pretty much given up on this
justice dept doing anything about Dems breaking the law. They
only want to indict Repbs.

Very biased that way.

yasmin2

1468. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "G.R. Triever" <grtriever@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35085CB7.F6CD8AED@usa.net>
Source record: 167266
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

jhayes3rd@digizen.net wrote:
>
> Hi All,
>
> It appears that someone is issuing Rogue Cancels again from an
> Open NNTP Server at Texas A&M Univ. All Posts and Cancels via
> this Open NNTP Server "boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu" seem to get
> a NNTP Posting Host of itself "boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu".
>
> All of the posts cancelled from this server appear to belong to
> John Mackey, etc.

--snip--

So what's the problem?

1469. Re: Blimp Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry Singer <singer@henge.com>
Message-ID: <35085A40.7DC9A2A7@henge.com>
Source record: 167267
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Go to:
<A HREF://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral?Lab/5137"></A>
then to scanner page then to the Clay Irving Scanning Reference,
there are blimp freqs there.

Earl wrote:

> My main interest with my scanner is aviation. I have found the FREQs
> for my local airports. With the amount of sports events around here, it
> is not unusual to look up in the sky and see a blimp. I was wonderring
> if anybody have the frequencies for the GOODYEAR, MET, and FUJI blimps,
> along with any other blimp.
>
> --
> If you are ever in Las Vegas, Go and see LORETTA HOLLOWAY
> She is a true DIVA!!!
> http://www.lorettaholloway.com

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1470. Re: Blimp Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry Singer <singer@henge.com>
Message-ID: <35085B24.3365E83F@henge.com>
Source record: 167268
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Sorry, that is
www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/5137

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> > is not unusual to look up in the sky and see a blimp. I was wonderring
> > if anybody have the frequencies for the GOODYEAR, MET, and FUJI blimps,
> > along with any other blimp.
> >
> > --
> > If you are ever in Las Vegas, Go and see LORETTA HOLLOWAY
> > She is a true DIVA!!!
> > http://www.lorettaholloway.com
>
> --
>
> Gerry Singer <singer@henge.com>
>
> Gerry Singer
> <singer@henge.com>
> Netscape Conference Address
> Netscape Conference DLS Server
> Additional Information:
> Last Name
> First Name Gerry Singer
> Version 2.1

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1471. Athens Alabama Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nitepirate <davies.lloyd@mcleodusa.not>
Message-ID: <6e9ua0$g2s1@odie.mcleod.net>
Source record: 167269

Going there for a week need some freqs (Police, RR, 2 meter Ham)

Thanks,

NitePirate

1472. Wanted Radio Shack PRO-2042 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony <boltfan@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <3508477d.0@news8.kcdata.com>
Source record: 167270

Anyone with a PRO-2042 Scanner for sale please email me with the info. Also would be interested in a Bearcat XLT9000.

Anthony
boltfan@bigfoot.com

1473. Motorola Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Iluv2way <bednark@garden.net>
Message-ID: <6ea1g2$l5s$1@news5.ispnews.com>
Source record: 167271
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Could someone give me a breakdown of the following Motorola HT serial
number:
H34SVU7160BN
TIA all.

KB

1474. Re: Is Icom introducing a Newer scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ea3cd$3gn$4@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 167272

Rick wrote:
>
> Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
>
> >I noticed in the March QST that the Icom R-10 has a $100
> >rebate. Usually this means that they are getting ready
> >to introduce a newer product. Has anyone heard anything?
>
> They are having trouble selling the blocked version (no cellular).
> The rebate doesn't apply to the non-blocked R-10.
>
> Rick VE7ABW
> locksmith@sprint.ca
> N 49.16.34.2
> W123.01.36.9

How would they know if you have unblocked R-10? That it was bought
from a dealer outside the US? Serial numbers?

1475. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ea3nc$3gn$5@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 167273
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Eric F. Richards wrote:
>
> WB5SXK <wb5sxk@aol.com> wrote:
> > When the stuff hit the fan concerning the monitoring and taping of Newt's
> > cellphone conversations, did anyone get the idea that something was awfully
> > strange about the alledged scenario?
> [...]
> > Several things are wrong with this
> [...]
> > What do you think?
>
> I think it's all moot, now. The Communications Act of 1934, the original
> "sunshine" law, is effectively f**cked. Instead of enumerating what you
> _cannot_ do with a radio, it now enumerates what you _can_ do. At this
> point, there's nothing that can be done about it. The time for wondering
> about that "amazing coincidence" is long past.
>
> > Bill Ford, WB5SXK
> > Systems Administrator
> > City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
> > Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
> > Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net
>
> --
> Eric F. Richards
> efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
> "The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
> - Dilbert

Don't feel so hopeless. This could be fought in court. Nailing a
democrat was the best thing that could happen to us. Let the central
planning types discover what taking away freedom results in.

In time I believe that this will reverse.

1476. Re: HF Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRITO BANDITO <THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ea6bm$dpd@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167274

Rich Wells wrote:
>
> Derek Woodlands wrote:
> > Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net> wrote :
> > > But even these are put to shame by even the lowest
> > > end of HF rigs like my ATS-909.
> >
> > That all depends upon the antenna being used.
> >
> > Get a decent HF antenna, and all the above scanners will give good
> > results.
>
> Good results, yes. But using the same antenna, the dedicated
> HF will still outperform the HF/VHF/UHF radio. Especially
> when it comes to images.
>
> Connect a decent HF antenna to the Yupiterus, Alincos or
> Welzs and they are almost useless due to excessive overload
> imaging. AOR and iCOMs handle it better but are still
> subject to more of the same.
>
> If you are _serious_ about using such a radio for HF, then
> be prepared to lay out some extra $ for a preselector.
>
> Strong signals,
> Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
> New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
> Scanning USA columnist
CAN U IMAGINE THE SIZE OF TH 'TENNA ON THAT HANHELD?
SORT OF DEFEATS THE PURPOSE OF A HANDHELD.

1477. Re: Dallas ATC internet address?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRITO BANDITO <THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ea6u3$ip1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167275

Brent Andre wrote:
>
> I used to listen to the Dallas Fort Worth air traffic control over the
> internet. I can't find it anymore , does anyone know the internet address
> for this or any other air traffic control facilities?
TRY http://www.policescanner.com

I THINK THAT THEY HAVE A LINK TO THE SITE THAT YOU WANT.

1478. Re: Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JC <jc@aol.com>
Message-ID: <3508A103.7B7A@aol.com>
Source record: 167276

> Well, think about it anyway. This newsgroup
> is chock full of forgeries .... and forgers.

OK Bill, I didnt think of that :-)

1479. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3508A42A.F88F2CD1@usa.net>
Source record: 167277
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net> wrote:
>
> +> Thanks for a most interesting, if not somewhat annoying group.
> > --
>
> > Yep, sounds like the plea of a victim Bill. I was wrong, not.
> > I still agree 100% with Ollie. I also understand why he picked the
> > subject line. You have done the same yourself.
>
> I don't know how you can say that. That's
> silly. I haven't. But if I had, then the same
> rules would have applied....I'd have opened up
> myself for some "victimizers"......

Regarding the subject line, I felt he picked it to attract attention or possibly to fool the idiot cancel freak. I think you misunderstood me Bill. If you really want to get into interpreting it I would have to say he meant for one to drop to their knees. I don't see how you interpret that as somebody offering to bend over for you or be a victim.

> > BTW, I said your virtual reality spiel is cyber-babble. Bullstuff. If
> > you want to be a victim and interpret it as all your writing is babble,
> > that is your choice.
>
> Well, define "cyber-babble". It's not in the dictionary.

Ever heard the term Psycho-babble in relation to psychology and some of their BS reasoning and terms. I bet you can figure it out.

> I haven't encountered the term before. So it sounds like
> your statement of "computer babble" to me....a definite
> slam. Duh........

Read the above again. Yes, I guess you could say I slammed your "virtual reality spiel". I am not as articulate as you Bill. I am for loss of any other way to put it. Spiel, stand, sermon or what ever. The statement you have made many times concerning virtual reality. Spiel for loss of words. Sorry if I offended you with the word spiel.

> And..... "spiel"?

above

> Lordy, you'd howl to a half-dozen different deities for
> my ass on a skewer if I slammed you.........

Now that is babble Bill. When and what deities have I howled to about you. Are you reaching or what? Talk about victims! I have gone to bat for you on different issues and disagreed on a few, but I don't recall going to the deities about you. That seems pretty cheap Bill.

> I've been
> real careful to pick my adjectives, adverbs, and nouns.
> You're either not very careful, or.....very careful, too.
>
> Which is it?

Which ever you choose Bill. I think I have been as clear as I can. Enough from me. Sorry if I offended you I only meant to disagree.

1480. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3508A4D2.CB7969BD@usa.net>
Source record: 167278
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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!. What the hell does my discussion with Bill have to do with quelling
free speech?
2. Who the hell are you
3. Why is it teleport.com (where this message came from) has so many nut
cases? Is there something in the Oregon water or what?

de Phantom Spam wrote:
>
> Glenn, please do not send my ISP any more of your requests to have them
> quell free speech! If you do like what someone has to say then do not read
> it. It's one thing to SPAM newsgroups and another to voice your opinion on
> something. This thread appears to have been taking a turn anyways so maybe
> you helped encourage the diversion ;-)...
>
> de Phantom was here...
>
> G Hansen wrote in message <35071F60.3C630B50@usa.net>...
> >Bill Cheek wrote:
> >
> ><..>
> >
> >And here is what Ollie wrote....
> >
> >-------------------------------------------------------
> >I know I'll burn in hell for this but...
> >
> >I regularly lurk in about 50 newsgroups, plus I jump in and out of
> >dozens more. What I'm I getting at? This group has the most ornery
> >bunch on usenet! I don't know if I love it or hate it. I can't wait
> >to get home to see what happened on
> >"as-the-rec.radio.scanner/alt.radio.scanner-turns".
> >
> >Thanks for a most interesting, if not somewhat annoying group.
> >-------------------------------------------------------------
> >
> >
> >Yep, sounds like the plea of a victim Bill. I was wrong, not.
> >I still agree 100% with Ollie. I also understand why he picked the
> >subject line. You have done the same yourself.
> >
> >BTW, I said your virtual reality spiel is cyber-babble. Bullstuff. If
> >you want to be a victim and interpret it as all your writing is babble,
> >that is your choice.
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1481. Re: HELP Regency Hand held HX1200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.com>
Message-ID: <3508AAF3.53CD@servtech.com>
Source record: 167279

Try contacting:

G&G Communications
9247 Glenwood Drive
LeRoy, N.Y. 14482
Phone: 716-768-8151
Fax: 716-768-7175
E-mail: ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com
Web Page: http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/

They deal with the sale and repair of most makes and models of scanners.

Hope this helps.

> Poscag wrote:
>
> >I have an OLD regency HX 1200 anyone have ant info on repair places or
> >spec/operation manuals? I believe it only needs a new LCD screen and a
> >battery. Thanks MIKE
> >
> >
> >
> Mike- Uniden took over all of Regency's old model scanners. More than likely
> you won't be able to get parts for it from them but worth a try anyway. They
> may still have that part in stock. Good luck... Bob

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Les Wilson, Rochester, NY
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E-mail - Pers: nessman@servtech.com
Work: les.wilson@ccmail.monroe.edu
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Web Page: http://www.servtech.com/public/nessman
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1482. MR 8100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhiott <jhiott@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6eae3f$st8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167280

Came by a Uniden MR 8100 w/speaker and docs - thought about selling it to get something else. What's a fair price for this scanner?
Haven't seen a lot for sale to get an idea.

Thanks
Jeff

please email me at jhiott@worldnet.att.net

1483. Trunk Tracers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "news.toad.net" <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4e1e$f9dae6a0$b61e31d1@wendy-s-avon>
Source record: 167281
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

BC235XLT Hand Held $245.00

BC895XLT Base $285.00

Above price includes shipping to most USA address if pre-pay.
C.O.D. possible also.

These are new, not Re-Furbed or Used. I buy from a local Uniden
Distributor.

For more info contact:

Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
(420) 360-2260 *3
dat2comm@toad.net

1484. Re: Regency mx7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duane Park <dspark@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6eaiod$4bv@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167282
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

I also bought my MX-7000 around 1984
paid a lot of money for it... I too like the
selectivity, and sensitivity... Hey can
someone email the mod to speed up
the scan rate..... Thanks

Philip J. Smith wrote in message <6e8om1rip1@nntp3.interaccess.com>...
>Randy/DeeDee/Robin wrote in message <35023289.C9B05E6@citynet.net>...
>>Saw a scanner I really liked, not sure of the model..regency mx7000 or
>>something to that effect. Grey/blue, slant face with blister keys, about
>>6" across and 9" deep (kinda like the older regency/relm bus. band
>>mobiles..). At any rate, if anyone knows what these are, I'd like to
>>know how hard it would be to come by one; price, availability, and when
>>they were discontinued (if they're d/c'd).
>>thanks,
>>Randy
>
>
>It most likely is a Regency MX-7000, mfg by AOR. I bought mine back in
1985,
>am still happy with it, and will probably never sell it. By today's
>standards, it's a really slow scanner at only 7 channels/sec
out-of-the-box.
>A simple mod brings it up to about 10 ch/sec. Also, memory is only 20
>channels. The '7000 really shines when it comes to selectivity, sensitivity
>and image-rejection. It's the only radio I own that I can listen to the
>900MHz trunked systems clearly, where active frequencies are sandwiched
>together every 12.5 kHz. The only drawback is that it takes some patience
to
>learn how to program; it's not quite as intuitive as a typical Uniden unit.
>
>One plus about the design of the unit. I accidentally left mine outside in
a
>torrential rainstorm once, but the inside was relatively dry.
>
>
>
>
>
>

1485. MUST SELL: R7000/R10/CUB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: josh <jg@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <350860C5.5B1FC302@thegrid.net>
Source record: 167283

Icom R7000 w/ Matching SP3 Speaker (new).
Unit is in great condition, no malfunctions or damage whatsoever.
Excellent perfofming high end recvr'.
Continuos coverage, has mods for Higher Scan Speed & additional 100
channels.
Includes all original boxes & manuals.
$700.00

Icom R10 continuos _unblocked_ computer controllable handheld, an
absolute marvel in handheld scanning. On minor scuff on left side not
very visible.
Otherwise unit is less than a year old & in very good condition.
Only $220.00 inlcudes manual.

Opto CUB frequency counter, mint condition, with manual, chgr & nicads.
super compact handheld unit. - $85.00

Shipping is additonal & no UPS COD's (Fed-Ex OK).
Located in No. California.

Email:

jg@thegrid.net

1486. Re: Descrambling Frequency Inversion For Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Beaker <nospam@for.me>
Message-ID: <6eackq$9fa@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 167284

Multiplying the samples by -1 would only invert the AMPLITUDE not the frequency. It would sound identical to the original signal... You have to convert the samples to the frequency domain, invert the frequencies, then convert back to the time domain and play it back. Not quite as easy as you mentioned, but it is still not very difficult to do.

Bill Dorsey wrote in message <350488AC.6201@engr.sgi.com>...
>CTPDS49 wrote:
>>
>> Cordless Telephones that employ speech inversion scrambling (typically
3300
>> 3700 Hz), as well as some police communications (typically 3500 Hz)
>> can be descrambled utilizing a balanced modulator/demodulator circuit.
>> We have developed such a unit and are now offering it on our web site.
>>
>>
>> CTP Descramblers
>
>FYI, you can also do this in software (if it has already been done,
>please mail or post a reference). The method is quite simple:
>
>1) Sample the audio at 4x the inversion frequency
>2) Invert every other sample (multiply by -1)
>3) Play it back
>
>That's all there is to it!
>
>--
>Bill Dorsey
>(remove the ".remv" from my return address before replying)

1487. Re: For Sale--Pro26 and Pro-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: PETER KATS <Pvolks@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35082815.931535BA@usa.net>
Source record: 167285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a pro-26, what does no epoxy mean?

marc_k wrote:

> Jeff (jroulier@albany.net) wrote:
> : On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 18:59:22 -0600, ccsu0691@earthlink.net wrote:
>
> : >I have for sale:
> : >
> : >Pro-26 (no epoxy), as sold new (no mods) with box accessories and
> : >instructions, will sell along with AC adapter and 4 Radio Shack High capacity
> : >rechargeables. No scratches or damage. Still has Radio Shack TSP warranty.
> : >Will sell shipped for $275 OBO.
>
> : I just bought a brand new Pro 26 at Radio Shack for $199.00. I thhink
> : you need to come down a bit. Getting the epoxy off can't be that
> : difficult.
> : >
>
> According to past postings:
>
> 1.the epoxy is removable.
> 2.the mod can be done without removing the epoxy, as the connections that
> need to be accessed, can be accessed elsewhere on the circut board.
>

1488. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6e7hif$3vd@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 167286
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
>Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
>waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
>scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
>allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.

If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply rooted problem.

Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.

Jeff KH2PZ

P.S. Say Greg, you didn't happen to appear in that QualCom commercial - you know the one - the midgets are hiding in a cafe trying to scan some fellow's phone call.

1489. Re: scanner freq. over the net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: matt@MEC.Edu
Message-ID: <slrn6gefuc.g82.matt@gatekeeper.Matt.MEC.Edu>
Source record: 167343

Mike D. Oppliger <oppliger@bigfoot.com> wrote:
>Can somebody give me some good homepages with links to police/fire dept.
>radio?

Just ran across this one

http://www.intercall.com/~neuhaus/fccindex

= Do not meddle in the affairs of dragons, =
= For you are crunchy, and good with mustard =
= =
= Matt Bancroft =
= matt@MEC.Edu =

1490. Re: PRO 43 question, please help! ;)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: matt@MEC.Edu
Message-ID: <slrn6geg9m.g82.matt@gatekeeper.Matt.MEC.Edu>
Source record: 167344

>Try a 1N4148. (axial lead component) (Rat Shack doesn't have surface mount)

Mail order the stuph. Some places that comes to mind

www.parts-express.com
www.mcmelectronics.com

= Do not meddle in the affairs of dragons, =
= For you are crunchy, and good with mustard =
= =
= Matt Bancroft =
= matt@MEC.Edu =

1491. Re: Cellular coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: matt@MEC.Edu
Message-ID: <slrn6gegjs.g82.matt@gatekeeper.Matt.MEC.Edu>
Source record: 167345

Revster <revster@hempseed.com> wrote in article
> I wonder if scanners is what F.B.I., C.I.A., D.E.A. use to catch drug
> dealers and criminals. I've noticed in the pass few movies I've seen the
> bad guys no longer use cell phones but use Land Line Pay Phones with Pre
> Paid Phone Cards.

Its about like the rumors that the CIA and NSA monitor have packet sniffers
running in various places in the MCI, SprintLink, UUNet, etc.. backbones.
That intercepts all email and looks for certain keywords.

No one can prove or disprove they do.

= Do not meddle in the affairs of dragons, =
= For you are crunchy, and good with mustard =
= =
= Matt Bancroft =
= matt@MEC.Edu =

1492. Help Needed...Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich <no@mail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4d54$845fbba0$02000001@acid>
Source record: 167346

Can anyone tell me where the discriminator is on a bc220xlt ?
I need some help here ...

1493. Re: Anyone have good Washington, D.C. Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jking31950@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312013900.UAA23676@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167347

Do you want Secret Service, local police, government or avaition? This is a "target rich enviroment." What are your perferences? E- mail me.
Allen

1494. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: no_spam@this_address.com
Message-ID: <35073f4f.2643256@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 167348

Pretty amazing, huh. I'd like their scanner! Nothing is face-value
in Washington.

1495. Re: motorola scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312030101.WAA05957@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167349

>Can anyone tell me if Motorola makes a handheld scanner for public use?

Motorola doesn't make a scanner. What you probably have seen is the "Minitor" which is a pager that is able to receive audio on a single frequency. It is popular with volunteer fire departments which can use it in the pager mode to receive their alarms or may put it in the monitor mode to receive the traffic on the channel. The minitor is available on the surplus market in the $100-$150 range depending on condition. There are several places on the WEB where the Minitor is sold. Just put "Minitor" in the search string of a search engine and several will come up.

>Can anyone tell me if Motorola makes a handheld scanner for public use?I

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1496. Re: Milwaukee Medflight freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: som9k7e5@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312030300.WAA06348@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167350

>>I do not monitor aero transmissions, so I cannot
>>vouch for this, but . . . . one of my old local
>>frequency lists has Flight For Life: 123.050
>>
>>Hope that helps
>
>You might also try: 45.580 and 129.275
>
>Jeff Kingsley
>Milwaukee, WI
>
>
Hello. Flight For Life (as it is called) runs a coupla different Copters. One based out of Milwaukee Regional Med. Complex In Tosa and one outta McHenry County in ILL. I hear them mostly relaying patient info on 129.275. I have heard them a couple of times talking on Mitchell Field App/Dep Frequencies. Also give a listen to Firecom (154.295). But like the State Patrol, Flight 4 Life can communicate on just about any frequency. Any more questions just let me know. Or you can visit my Wisconsin Scanning HomePage. (http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/lab/7646/index.html)

Let me know,

Tim

1497. Re: Writing BC895 software - any suggestions? (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <A6B1437579CB68F7.7C999E284575022D.5ABFADED4F78D5E7@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 167351

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 23:59:29 GMT, ccreeper@inetnow.net (The Creeper)
wrote:

>I'm curious to know if someone like yourself could simply tell the
>trunktracker to track the outstanding channels being used that can't
>be accounted for when tracking normal talkgroups. We know already
>that the trunktrackers will track these transmissions, as they show up
>as active repeaters on the display, just with no accompanying tg's.

Sorry. I have no clue how to perform your request. You can, however
communicate directly with the scanner on the "BC895 page", so you're
welcome to try and figure out how to do this. Go ahead and type
away....

later

1498. Re: For Sale--Pro26 and Pro-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@albany.net
Message-ID: <35075355.16001041@news.albany.net>
Source record: 167352
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 18:59:22 -0600, ccsu0691@earthlink.net wrote:

>I have for sale:
>
>Pro-26 (no epoxy), as sold new (no mods) with box accessories and
>instructions, will sell along with AC adapter and 4 Radio Shack High capacity
>rechargeables. No scratches or damage. Still has Radio Shack TSP warranty.
>Will sell shipped for $275 OBO.

I just bought a brand new Pro 26 at Radio Shack for $199.00. I thhink
you need to come down a bit. Getting the epoxy off can't be that
difficult.
>

Why isn't there mouse-flavored cat food?

Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
Jroulier@albany.net

1499. Re: MDT prelims.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack <kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <350756A6.1CBC@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 167353

Valued Customer wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> At this point in life,I want to try to get my local police MDT
> transmissions.The voice channel is 45.400.Correct me if I'm wrong:I need
> a scanner that can be tapped for its descriminater output.I have a
> pro-37,pro-2002,pro-60,ar-950 and a older pro-2021(I think,its at my
> mom's house...).Will any of these work?I want to use the least valuable
> of these choices,because I,m not sure if the project will work.I intend
> on using plans from MDTW1234.Does this circut work?Has anyone
> sucsessfully built,used and enjoyed it?To me it looks like this:tap
> descrim. output to serial input of DOS computer using "magic box" I
> build from common items.What freqs. are data on?Do I need a 800 mhz
> scanner for this?The computer part is not a problem.I am looking for
> confirmation of these techniques,to justify my time and money.Am I
> chasing a internet pipe-dream(although no money has been asked
> for)?Please excuse me because I found something new to do in scanning
> since the glory of clipping diodes.Any thoughts out there?TIA.
>
> ......Natas@erols,com or Jerry S.

Do it! It works great. When you built the circuit, dump r-2 and r-3 and
tie pin 3
of the 741opamp to ground. Make sure the output--pin 6 of the 741opamp
goes to CTS.
I don't know about any of your scanners except the pro-37.
If you remove the backcover, inside on the circuit board next to where
the squelch
cable plugs in is a metal post(tp103), which is the discriminator
output.
The metal frame on top where the volume and squelch is makes a good
ground.
You can use alligator clips to attach it, I use my pro2006 for data,
since it was
so easy to install external jacks. If you find a good place on the 37 to
mount a jack
I'd like too hear it. I guess you could just run a cable out through the
battery door
or the side of the case...
I have found police mdt transmissions in the 470mhz and 850mhz range
here where I live.
I also have a few taxi services in the 850mhz range..although I suspect
they could be found anywhere.

Anyway..do it! It should take no more then an hour or so to build, and is well worth it.
The parts are less then $10 at radioshit, and as a bonus you can download pd-204.zip
from anywhere and decode pocsag (pagers) and such. Trunker and mobitex are also good
programs to use with the interface.
While you are at it, there are tons of soundblaster programs you can pump the discriminator output into to decode many popular digital formats.

1500. Tek 2213A oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e7lhj$int@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167354

Hi All
I have a for sale.
Tek 2213A oscilloscope 60MHz
Good working and mint condition.
$ 550.00 plus shipping
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks

1501. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <35075ECB.5F3D60C5@mich.com>
Source record: 167355

WB5SXK wrote:

> 1) When was the last time you were able to track a cell-conversation for 20
> minutes. Even in a small town like ours, the signal would have been handed off
> several times, and a real chore to even find, let alone tape.

The guy actually using the cellular phone was talking on it while parked at a
restaurant, while his family was inside. In other words, he was a stationary
target. In other words, he was probably just intercepted via one cell site, on one
cellular channel.

> 2) You're doing this from a moving vehicle. In 20 minutes you've move through
> the coverage area of several cells. What's the range of a cell to a hand held
> scanner...inside a moving vehicle?

It doesn't take a genius to realize that if you found traffic interesting enough
to record, you might also decide to pull off the road & stop to pay more attention
to it.

> What do you think?

I think you're a little late with the conspiracy theory! This stuff was
all discussed here right after it hit the news.

The story does sound a little suspicious, with the 'explanation' by the two
people being pretty dumb & hard to believe. But because the people themselves
seemed pretty dumb, their stories could be plausible.

> Bill Ford, WB5SXK

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Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

1502. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <350f5545.3344127@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 167356

It's not me. I've got him in my twit filter.

1503. Re: Hold him accountable (was: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6e7r0q$e5q$1@uni.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 167357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'm in whole-hearted agreement with that statement. Privacy is the
responsibility of the transmitting party. If there's concern that
the wireline party may not know their conversation is vunerable,
require cell-phone carriers who run voice analog and in the clear
to provide a 'beep' on the wireline side, similar to what is provided
with many phone recording devices...

hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:
: Some people argue that conversations on cellular radios should be no more
: private than any other radio communications. Historically, radio has been
: considered a public medium while telephone lines have been considered private.
: If someone broadcasts a message thorgh an unprivate medium and then through a
: private one, the communication would not have an expectation of privacy. The
: same rules should apply to cell-phones. The Communications Act of 1934, which
: prohibites wiretapping, does not prohibit listening to radio signals simply
: because they were also sent through a telephone line. Listening to
: cell-phones is only illegal due to the influence of the CTIA with legialstion
: such as the ECPA of 1986.

1504. Re: Texas DPS freq question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312053001.AAA05191@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167358

They transmit on 154.68

Ed

1505. FS: Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312053701.AAA02942@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167359

I have an excellent 2006 for sale. Near mint condition, with book, box, whip, and service manual. Has cell mod done. Price is $325 shipped and insured.

Will trade for something like an Icom R-100, Yaesu FRG-9600, Yupi-9000, or 7100.

Or?

Ed

1506. Re: BC220xlt BC230xlt discriminator help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Asnow <asnow@excelr8.net>
Message-ID: <35076CAD.B76AECAB@excelr8.net>
Source record: 167360

I too am looking to tap this output on my BC220XLT.
Tonight I found this information
http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/mods/baseband.txt
which tells what chips different radios use. Of course the 220 is not listed... but I'd say there is a fair chance that it shares the same chip that one of the listed Unidens or Radio Shack scanners use.

I just pulled the scanner apart here and was poking around for this chip but have not seen it. I am looking for a regular IC with a name such as "TK-10420" printed on it right? I see that most of the chips listed in the above link work off pin 16. Granted it is late here and I should look again in the morning, but I only see 2 IC's that will be large enough.

One is on the main board next to a big orange cube. The chip is labeled "mc33618d" "xac405" 16 pins.
The other is mounted on a secondary PC board above the main board. The chip has a metal canister type crystal laying on top of it. The chip is labeled "sm5158ap" 16 pins.
One other IC is directly behind "sm5158ap". This one is only an 8 pin and is labeled "tlc271cp"

The "mc33618d" seems to be the closest to a name match with the chips listed at the above link. Does anyone know for sure, what the pin layout is, or if there is an updated list like the above that contains newer radios?

1507. Re: Texas DPS freq question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark <mtaustin@onr.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4d79$706e4ba0$3d0cc8cf@hp>
Source record: 167361

Dave i think its 154.68.
mark

Dave Shapiro <matzoman@flash.net> wrote in article
<3505AD39.58A1@flash.net>...
Last night DPS had a high speed car chase thru Dallas county. I was
listening to 155.460. On that freq I could only hear the dispatcher.
What is the freq. for the cars and the radio's that the officer carry?

Thanks

dave

1508. FS Pro-2006 with Opto OS/456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad178@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6e7orj$940@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 167362

For Sale:

Pro-2006 with Optel Electroncis OS/456 Computer Interface board.
All in very good condtion with manuals box, etc.
Currently in use but need to sell to finance purchase of other toys.

$460.00 Shipped.
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Life's too short to worry... :)

1509. Re: STRONG MEN: The product of faith in God and a real time relationship with him.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: engine09@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <34bd5793.1406867@news>
Source record: 167363
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,houston.general,austin.general,dc.general,ca.general,dfw.general

On Tue, 07 Oct 1997 00:02:58 -0500, "David," <david084@flash.net>
wrote:

>PROTOCOL wrote:
>>
>> Barry Smith wrote:
>> >
>> > Why is it that a group of males is attacked for this activity, yet if it
>> > was a group of Women or "Million Man March" it is wonderful and spiritual
>> > for them to do that.
>> >
>> > I feel it is not such as issue, it is great that men can get together like
>> > this for a common goal- simply to be responsible for their family, their
>> > children, their wives. It is not a blemish in any way to limit a womans
>> > responsibility, or to restrict them that those liberal idiots at NOW have
>> > suggested. If they had half a brain, they would have seen that.
>> >
>> > Man is under attack from all fronts, the forces against them will not stop
>> > until they are all out of power and slaves to the worlds liberals.
>> >
>> > Groups like NOW are quick to denounce these meetings, yet they also
>> > denounce "deadbeat dads" and this meeting is the total opposite of being a
>> > deadbeat. The PK's stand is to stay with the family and support it, and NOW
>> > opposed this meeting, and also oppose deadbeat dads....what a joke.
>> >
>> > Hmm, sounds like a great example of hypocrisy?
>> Did anyone notice the media just about refused to state the TOTAL
>> number that attended? I heard "hundreds of thousands," "thousands
>> upon thousands" and many other expressions but no one would state the
>> estimated total. Back during the "million man march" that is all they
>> could talk about. ?!?!?!?!!?
>
> Yes, I have noticed and so have many others. I heard it being talked
>about at the office today. The media was so willing to say that Calipso
>Louie Farakahn had a million people show up to his march, yet the
>National Park Service estimated the amount to be only 450,000 or so.
>
> Not that numbers matter all that much, but the newest branch of
>government, the national media, has shown their true colors on this one!
> When you saw the pictures of the Promise Keepers in D.C., you knew
>that this was at least a million man gathering for sure!

> This group has been estimated to be the largest gathering ever in
>D.C.! But, will the media admit to it? No! They only seek ways to rip
>apart an organization that promotes Traditional Family values.
> IT SEEMS THINK THAT MANY ON THE LEFT ARE FEARFUL OF STRONG MEN!!!
Go post in alt.bible.thumpers

1510. WTB IFR-500A S/M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: donaldt@ipars.sds.com
Message-ID: <889684050.342055@wagasa.cts.com>
Source record: 167364

LOOKING FOR A IFR 500A OR POSS IFR 1200S

DONALDT@SDS.COM

1511. Re: Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRG9600 <frg9600@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4d81$c6933ce0$36afbacd@mikey>
Source record: 167365

Bill cant help it ! He kind of sounds like Eric and Drew.
--
http://members.aol.com/FRG9600/Yaesu.html

JC <jc@aol.com> wrote in article <35070A0C.561F@aol.com>...
> I've read your technical pieces in MT over the years and respect your
> opinion and so I find it disheartening to see the kind of conversations
> you are engaged in here. The newsgroup is filled with personal attacks
> back and forth between you and a myriad of others. Why not take the high
> road Bill and stop responding ? You are better than this.
>
> Just an opinion.
>

1512. Cheek, Mackey, Drew, Eric ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRG9600 <frg9600@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4d81$f7c8e4e0$36afbacd@mikey>
Source record: 167366

Are they all in the same ?
--
http://members.aol.com/FRG9600/Yaesu.html

1513. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: DortorsAreGreedyBastards@NoInsurance.net
Message-ID: <35078a81.38416091@news1.lig.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 167367

On 11 Mar 1998 23:01:03 GMT, wb5sxk@aol.com (WB5SXK) wrote:

>When the stuff hit the fan concerning the monitoring and taping of Newt's
>cellphone conversations, did anyone get the idea that something was awfully
>strange about the alledged scenario?
>
>I believe the tape was about 20 minutes long. The people who were monitoring it
>were supposed to be in a vehicle, driving along an interstate highway when they
>just happened to hear a familiar voice on a hand held scanner that they didn't
>know had been modified for cellular use! They then held a pocket tape recorder
>up to the speaker and got an excellent quality voice recording.
>
>Several things are wrong with this
>
>1) When was the last time you were able to track a cell-conversation for 20
>minutes. Even in a small town like ours, the signal would have been handed off
>several times, and a real chore to even find, let alone tape.
>
>2) You're doing this from a moving vehicle. In 20 minutes you've move through
>the coverage area of several cells. What's the range of a cell to a hand held
>scanner...inside a moving vehicle?
>
>3) I've heard a couple of snippets of the tape. The audio quality was
>remarkable to have been done with a hand held scanner with the mic of a pocket
>recorder.
>
>Now...
>
>What do you think are some alternate explainations???
>
>Were one of the participants to the call taping it and then it was leaked using
>the
>cell phone scanning as a cover?
>
>Was there an illicit wiretap ... and again, the cellphone story used for cover?
>
>What do you think?
>
>
>
>Bill Ford, WB5SXK
>Systems Administrator
>City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
>Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565

>Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net

Surfdom uttered::::::::::
Just neuter Newt, that way the contract ON AMERICA will rot on the vine as it already has and the silly mr starr and his colossal waste of our money 40 million and what, President might or might not have got a hummer from Ms. Levinsky. So what he's got the nation on the best roll in 30 years.

1514. Re: Radio Shack Robots (was: Re: Radio Shack Rip Off)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: DortorsAreGreedyBastards@NoInsurance.net
Message-ID: <35088bbd.38731327@news1.lig.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 167368

On 11 Mar 1998 23:09:46 GMT, n2zxz@aol.com (N2ZXZ) wrote:

>Amen to that!!!
surfdom uttered;
not if ya don't mind paying 100-150 dollars more for a uniden product
with that goofy (PRO or Realistic) name plate.

1515. Re: mobile phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: DortorsAreGreedyBastards@NoInsurance.net
Message-ID: <35098c43.38866043@news1.lig.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 167369

On 11 Mar 1998 23:55:03 GMT, dag0913@aol.com (DAG0913) wrote:

>Glenn,
>
>It is illegal to listen to other's mobile telephone conversations.
>
>DAG
Surfdom yells:::
So what, if I want to listen whos going to know, the feeds can't even
locate a raving maniac on a killing spree until he finally blows his
own head off in a miami beach house boat. And of course Richard Jewel
is a vast mastermind of demonic plots (ha ha so they had us beleive)
until they realized there was no way to frame the guy.

1516. Wanted Pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rayhil@nospam.online.no
Message-ID: <35078e01.1022902@news.powertech.no>
Source record: 167370

I live in Norway and wants to buy a Pro-26.
(Er det noen her i Norge som har en ï¿½ selge?)

Rayhil

1517. MDT freqs.../Sound

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3507898A.F30BE0A1@eden.com>
Source record: 167371
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Anyone have any MDT freqs for Austin,TX? Better yet, can anyone post a .wav or explain what they sound like, i have a few freqs, but i get nothing out of MDT1234, and my interface works because it works with pd204... Thanks

1518. Re: RS base trunktracker, mod for rs-232 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6e832rrsr1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 167372
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Chris Stankeviz (cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu) wrote:
: pnw100 wrote:
: >
: > Hello all, Radio Shacks trunking base scanner is about the same as the
: > Uniden right? Well then there must be away to "add" an RS-232 interface to
: > it? Is this possible, without major surgery?

One big problem:Radio Shack's base unit is NOT the same as the bc-895(the
base Uniden unit).
In fact, Radio Shack's base TT is actually a repackaged PRO-90!
This is, of course the Uniden BC-235 hand-held TT.
So unless a RS-232 mod is figured out for the PRO-90/BC-235, the
owner's of the base R.S. unit are out of luck.

: We'll have to ask Bill Cheek if he's got plans for that mod... :)

Doubtful, but if anyone can figure it out Bill Cheek can.

: Chris

1519. Re: Future of police scanning as more cops use computers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rchatham <rchatham@tgcccn.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4d8a$dc40c5e0$71e960ce@tgcccn.campusMCI>
Source record: 167373
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

For someone who claims to have been a cop for 5 years, it sounds like you discoverd turdville and decided to move in. Perhaps you have forgotten, via the bullshit reasons to make the traffic stop comes the opportunity to arrest someone on outstanding warrants, stolen property, weapons, or narcotics offenses.

As for the insurance violation--I take it serious. Have you ever paid for auto insurance and wonder why it is so high? Have you ever been hit by an uninsured motorist, or one whose d.l. is suspended or expired so the insurance companny did not pay the claim since it was an unlicensed driver operating the motor vehicle? Anyone who injures another or their property and can not pay for their actions are criminals to me.

And as for dunkin doughnuts, could you please get some original material--like we have not heard quite enough concerning this stereotype.

Perhaps you were the type of cop that did not look beyond the end of your nose and just issued "good" citations and went 10-8. Or perhaps you are no longer a cop because you were complaisant or incompetent.

If what you refer to is harrassing I'm going to keep on harrassing, so stay out of my jurisdiction I don't want to upset you with my bullshit reasons.

P.S. Quit cross posting you whiner.

Georgia Kimber <georgiakm@sprynet.com> wrote in article
<3500a8e8.13842692@news.sprynet.com>...
> On Mon, 02 Mar 1998 04:08:39 GMT, monark@aracnet.com (Monark) wrote:
>
> >On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 15:30:50 -0500, "Ivan Ivanovich" <iivanoich@usf.com>
> >wrote:
> > >
> > >
> > >>I was a cop for 5 years, and you are right! No matter how any
jurisdiction
> > >>proports the old public safety story as the reason for issuance of
speeding
> > >>tickets, the bottom line is the bottom line. In fact the Mayor of my
> > >>jurisdiction told us if we would spend more time ticketing out of
towners,
> > >>then we would have had a pay raise.
> > >
> > > The speeding tickets bug me less than what the cops around here love
to
> > >do. Without fail I get pulled over at least 4 times a month for bullshit

> >reasons simply so the officer can fish for insurance violations. Most
of
> >the time they tell me the bullshit reason, ask for license, proof of
> >insurance, and registration. 90% of the time they go to thier car see
that
> >I have insurance and come back and let me go so they can go harrass some
> >one else..
>
> Sounds familiar. When the cops arent over at "Dunkin Donuts" they are out
harassing
> motorists around these parts too.
>
> Keeps em away from the real criminals, dont you know ?
>
>
>
>

1520. Re: For Sale--Pro26 and Pro-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6e83imrsr2@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 167374
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Jeff (jroulier@albany.net) wrote:
: On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 18:59:22 -0600, ccsu0691@earthlink.net wrote:

: >I have for sale:
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: >Pro-26 (no epoxy), as sold new (no mods) with box accessories and
: >instructions, will sell along with AC adapter and 4 Radio Shack High capacity
: >rechargeables. No scratches or damage. Still has Radio Shack TSP warranty.
: >Will sell shipped for $275 OBO.

: I just bought a brand new Pro 26 at Radio Shack for $199.00. I thhink
: you need to come down a bit. Getting the epoxy off can't be that
: difficult.
: >

According to past postings:

1.the epoxy is removable.
2.the mod can be done without removing the epoxy, as the connections that
need to be accessed, can be accessed elsewhere on the circut board.

: -----
: Why isn't there mouse-flavored cat food?

easy-the cat might love it, but the cat's owner buys the cat food-and
they would NOT buy it!
Also-the scraps/bits/etc used in pet food are SO cheap, that even mice
would cost way more to use(the processing cost, mostly).
I realize that the above was just a tagline, but I could not resist
answering it. ;-)

: -----
: Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
: Jroulier@albany.net

1521. Need info on building a 137 MHz turnstyle or quadrifilar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rdemar@home.msen.com
Message-ID: <3507918c.163962649@ftl.msen.com>
Source record: 167375
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Hello,

I am using a scanner and my soundcard to decode pictures from the NOAA polar orbiters and in the tradition of my hopelessly poor methods I would like to try to build a turnstyle antenna, or maybe even a quadrifilar... but I think I wanna go with a turnstyle first until I have better materials. Anyone have sufficient data for radial lengths and separation distances, loading (if any), wiring, etc. for a simple 137 MHZ turnstyle? I built a simple twisted loop antenna and it seems to work -ok- but for my current residence I need better gain and I like the turnstyle idea the best.

Thanks in advance for any help you guys can offer!

, Rick

rdemar@home.msen.com

1522. (RDS) radio data service?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: UJZP73B@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <6e854t$6tao$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 167376

rds is a data service carried on the subcarrier of an fm station.
it has station info emergency info and other data carried on it.
there are a few stations that have it in the U.S.
and it is really big in The U.K.
I was able to find software to decode this from www.leo.
org/~lorenzc/rrds/
but cannot find interface schematics.
can one take the audio from the fm reciver, demod the subcarrier using
a SW reciver tuning below 100khz then take the audio from there and feed
it
thru a data slicer (ie. hammcom/pocsag interface) to decode it with a
computer and software?

any hardware/software information anyone might have
would be a great help..

Thanks

1523. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <6e85le$q28$1@quasar.dimensional.com>
Source record: 167377

WB5SXK <wb5sxk@aol.com> wrote:
> When the stuff hit the fan concerning the monitoring and taping of Newt's
> cellphone conversations, did anyone get the idea that something was awfully
> strange about the alledged scenario?
[...]
> Several things are wrong with this
[...]
> What do you think?

I think it's all moot, now. The Communications Act of 1934, the original
"sunshine" law, is effectively f**cked. Instead of enumerating what you
cannot do with a radio, it now enumerates what you _can_ do. At this
point, there's nothing that can be done about it. The time for wondering
about that "amazing coincidence" is long past.

> Bill Ford, WB5SXK
> Systems Administrator
> City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
> Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
> Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net

--
Eric F. Richards
efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
"The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
- Dilbert

1524. Re: Earthquake frequencies in So. Cal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: grohe@galaxy.nsc.com
Message-ID: <35079408.5340530@139.187.81.1>
Source record: 167378

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 17:26:20 GMT,
in the newsgroup rec.radio.scanner,
buck100@hotmail.com (Buck)
from University of California, Los Angeles thoughtfully posted:

> Anyone know the frquencies that Caltech uses to help
> after those earthquakes we have here..
>
> just had one last night...
>
> maybe I can hear it before I feel it.

See this site:

http://exo.com/~rbarron/earth.html

Or the mother-lode of info:

http://x8.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=180708203&CONTEXT=889691600.827850793&hitnum=2

These are the remote seismograph telemetry links. You can
actually "listen" to the seismographs.

Scan through the 160-172MHz (or UHF 406-440MHz) range and listen
for steady, continuous tones at about 1-2KHz, sent at low
modulation levels (NBFM).

This is best done late at night when two-way traffic and intermod
is at it's lowest. Don't confuse them with trunking or pager
tones.

The tones will frequency-modualte a few Hz with movement.
Otherwise, listening to them is rather boring. You could rig up a
circuit to detect any change in the frequency (a nice programming
exercise).

Good Luck!

Cheers,
Paul Grohe

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1525. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
Message-ID: <3509a703.3234761@news>
Source record: 167379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:

> Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
> waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
> scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
> allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.
>
> Big business wanted a cheap means to avoid encryption of CelTel
> radios. It would be funny McDermott has the law over turned!
>

Nice thought, but keep dreaming. There's no constitutional
clause regarding radio usage -- the (former) Communications
Act is more like a "sunshine" law that requires public meetings
to be open.

Nope, we'll have to wait until Congress starts discussing
campaign finance reform before anything could possibly happen.
I don't expect to live to see it.

1526. Re: trunktracking and changes to the data stream (?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Craig <jmcraig1@fastlane.net>
Message-ID: <6e89c0$anc@news.cybernews.net>
Source record: 167380

What is the default setting if you do this and want to change it back?

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*****
To help prevent spam, my address is foobared. To reply, remove "nospam"
from the domain name.

1527. For Sale: Radio Shack Pro 62, $99.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: keef@tamu.edu
Message-ID: <35089d8c.35803330@news.tamu.edu>
Source record: 167381

Radio Shack Pro 62
Price = $99.00 (includes shipping by 3-day Priority Mail through the Post Office).

I have had this scanner since last August and used it very little. The scanner comes "bare" without any accessories. It does have an original antenna.

All Specifications are available at:
http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/16620.htm
The instructions for operation are also available on the TANDY web site.

Prepayment by check or money order is preferred.
I can also send this by COD through the post office.
Email me at keef@tamu.edu with any questions.
Thanks,
-Brad Keef
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200 channel, hand-held, programmable scanner, very good condition.
All Specifications are available at:
http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/16620.htm

Features:
*Triple Conversion
*Hyperscan
*Monitor Memory
*Ten 20-Channel Storage Banks
*Two-Second Scan Delay
*Memory Back-up
*Lockout Function
*Keylock
*Priority Channel
*AM/FM Mode
*Battery-Saving Circuit
*Ni-Cad Battery Charging Circuit
*800 MHz Conventional and Trunked Police, Fire, Public Service
*900 MHz Trunked

Frequency Bands:
30-50 MHz VHF Low
50-54 MHz 6-Meter Amateur Radio
118-136.975 MHz Aircraft
137-144 MHz US Government
144-148 MHz 2-Meter Amateur Radio

148-174 MHz Government (Local, State, Federal)
380-420 MHz US Government
420-450 MHz Amateur Radio
450-470 MHz UHF Low
470-512 MHz UHF-T Land Mobile
806-823.9875 MHz Conventional Systems
849.0125-865.9875 MHz Conventional/Trunked
866.000-868.9875 MHz Public Safety
894.0125-896.000 MHz Aircraft Passenger Telephones (AM)
896.0125-960 MHz Trunked

1528. For Sale: Radio Shack Pro 29, $65

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: keef@tamu.edu
Message-ID: <350b9e6f.36030468@news.tamu.edu>
Source record: 167382

Radio Shack Pro 29
Price = $65.00 (includes shipping by Priority Mail through the Post Office).

I have had this scanner since last August and used it very little. The scanner comes "bare" without any accessories. It does have an original antenna.

All Specifications are available at:
http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/19700.htm
The instructions for operation are also available on the TANDY web site.

Prepayment by check or money order is preferred.
I can also send this by COD through the post office.
Email me at keef@tamu.edu with any questions.
Thanks,
-Brad Keef
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60 channel, hand-held, programmable scanner, very good condition.
All Specifications are available at:
http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/19700.htm

Features:
Frequency Search
Six Channel-Storage Banks (10 Channels per bank)
Monitor Memories
Two-Second Automatic Scan Delay
Memory Backup
Lock-Out Function
Priority Channel
Weather Bank Key
Display Backlight
Search Skip

Frequency Bands:
29-29.7 MHz (10-Meter Amateur Radio)
29.7-50 MHz (VHF Lo)
50-54 MHz (6-Meter Amateur Radio)
108-136.975 MHz (Aircraft)
137-144 MHz (Government)
144-148 MHz (2-Meter Amateur Radio)
148-174 MHz (VHF Hi)
406-420 MHz (Government)
420-450 (70-cm Amateur Radio)

450-470 MHz (UHF Standard)
470-512 MHz (UHF "T" Band)
806-823.9375 MHz (Public Service)
851-868.9375 MHz (UHF Hi)
896.1125-956 MHz (UHF Hi)

The scanner is preprogrammed with these weather service channels:
162.400 MHz (NFM)
162.425 MHz (NFM)
162.450 MHz (NFM)
162.475 MHz (NFM)
162.500 MHz (NFM)
162.525 MHz (NFM)
162.550 MHz (NFM)

1529. Re: Hold him accountable (was: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanoich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <#tQOT3ZT9GA.210@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 167383
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote in message <6e70dn$3t7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>
>
>Some people argue that conversations on cellular radios should be no more
>private than any other radio communications. Historically, radio has been
>considered a public medium while telephone lines have been considered
private.
> If someone broadcasts a message thorgh an unprivate medium and then
through a
>private one, the communication would not have an expectation of privacy.
The
>same rules should apply to cell-phones. The Communications Act of 1934,
which
>prohibites wiretapping, does not prohibit listening to radio signals simply
>because they were also sent through a telephone line. Listening to
>cell-phones is only illegal due to the influence of the CTIA with
legialstion
>such as the ECPA of 1986.
>

"Money Talks Bull Shit Walks" ---- Basic law of public service!

or put another way

"He Who Has the Gold, Makes The Rules" ----- Golden Rule

1530. Re: Forest Service Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will McArthur <willmcarthur@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <6e8g2n$qr6$1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 167384
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Try theses:
169.1250 mhz
170.4350 mhz

scsando@wazoo.com wrote in message <35045819.7E4C@wazoo.com>...
Does anybody happen to know any forest service frequencies used in the
Lincoln National Forest in southern New Mexico?

Thanks,
Shaun
scsando@wazoo.com

1531. Re: freq for sacramento

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will McArthur <willmcarthur@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <6e8gbu$s8q$1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 167385

Try these:
154.6000 mhz
155.8800 mhz
158.7600 mhz
158.8650 mhz
453.2000 mhz
453.3250 mhz
...
Mike wrote in message <35039e1d.21483932@news.csus.edu>...
Does anyone know what the frequencies for the sacramento police are or
where I could find them? Thanks for any help

1532. Did you see this in a movie?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: FX1 <fx1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6e8hn4$pev@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167386

I saw the movie "US MARSHALS" last week and boy was I excited when they showed the opto-scout freq. counter in action. If you have nothing better to do, watch the movie, it's not a bad sequel. I did like the first movie with Harrison Ford better, both very predictable. I also enjoyed one of the newer James Bond or was it Mission Impossible, or The Saint?, movies that had the Alpine CD deck turn into a fax machine. I have the same identical deck in my car but I dont know if anyone has a Mod for external fax capabilities (j/k). Anyone else see any movies with cool gadgets? (involving wireless communication equipment of course ;)) Is anyone else a gizmo freak like I am?
fx1
BTW, just got my new Welz2000, anyone else a proud owner of one? E-mail me I'd like to share some experiences, I am dedicating a web page to my baby scanner.
Latz...

1533. RE: Washington DC Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: crash3188@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312122301.HAA27086@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167387

Do you want secret service, military, fbi, atf, dea, etc. E-mail me..

1534. Re: NASCAR listening

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: crash3188@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312123701.HAA27588@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167388

No jay. the audio portion of nascar is on the 460 MHz area. As a matter of fact if you check out Speedworld.Net you might be able to find the new frequency lists.If you can't find it there just e-mail me and I will give you what I have. And by the way, If you want to continue to goto the nascar, I suggest you get a RS 50 channel handheld scanner, instead of renting one evertime for $140. Only $99 plus headphones.. C U Later Jay.

1535. Re: motorola scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6e8m2a$qm9$0@207.18.224.133>
Source record: 167389

On 12 Mar 1998 03:01:15 GMT, wb5sxk@aol.com (WB5SXK) wrote:

>
>
>>Can anyone tell me if Motorola makes a handheld scanner for public use?
>
>Motorola doesn't make a scanner. What you probably have seen is the "Minitor"

And if anyone wants to pay $150.00 for one, I got them for sale!
(Grin)

Here in the past year or so, Minitor II's have become available
readily in this price range. Minitor I pagers are getting much
cheaper.

1536. Re: Is Icom introducing a Newer scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve@swssec.com
Message-ID: <3507dfe2.11961474@news-s02.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 167390
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 23:32:48 -0800, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:

>I noticed in the March QST that the Icom R-10 has a $100
>rebate. Usually this means that they are getting ready
>to introduce a newer product. Has anyone heard anything?

The R10 is a relatively new radio. No replacement in the shadows.

The rebate was to blow out stock for the end of the fiscal year at the end of March. There are $$$ advantages to having a low inventory when you end/start fiscal years.

ICOM also is trying to pump sales figures for various reasons. They have been leaning on dealers pretty hard to keep numbers up and make quotas.

On April 1st, ICOM receiver prices will go up 5% across the board. Some of the coupons and other specials may be extended. Not sure. If you want something ICOM and can afford it now, it would be good to pick it up before the end of March.

Regards ..... Steve

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tel +1+410-879-4035, fax +1+410-836-1190
"In God we trust, all others we monitor"
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1537. Scanners for Sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ff53@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3507e1b9.67836925@news.apex.net>
Source record: 167391

1. Bearcat BC-350 with the accesories, in great shape
non-smoker..$80.00

2. Radio Shack 2036 Base/mobile 800 Mhz, tape out
w/ remote, CTCSS board installed $175.00

3. Radio Shack Pro-35 good starter scanner $60.00

4. Radio Sack Pro-46 with cell mod $150.00

make an offer on any of the above I will get back to
any serious offer.

thanks
MMc

1538. 900 MHZ Phone Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe murphy <joe@warm.mail.com>
Message-ID: <3507F563.5370@warm.mail.com>
Source record: 167392

Looking to get a 900 mhz phone for home use. Am I correct in assuming that the analog phones can be scanned but the digital ones cannot be? Any suggestions on a good phone? Thanks!!

1539. Anyone have good Washington, D.C. Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dag0913@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312000101.TAA05708@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167439

Anyone have good Washington, D.C. Frequencies? I'm fairly new to the area and was wondering if there's a good, "must-have" list. Legal stuff only, please...

1540. Re: trunktracking and changes to the data stream (?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-RJ179f57gFdR@slip-32-100-175-15.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 167440

PMJI, but what is it that this accomplishes? How is it that the defeat is put into place initially?

Thanks.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

1541. RS base trunktracker, mod for rs-232 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: pnw100 <pnw100@spiritone.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4d4e$ff275ec0$506d8bcd@default>
Source record: 167441
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello all, Radio Shacks trunking base scanner is about the same as the Uniden right? Well then there must be away to "add" an RS-232 interface to it? Is this possible, without major surgery?

1542. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312011101.UAA18363@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167442

I am sure the person doing the cancelling will let any scanner related posts go to the group.

So mackey is doomed.

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Pursuant to U.S. Code, title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, §227,
"Any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address
is subject to a download and archival fee of $500.00 U.S."
E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

1543. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "G.R. Triever" <grtriever@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35099A62.15913DC7@usa.net>
Source record: 167193
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ptcarter@ingr.com wrote:
>
> Hello-
> I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240
> MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only that
> frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on that
> repeater). I'm looking for something light (i can put in my pocket or on my
> belt, with a earphone)and as simple as possible. Has anyone put one together
> that can tell me the difficulties and the cost. --snip--

(edited for space)

Paul,

Unless you're determined to build one, why not try to find a used VHF
pager somewhere in that band and recrystal it to the freq you need. A
lot of times, you can pick up a used pager for $15.00 to $20.00, and a
crystal should cost somewhere between $15.00 and $30.00 max.

Good Luck!

1544. Re: new law passed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dac_nospam@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <uSwZuIsT9GA.131@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 167194

In article <19980306071901.CAA16048@ladder02.news.aol.com>, jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:
>>From: "dave kay" <arrowroof@hotmail.com>
>>Date: Thu, Mar 5, 1998 13:14 EST
>>Message-id: <01bd4873$077ccbe0$2d0dd8cd@arrsat>
>>
>>it is now illegal to convert scanners to cell freqs.
>>
>>law passed today.
>
> Actually, before the bill passed today (H.R. 2369) can become law a
>companion bill must be introduced and passed by the U.S. Senate. If the Senate
>bill is identical to the House version then it becomes law when passed by the
>Senate. If it is even slightly different then the two versions of the bill
>must be reconciled in a joint House-Senate conference and the final version
>sent back to both the House and Senate for another vote. So far no such bill
>has been introduced in the Senate, so absolutely no change was made Thursday.
> This is simple high school government class stuff, folks, which I
>confirmed today with Rep. Billy Tauzin's legislative aide.
>
>John Ward

You all forgot the final step...the President has to sign the bill after both houses pass it.

So all that happened is that the first step of a THREE step process was completed.

Don

1545. Searchable Scanner Index online

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sonny J. Lewis" <sonny@notnow.com>
Message-ID: <6eca9pkge1@charm.magnus.acs.ohio-state.edu>
Source record: 167195

The Columbus Frequency Index has placed online a searchable, category based index for scanning-related topics. This site is intended to benefit scanner users who use the web to find scanning-related info. To search the index, go to http://cfi.simplenet.com/category.hts. While it is still in its formative stages, it will grow to have many more links added as users see fit. Remember to bookmark the URL so you can easily find it in the future!

For those of you who wish to add a scanning-related site to the index, follow this URL: http://cfi.simplenet.com/category.hts?getentry (this page can also be accessed from the main index page by clicking on the Add button). If you run a website, remember to link to http://cfi.simplenet.com/category.hts so others can find it and use it!

The following categories are available; if you have any other suggestions for a category, let me know!

Amateur Radio
Columbus Frequency Index
Dealers & Manufacturers
Equipment
Fire
Frequency Sites
General Radio/Scanning Sites
Government
International
Miscellaneous
Photos
Police
Spooks/Spy
Trunked System Info
Utility

Sonny J. Lewis
Columbus Frequency Index: http://cfi.simplenet.com
FirePage Columbus: http://members.aol.com/slewis3091/fpc

1546. Pro-2022 has been sold!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: d308@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <3509C06C.25AF@pacbell.net>
Source record: 167196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Thanks to all that inquired.

..Don.

1547. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: pja <pja@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <3509C190.746A6137@pacifier.com>
Source record: 167197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I hope so. This worthless loser has been a nuisance.

G.R. Triever wrote:

> jhayes3rd@digizen.net wrote:
> >
> > Hi All,
> >
> > It appears that someone is issuing Rogue Cancels again from an
> > Open NNTP Server at Texas A&M Univ. All Posts and Cancels via
> > this Open NNTP Server "boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu" seem to get
> > a NNTP Posting Host of itself "boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu".
> >
> > All of the posts cancelled from this server appear to belong to
> > John Mackey, etc.
>
> --snip--
>
> So what's the problem?

1548. HELPPP 890XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: darkhorse5@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313233200.SAA16879@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167198

i have a bearcat 890xlt. i got it from a friend and i have no books. i can't even get the the dang thing to do a simple search. i'm and old pro fan and i'm lost on this dang 890 any and i mean any help wuold be nice. email at darkhorse5@aol.com. and ahead of time thank you thank you thank you.

1549. Re: Frisco Choppers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6ecf2i$a0i@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167199

they hate when you call it Frisco.....

karl in LA
karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com
http://vistagroupusa.com/burbank.htm

1550. FS: REALISTIC PRO-39 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyrus Chiu <cychiu@superlink.net>
Message-ID: <35091A68.D6B2B6A0@superlink.net>
Source record: 167200
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

REALISTIC PRO-39 SCANNER

200 Channel Direct Entry
Rubber Duck Antenna (BNC)
Ni-Cad Battery
Wall Charger
Factory Freq Range: 30-54, 108-136.975, 137-174
380-512, 806-823.9375,
851-868.9375, 896-960
Cellular Restore

$180.00 (Shipping included) or Best Offer

cychiu@superlink.net

1551. Drake SW-8 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Edwards <warthog1@klink.net>
Message-ID: <3509C785.7689DC0@klink.net>
Source record: 167201

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For Sale, Drake SW-8 HF receiver w/manual & box.
$350 firm
if interested, e-mail me,
Don
warthog1@klink.net
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1552. FS/BC220XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sanders <jdsand@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3509CAA3.539D@flash.net>
Source record: 167202

HAVE A PERFECT CONDITION 200CH BEARCAT HAND HELD SCANNER WITH ALL
ACCESSORIES THAT CAME WITH IT WHEN NEW...MANUAL...CHGR...EARPIECE
WILL SHIP FOR $125.00...TNX JOHN IN DALLAS AT 214-339-8062

1553. FS: Rat Tail Antenna for 440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyrus Chiu <cychiu@superlink.net>
Message-ID: <3509222D.C8A2EC44@superlink.net>
Source record: 167203
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.family

Standard Model#: CAT401

Flexible Antenna (Rat Tail)
Tx Max 5W
Condition: New (Untrimmed)
Can be tune to 380-520Mhz
Trimming Chart included
Overall length 9.5"
BNC Connector
$20.00 or best offer

1554. GE Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Iluv2way <bednark@garden.net>
Message-ID: <6ecjuffdu1@news5.ispnews.com>
Source record: 167204
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Does anyone have the service manual for a Custom MVP they could mail me a copy of? I need this to align a unit converted to a repeater. TIA all.

KB

1555. Re:Motorola ID

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Iluv2way <bednark@garden.net>
Message-ID: <6eck0jfit1@news5.ispnews.com>
Source record: 167205
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Thanks to all who answered, I got the info!

KB

1556. Re: Phone dialer tone decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <3509DD63.692@nowhere.com>
Source record: 167206
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

allsafe wrote:
>
> Anyone know of any software that will convert phone dialing tones to
> numbers?
Sure, but it is not a software program, simple call your pager (u do
have one don't you!?) and play the tones, then a minute later u should
see the number on your pager, (old phreaker trick)!

1557. Re: Regency mx7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: grovedev@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6ecjlc$af4$1@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 167207

I bought mine around 1985 and love it for its coverage and receiver. As a scanner/searcher it's terrible since it's very slow.

I'll never get rid of it and I feel fortunate to own it.

Chris

1558. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: lraymond@slkc.uswest.net
Message-ID: <3509F295.5970@slkc.uswest.net>
Source record: 167208

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> thehamguy@aol.com (TheHamGuy) wrote:
>
> > We don't care. Take this nonsense to e-mail.
>
> How come YOU didn't?

You guys don't seem to have the maturity to take it to e-mail. Your egos are tied up in showing the rest of us who is better. News flash: You guys are weenies and you're boring the rest of us. Keeping your feud here isn't helping either of you accomplish your mission. Take it to e-mail or give it up. Can you comprehend what I'm saying? Do either of you have the guts to do what is right?

Mike

1559. FS: Radio Shack Pro-2035 new in box $275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Flatter <bill@bigsky.net>
Message-ID: <3509E519.6619@bigsky.net>
Source record: 167209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Please drop me a line if you are interested in this unit.

Thanks,

bill@bigsky.net
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If you are planning a trip to Montana this year then go here
first, http://www.missoula-mall.com for all your travel needs
such as lodging, dining and guide service.

1560. Ron Paul voted Against H.R 2369

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Josh Cummings <"Josh Cummings"@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <3509E5BF.21F5@earthlink.com>
Source record: 167210

To learn more about Ron Paul, visit his websites:

http://www.house.gov./paul/index.html

http://www.lp.org/9507-Paul.html

William H. Bowen wrote:
>
> jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:
>
> >
> >>Who is the guy that voted against it? We should all send $20 to >his
> >re-election fund!
> >
> >He is Rep. Ron Paul (R) of District 14 in Texas. I believe he represents the
> >Fort Worth district where Tandy and Uniden have their corporate headquarters.
> >
>
> JW,
>
> Right state, but wrong part. Ron Paul's district is SW of Houston.
> Incidently, Rep. Paul ran for President on the Libertarian Party a few
> years ago and is all around a great guy! We need more like him in
> Congress.
>
> Regards,
> Bill Bowen
> bowenb@best.com
> Daly City, CA

1561. Re: Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRITO BANDITO <THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ecq09$4so@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167211
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

flyonthewall@sprynet.com wrote:
>
> I love talking on my trunk-tracker, that is why I bought it. Most
> trunk-trackers do not come with a mic., you have to buy them separate.
> I do not call 911 anymore, I just call the police on my trunk-tracker,
> when my power goes out I talk to the power company trucks.
> This is a must have item.....buy one now!
YEAH SURE. YOU WANNA BUY A BRIDGE TOO?
OR SOME NICE LANDFILLS?
TRUNKTRACKER WITH A MIKE?
EVEN IF THAT WAS THE CASE THAT WOUL BE ILLEGAL.

1562. Re: Indiana Toll Road Freq. ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam.n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <NoSpam.n9jig-ya023080001303982112380001@news.theramp.net>
Source record: 167212

In article <35098c42.1482371@news.cc.purdue.edu>,
cewelborne@adpc.purdue.edu (Chuck Welborne) wrote:

> On 13 Mar 1998 14:43:43 GMT, mrg1std@aol.com (MrG1stD) wrote:
>
> >Does anyone know what freq. the Indiana State Police use while patrolling the
> >Indiana East and West Toll Road(I-80&90) ?
> >
> >TIA
> >Bill
>
>
> Two pieces of information:
>
> 1) The frequencies for the Indiana Toll Road are:
> 154.7750 District 11 (Toll Road) State Police
> 155.4150 Toll Road Administration (toll booths
> and road crews).
>
(snipped)

I have noticed that they have changed the PL tones used on these repeaters
twice recently.

For many years both systems used PL 146.2. Last year they changed to a DPL
code of D205. Then recently they changed again to a PL of 210.7.

My guess is that the first change (to DPL) was due to co-channel
interference (I often heard other agencies getting into the repeater when
conditions were up)

I further guess that the change from D205 to 210.7 was due to the hetrodyne
effect of the multi-site repeater system, and the DPL code not playing nice
with the setup of a linear multi-site system as this is...

--
* Rich Carlson, N9JIG (n9jig@theramp.net) *

Illinois Highway Page: http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html

1563. Re: MDT prelims.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Axiotis <vaxiotis@rogers.wave.ca>
Message-ID: <6ectdk$s75$1@news.on>
Source record: 167213

>I have found police mdt transmissions in the 470mhz and 850mhz range
>here where I live.
>I also have a few taxi services in the 850mhz range..although I suspect
>they could be found anywhere.
>Anyway..do it! It should take no more then an hour or so to build, and
>is well worth it

I have heard that MDT1234 does not work with the MDT's that operate in the
400 mhz range.
Are you saying otherwise.

Regards

vaxiotis@rogersdotwave.ca
(remove portion for correct email)

1564. CHP Inland freq changes???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: melinda.earl@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ecuo5$adb@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167214

Hi,

I have noticed that 39.88 Mhz has come to life as Beige-1 in the Inland (Riverside County) area. I occasionally travel in that area and am wondering if they have made other changes???

73s

Earl
San Diego, CA

1565. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: THX-1138 <Porchnoy@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350A04DC.753232AB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167215
Cross-posted to: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

TheHamGuy wrote:

> TAKE YOUR FUCKING FUEDS TO E-MAIL YOU ASS HOLES!!!

Sure you don't mean AOLHOLE?

1566. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ed172rmd1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 167216
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
> >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
> >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
> >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.
>
> If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
> same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
> (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> rooted problem.
>
> Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
> that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
>
> Jeff KH2PZ
>
> P.S. Say Greg, you didn't happen to appear in that QualCom commercial -
> you know the one - the midgets are hiding in a cafe trying to scan
> some fellow's phone call.

No, Jeff, I was not in the commercial nor I have seen it.

I really do not care what most other people talk about (unless
it is a political enemy, then I want to know everything. But
then that is what good Intel is all about). I guess I get mad
at someone telling what I can not do, especially when it is
really bad law.

Jeff, I grew up in small town America. There is no such thing as
privacy except what you create (and that is usually an illusion).
To say that a broadcasted radio wave is private is crazy! What do
a bunch of lawyers know about technology?

Look, Jeff, if I remember right, you a radioman in the Coast Guard.
So you know about radio waves and you also know about how hard it is
to get things private, especially in small, tight groups of people.
It really counts on you being a person of character. The clowns who
tried to run the edges of the rules, usually found out that everyone
knew what they were up to. It is the same everywhere, even in the
big cities. You can run but you can't hide. Either you have character
and does not matter or bullshit and everyone knows. Either way,

privacy is an illusion that your friends create for you.

1567. Re: ATTN: Bill Cheek--Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6ecsp3$q3e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167217

In article <3509500d.113350599@news2.cts.com>,
bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
>
> jrshattuck@aol.com (JRShattuck) wrote:
>
> > Any suggestions for obtaining IC data sheets from Uniden?
>
> Not data sheets for IC's no. But get whatever
> service manual you can....it shows the IC's,
> and from there, you can get the datasheets
> from the manufacturer of the chips.
>
> That would be about the only way, really,
> though there are a number of variations on
> the theme. You get the idea, though.

What about the manufacturer of the CPU?
Doesn't Uniden make the CPU? I can't find a
manufacuturer listed in the Pro-26 Service Manual.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1568. Re: Scanner in airliners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Earl <ecwjr@pacbellREMOVE.net>
Message-ID: <350A1926.1F39@pacbellREMOVE.net>
Source record: 167218
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I don't know about listenning to it on a plane itself (and really wouldn't advise doing it,) but it's really interesting to listen to the ground crews. My business is not to far from one of the local airports, and I listen to the ground crews during the day, and at night when I'm home laying in bed. I have found it a great way in choosing what airline I fly when I have a choice, as I learn some interesting stuff about the airlines from the way the ground crews communicate.

--
If you are ever in Las Vegas, Go and see LORETTA HOLLOWAY
She is a true DIVA!!!
http://www.lorettaholloway.com

1569. New Laws Will Not Provide Wireless Privacy Written by Ben Saladino KC5IRJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jesse Wintersteen <"Jesse Wintersteen"@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <350A2BF3.4C61@earthlink.com>
Source record: 167219

http://www.interplaza.com/scandfw/totheed.htm

1570. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rev. C. U. Fry" <stderr@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <350A24DE.B5A0BC98@mailexcite.com>
Source record: 167220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
> >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
> >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
> >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.
>
> If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
> same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
> (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> rooted problem.
>
> Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
> that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
>
Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are you nuts? Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as long as we did not repeat it. It is time to go back to that. This doesn't get the Democratic scum of the hook, however, since they recorded and leaked a cell phone call to the media. This was illegal all along.

1571. 2006 for sale with Opto456 installed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Best <gene@surfsouth.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4eda$ca9a7880$9356ae98@gene.surfsouth.com>
Source record: 167221
Cross-posted to: alt.military.police,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio-shack,local.valdosta.forsale,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

For Sale Pro 2006 with cell mods. blah blah blah etc etc. Also Installed
OptoScan 456 computer controlled scanning board. Built in tone decoder etc.
It does it all. All boxes and paper work etc. just like the day it was
bought. Comes with all software and cables. "scancat Gold. Wedding
forces me to sell.

Open for bids anyone?

gene@surfsouth.com
after 6PM 912-242-3338

1572. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com
Message-ID: <6ea0o7$o51$1@usenet52.supernews.com>
Source record: 167287
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

yasmin2@ix.netcom.com (Mary E Knadler) wrote:

>In <6e7q49fcj1@gte2.gte.net> Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> writes:
>>
>>WB5SXK wrote:
>>>
>>> When the stuff hit the fan concerning the monitoring and taping of
>Newt's
>>> cellphone conversations, did anyone get the idea that something was
>awfully
>>> strange about the alledged scenario?
>>>
>>> I believe the tape was about 20 minutes long. The people who were
>>> monitoring it were supposed to be in a vehicle, driving along an
>>> interstate highway when they just happened to hear a familiar voice
>>> on a hand held scanner that they didn't know had been modified for
>>> cellular use! They then held a pocket tape recorder up to the
>speaker
>>> and got an excellent quality voice recording.
>>>
>>> Several things are wrong with this
>>>
>>> 1) When was the last time you were able to track a
>cell-conversation for 20
>>> minutes. Even in a small town like ours, the signal would have been
>handed off
>>> several times, and a real chore to even find, let alone tape.
>>>
>>> 2) You're doing this from a moving vehicle. In 20 minutes you've
>move through
>>> the coverage area of several cells. What's the range of a cell to a
>hand held
>>> scanner...inside a moving vehicle?
>>>
>>> 3) I've heard a couple of snippets of the tape. The audio quality
>was
>>> remarkable to have been done with a hand held scanner with the mic
>of a pocket
>>> recorder.
>>>
>>> Now...
>>>
>>> What do you think are some alternate explainations???

>>>
>>> Were one of the participants to the call taping it and then it was
>leaked
>>> using the cell phone scanning as a cover?
>>>
>>> Was there an illicit wiretap ... and again, the cellphone story used
>for
>>> cover?
>>>
>>> What do you think?
>>>
>>> Bill Ford, WB5SXK
>>> Systems Administrator
>>> City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
>>> Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
>>> Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net
>>
>>Even if Newt was parked, the copy was very good. Let us hope that
>McDermitt
>>getting nailed will help convince Congress that taking away freedoms
>(like
>>the freedom to listen to what comes thru your house, ie radio waves)
>is not
>>a good idea.
>>
>>Maybe this will result in a test case for the Supreme Court. Besides,
>it
>>sounds as if this couple was using a professional CelTel interception
>unit
>>(like the cops have).

>I read the other day that John Boehner is filing a "civil suit"
>against McDermott. I guess he's pretty much given up on this
>justice dept doing anything about Dems breaking the law. They
>only want to indict Repbs.

can't resist lying, huh Mary?

>Very biased that way.

Nope rather simple the rules for evidence are more relaxed and not as
demanding as they would be in a criminal court. Just confirms he's got
squat, other than a bunch of what ifs.

> yasmin2
>

Let The White Rose enlighten you.

http://prairie.lakes.com/~gdy52150/whiterose.htm
gdy weasel

Parkie expounding on his deep knowledge of English:
>I don't expect anyone that writes "learned" as "learnt" to
>understand what a quality education is all about,

hint parkie learnt is the pass tense of learn

Now heres johnieee expounding on logic:

>Gosh, Jim, I didn't claim to be logical...

thats probably the only truthful statement parkie has ever posted.

>Michael Ejercito teaches civics:
>>The GOP didn't control all three branches of government
>>in 1953. Learn your history, Mikey.
>Yes,they did. The House,the Senate,and the White House.

now what happen to the judicial?

>Mary E. Kandler on southern values:
>The Democratic party has strayed too far from Soutern
>values & the Republican Party along with Jefferson Davis
>&Abraham Lincoln express those best.

that high pitch hum you hear is old Abe spinning in his grave.

1573. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35088c4c.107053042@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167288

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

G Hansen <Glenn.Hansen@usa.net> wrote:

+> Thanks for a most interesting, if not somewhat annoying group.
> --

> Yep, sounds like the plea of a victim Bill. I was wrong, not.
> I still agree 100% with Ollie. I also understand why he picked the
> subject line. You have done the same yourself.

I don't know how you can say that. That's
silly. I haven't. But if I had, then the same
rules would have applied....I'd have opened up
myself for some "victimizers"......

> BTW, I said your virtual reality spiel is cyber-babble. Bullstuff. If
> you want to be a victim and interpret it as all your writing is babble,
> that is your choice.

Well, define "cyber-babble". It's not in the dictionary.
I haven't encountered the term before. So it sounds like
your statement of "computer babble" to me....a definite
slam. Duh........

And..... "spiel"?

Lordy, you'd howl to a half-dozen different deities for
my ass on a skewer if I slammed you..... I've been
real careful to pick my adjectives, adverbs, and nouns.
You're either not very careful, or.....very careful, too.

Which is it?

1574. Re: Startek Frequency Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35098d98.107384977@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167289

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

eddieb@perigee.net (Eddie) wrote:

> I am looking for opinions on Startek Frequency Counters. In particular
> the model ATH-30. I saw these counters at a recent Ham Show and was
> wondering what others may have heard or experienced.
>
> Startek International Inc. is located in Ft. Lauderdale, Fl.
>
> I appreciate your comments/advise.

The GUY who owns StarTek used to be married to the
GAL who presently owns Optoelectronics. She stuck
it to him and won the store and all the goodies.

So he went out and started a competing enterprise.
So far he has stayed in freq counters and not gotten
into scanners like she has.

In other words, HE invented, designed, or supervised
same of all the Optoelectronics freq counters. And
now StarTek's. They're probably as good as Opto's
and maybe better.

+---+
| Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
| PO Box 262478 ~ San Diego, CA 92196-2478 |
| Busn-Voice: (619) 578-9247 (1:30pm-5:30pm, PDT) FAX: anytime |
| E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.11.204/ |
| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.11.204 or ftp.204.210.11.204 |
| or 204.210.11.204 (depends on your FTP program) |
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1575. Dallas FD addresses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dawg9@idt.net
Message-ID: <3508806f.23553017@news.state.mn.us>
Source record: 167290

Maybe the wrong newsgroup to post this to but I'm sure some of you can relate. I'm trying to track Dallas FD vehicles off of the Dallas Fire RealAudio scanner site. I have a Dallas map but I was wondering if anybody had a list of Dallas fire station addresses I could have. Any help would be appreciated. Thanks

Jamey
dawg9@idt.net

1576. Re: Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350b9035.108054037@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167291

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

JC <jc@aol.com> wrote:

> I've read your technical pieces in MT over the years and respect your
> opinion and so I find it disheartening to see the kind of conversations
> you are engaged in here. The newsgroup is filled with personal attacks
> back and forth between you and a myriad of others. Why not take the high
> road Bill and stop responding ? You are better than this.
>
> Just an opinion.

You have NO clue to what I respond to and
what I don't. Best you reserve your opinions
for things grounded in REALITY....not here in
VIRTUALITY where you have no idea of what is
from ME and what was forged and posted by
others in my.....and other names.

You just can't make accurate judgments of what
transpires here.....UNLESS you pick up on
something of value that you can use.

No?

Well, think about it anyway. This newsgroup
is chock full of forgeries .... and forgers.

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| or 204.210.11.204 (depends on your FTP program) |
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1577. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350a8e4c.107564542@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167292

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Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> And YOU, BILL CHEEK have NEVER answered a question that has been
> asked for nearly 2 years:

Then you are even stupider than the utterly stupid
that I thought you were, but was smart enough to
know that you were even stupider than that.

And now I find out that you're even stupider still.

Geezus, Smacksie.......!!!!

> "Why is it that YOU, BILL CHEEK, are always the common denominator in
> in all the problems that occur on this NG?"

I'm not, Hermie. (That's short for 'hermaphrodite'.)
You and your fellow pedophile Petey are the common
denominators. You're just stupid enough to try to
make it look like me as the instigator.

But it won't wash, Smacksie.....'er, Hermie.

I only *respond* to trouble. I don't EVER start it.
And the track records will bear that out.

It's simple, oh Fetid Fairie, YOU stop and I stop.
But you ain't got it in ya, now do ya?

You ain't got it in ya, because I *stick* in
your craw and make everything you eat taste
like me. You sleep, wake, dream, walk, talk,
work, and play with ME in your fetid mind.

You are an obscessed idiot, Smacksie....'er, Hermie.

....and a nincompoop, on top of all that.

1578. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313022200.VAA23673@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167293

We don't care. Take this nonsense to e-mail.

1579. Re: Cheek, Mackey, Drew, Eric ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313022100.VAA23602@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167294

We don't care. Take this nonsense to e-mail.

1580. Re: Eric Oyen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35099a9d.4654209@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167295

I'm so proud..you being a HAMBO and all, and you managed to compose
ONE answer to multiple posts....what a talent.

On 13 Mar 1998 02:24:00 GMT, thehamguy@aol.com (TheHamGuy) wrote:

>We don't care. Take this nonsense to e-mail.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

1581. Re: Cheek, Mackey, Drew, Eric ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350da321.112898616@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167296

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"FRG9600" <frg9600@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

> Are they all in the same ?

They? No. I'm me. The rest might be
the same.......

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| or 204.210.11.204 (depends on your FTP program) |
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1582. Re: Help Needed...Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350ca293.112756974@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167297

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Rich" <no@mail.com> wrote:

> Can anyone tell me where the discriminator is on a bc220xlt ?
> I need some help here ...

I don't have any info specifically for the BC-220XLT, but
it is certain to use one of the NFM chips shown below for
other Uniden scanners in my database. Find one like the
below in yours and you'll be in business.

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CKT RF-in SCAN BASEBAND
SCANNER NFM CHIP TYPE SYMBOL Pin Pin AUDIO PIN
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BC-100XL MC-3359P IC-1 18 15 10
BC-100XLT TK-10421M-2 IC-401 20 16 11
BC-140XLT MC-3359P IC-1 18 15 10 *
BC-200XLT TK-10421M-2 IC-401 20 16 11
BC-205XLT TK-10421M-2 IC-401 20 16 11
BC-250 ? IC-3 16 13 9
BC-2500XLT TK-10930VTL IC-201 24 - 12-FM 13-AM
BC-3000 NFM/AM TK-10930V IC-202 24 - 12-NFM 13-AM
BC-3000 WFM TK-10489M IC-203 20 16-17 11
BC-350A NJM-3359D-A IC-3 18 15 10
BC-400XLT NJM-3359D-A IC-1 18 15 10
BC-560XLT NJM-3359D-A IC-1 18 15 10
BC-700A NJM-3359D-A IC-3 18 15 10
BC-760XLT NJM-3359D-A IC-2 18 15 10
BC-800XLT MC-3359P IC-1 18 15 10
BC-235XLT MC3361CDR2 IC-2 16 13 9 *
BC-8500XLT MC-3361BP IC-9 16 13 9
BC-855XLT TK-10421M-2 IC-401 20 16 11
BC-890XLT NJM-3359D-A IC-3 18 15 10
BC-950XLT NJM-3359D-A IC-2 18 15 10

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| or 204.210.11.204 (depends on your FTP program) |
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1583. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350ea38d.113007198@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167298

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

thehamguy@aol.com (TheHamGuy) wrote:

> We don't care. Take this nonsense to e-mail.

How come YOU didn't?

1584. Re: More Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner from Sprint Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350fa3cf.113072269@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167299

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

thehamguy@aol.com (TheHamGuy) wrote:

> We don't care. Take this nonsense to e-mail.

How come you didn't?
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1585. FS: Trident TR-4500 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ﷺlackwlf@wic.net
Message-ID: <3508aa76.6131156@news.wic.net>
Source record: 167300

Listed on the ebay auction.
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8188950

thanks

Alan
blackwlf AT wic.net

1586. Re: freq for sacramento

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: gmacdoug1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313042701.XAA17196@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167301

> Mike wrote in message <35039e1d.21483932@news.csus.edu>...
> Does anyone know what the frequencies for the sacramento police are =
>or
> where I could find them? Thanks

The Sacramento Police are on the county Trunked Radio System. You will need a Uniden BC835xlt TrunkTracker to receive anything Sacramento County Law Enforcement related. Stop by The Radio Place, south on Howe when it turns into Power Inn Rd., just past Fruitridge on the left. They will answer ALL your questions!

George / KD6CWU

1587. Re: Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: flyonthewall@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <3508a5b0.1213987449@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 167302
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I love talking on my trunk-tracker, that is why I bought it. Most
trunk-trackers do not come with a mic., you have to buy them separate.
I do not call 911 anymore, I just call the police on my trunk-tracker,
when my power goes out I talk to the power company trucks.
This is a must have item.....buy one now!

1588. Re: Making Pro-64 computer interface work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access4.digex.net
Message-ID: <6eafkt$bh3@access4.digex.net>
Source record: 167303

In article <3505191f.5143891@nntp.ix.netcom.com>,
George Vetterle <geovet@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>I made my cable using Ken Plotkins recommendations and it works fine
>with both my PRO-64 and my PRO-2041. I would suggest trying it
>without the resistor and the tip wire. If that doesn't work, try a
>shorter cable.
[snip]

Just got back from a trip where I had no net access, so I'm joining this a little late.

I built my cables with no resistor. They're also short - half of a 6' audio cable. 2400 bps isn't particularly fast, though, so I'd be suprised if cable length would be a problem.

>around. Which COM Port are you using? I think only 1 and 2 are
>supported by LOAD. Maybe Ken can give you a hand, his e-mail
[snip]

There are two versions of LOAD. One uses the simple two-wire cable, and supports just COM1 and COM2. The other needs a few extra jumpers at the computer end, and supports COM1,2,3 or 4. The version that supports only 1 and 2 is the one that supports between-character and between-line delays, but I don't know of anybody who's needed to do that yet.

Speaking of the PRO-64, I just got a spare battery holder. It was $5.29 plus tax plus $1 shipping. I ordered it via RS/Unlimited. I only had to go to two Radio Shacks before I found a salesman who understood the concept of ordering parts from RS/U. :-)

The primary use of my PRO-64 is listening at car races, so I wanted to have a spare pack ready to pop in, rather than fumbling with six separate cells in the middle of an event. Anybody playing with the nicad-charging mod, though, might want to get one in case they slip and destroy the original holder. :-) Or maybe have one for disposable cells and one for charging nicads.

Ken Plotkin

1589. Re: Scanners for Sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ff53@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3508c89f.126956243@news.apex.net>
Source record: 167304

On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 13:32:21 GMT, ff53@hotmail.com (Mark Mc) wrote:

>
>1. Bearcat BC-350 with the accesories, in great shape
>non-smoker..$80.00
>
>2. Radio Shack 2036 Base/mobile 800 Mhz, tape out
>w/ remote, CTCSS board installed $175.00
>
>3. Radio Shack Pro-35 good starter scanner $60.00
>
>4. Radio Sack Pro-46 with cell mod $150.00
>
>
>make an offer on any of the above I will get back to
>any serious offer.
>
>thanks
>MMc
>

I guess an e-mail address would be helpful
ff53@hotmail.com

1590. Re: Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ragna5x5@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313060901.BAA02774@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167305

You can beleive he did.

1591. NEED MOBILE PHONE FREQUECIES FOR AUSTRALIA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenn <corbo_99@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4e47$2da6e9c0$e13614ac@lyn>
Source record: 167306

Hi Can some one send me some mobile phone freqs for australia

Thanx
Glenn

corbo_99@yahoo.com

1592. Re: WARNING!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: robertb_7nospam@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3508d494.13844594@199.1.13.10>
Source record: 167307

On 9 Mar 1998 18:49:40 GMT, "D Stark" <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:

>
>hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote in message
><6dv8sv$sh4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>>In article <3502554D.7C37@swbell.net>,
>> tracey12@swbell.net wrote:
>>>
>>> According to the lastest newswire, the new anti-scanner law not
>only
>>> bans listening into cellular conversations, but it also BANS THE
>>> OWNERSHIP OF ANY DEVICE CAPABLE OF LISTENING TO CELLULAR RADIO
>>> TELEPHONES!
>>>
>>> Many of you are now FELONS but you just have not been caught.
>>> Your government loves you. It feels your pain.
>>>
>>> Mark
>>>
>>
>>sets, a person could probably understand conversations. Virtually
>any
>>receiver convering 800MHz frequencies will have images and other
>problems,
>>allowing it to hear conversations un-modified. What language in the
>law bans
>>ownership of cellular-capable radios?
>
>
>None, he's wrong. Even if it were illegal, a Bill of Attainder (a law
>that retroactively criminalizes actions already performed) is
>unconstitutional.
>
>

Give it time, all the above will come true.
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1593. Re: Earthquake frequencies in So. Cal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: xwing1124@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313073501.CAA11305@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167308

445.400-is a ham radio transmitter that activates with a 3.0 or larger jolt sending out a sound like a flute and warbles in relation to ground motion. also chimes in every 30 min with the current time.

1594. LAFA SX5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ali Akyol <ta2ax@antrak.org.tr>
Message-ID: <35096FF8.3852@antrak.org.tr>
Source record: 167309

Does anyone know mods for the LAFA SX5000
Please mail to me....
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Ali AKYOL - TA2AX AMPR GATEWAY : 44.176.1.1
Member Of ANTRAK - Amateur Radio Club Of ANKARA - TURKEY
mailto:ta2ax@antrak.org.tr
fax: + 90 312 420 79 04
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1595. Newbie Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Temple@Doom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f729790f262c394989680@news.cybcon.com>
Source record: 167310

Other than Radio Shacks book of frequencies, where can I find frequencies for Portland, Oregon? I just got a scanner and love the hobby but can only get a few freqs. (800 Mhz capable). Thanks for any advice offered!

1596. Any Ideas?...tv signals...Please reply...thanks :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: FX1 <fx1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6eb1c6$i0t@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167311

I was wondering, I have a sony portable tv that has a ant input jack and
wanted to know if I could send a signal cord from my scanner headphone jack
to the portable tv jack to view vhf/uhf signals that transmit thru my
scanner. I know it may sound wierd but can it be done? Some other things
to note, I can switch my portable tv to get only source from the ant (aux)
and I have ran a normal cable ant from my house to the portable and I got
cable reception easy.
Any ideas..please reply via post or via e-mail,
Thanks,
FX1

1597. Re: ATTN: CAN SOMEONE HELP WITH THIS QUESTION PLEASE..?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <YncZqKAwwQC1Ew9H@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 167312
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <01bd4df9$ac0d7340$99a1dec2@the-cyclops.demon.co.uk>, Cliff
Pitt <cliffpitt@the-cyclops.demon.co.uk> writes

Hi,

>Is anyone aware or can anyone point me in the direction of someone who can
>tell
>me the codes that control an AOR 3000A when used remotely from a pc..the

I don't have any additonal info I'm afraid but have you tried AOR (UK) -
they may well have some details they can let you have.

info@aor.co.uk

All the best

Cheers,
/--\
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Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
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Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627	Uniden UBC-3000XLT/UBC-9000XLT, Icom IC-R10
Clough@Javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
PGP Key available on request \ http://www.javiation.co.uk/
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1598. Re: Blocking cordless freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cen00746@centuryinter.net
Message-ID: <35091670.0@news7.centuryinter.net>
Source record: 167313

"Bob Pearcy" <bpearcy@sprynet.com> wrote:

>What is on 147.435 and 145.460 in southern CA. ??
>Jeff Johnson wrote in message <3500eb76.41980836@news.idt.net>...
>>> I have a 12 year old son very interested in monitoring. I have an old
>Radio
>>> Shack PRO-34 20 channel scanner I was going to give to him. I am not too
>crazy
>>> about the idea of his listening in on cordless phone calls. (Sometimes
>kids
>>> are not very discreet.) Is there a mod or a filter available to block the
>40-50
>>> Mhz range?
>>>
>>> Thanks in advance.
>>>
>>> Randy
>>
>>If you live in Southern California you should be more concerned about
>>your son tuning in to 147.435 and 145.460.

And what is on those freqs in Southern Cal, pray tell?

Mike Rice

1599. Re: Blocking cordless freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cen00746@centuryinter.net
Message-ID: <35091629.0@news7.centuryinter.net>
Source record: 167314

randycz@aol.com (RandyCz) wrote:

>I have a 12 year old son very interested in monitoring. I have an old Radio
>Shack PRO-34 20 channel scanner I was going to give to him. I am not too crazy
>about the idea of his listening in on cordless phone calls. (Sometimes kids
>are not very discreet.) Is there a mod or a filter available to block the 40-50
>Mhz range?

>Thanks in advance.

>Randy
Just monitor the kid and his monitor oncet in awhile.

Mike Rice

1600. Scanner Incident in Quantico, Virginia!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cen00746@centuryinter.net
Message-ID: <35091abe.0@news7.centuryinter.net>
Source record: 167315

(My girl told me this over the phone from the Atlanta Constitution, to me, to you)

A Marine Commander with ties to the White House is in trouble with the Corps for what he said from his house, to the housewife next door on his portable phone. A third woman taped the portable phone calls and turned them over to the Marine's superiors, who then brought charges of adultery against him. The Marine and the alledged adulturess next door, both deny there was any adultery. They also are asking a federal court to rule the cordless tapes illegal, as they had been obtained illegally. No word in the account read to me about the busybody lady with the scanner and tape machine. Oh, yes, she also was a marine's wife and knows the man and woman accused by the Marines of adultery. If you want to know more, better check the Atlanta Journal Constitution website.

Mike Rice

1601. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cen00746@centuryinter.net
Message-ID: <350918cc.0@news7.centuryinter.net>
Source record: 167316

jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:

>>From: radioman27@aol.com (Radioman27)
>>Date: Fri, Mar 6, 1998 16:50 EST

>>That's your United States of communist america,meaning the laws NOW work
>>against the people ,not FOR the people.

> Hmmmm. Let's see, there are about 50 million cellular and PCS users,
>compared with maybe a million or so active scanner users. If HR2369 were put to
>a public vote I have no doubt it would pass.

>>I am moving to Canada,as
>>soon as I get the money.

> God Save the Queen.

You are a Queen, you hopeless geezer!

Mike Rice

1602. WTB: Collins 51J4 or R-388A; Collins KWM1 or R-390A or Similar Collins Model

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6ebba4$e5p$11@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 167317

WANTED: Collins 51J4 or R-388A; Collins KWM1 or R-390A
OR SIMILAR COLLINS OR MILITARY UNIT

Wish to pay a fair price for a unit in good physical &
operational condition with original meters &/or covers with
standard accessories. Will consider other Collins unit or
military versions with similar specs for same application as
well.

Email with details.

Have Hewlett Packard Laser Jet II printer could swap as
well. Can provide details on HPLJII if you're interested.
This is one of HP's most desirable/dependable printers and
least expensive to operate. Supported by Windows 95 as
well.

Thanks

1603. Re: Newbie Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <3509329A.F78FEA44@vnet.com>
Source record: 167318

Indiana Jones wrote:
> Other than Radio Shacks book of frequencies, where can I find frequencies
> for Portland, Oregon? I just got a scanner and love the hobby but can
> only get a few freqs. (800 Mhz capable). Thanks for any advice offered!

Have you looked into PerCon's CD-ROM?
http://www.perconcorp.com/spectrum.htm

What about FRS?
http://www.wvsc.wvnet.edu/~fcc/index.html

What about people in your own area with web pages?
http://www.li.net/~j4dice/links.html#OR

Ever heard of Monitor America?
http://catmac.grove.net/CGI.SPG?L=F&P=BOK+63

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1604. Childeren, why don't you just GROW UP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <350e3378.2279838@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 167319

Since when did a flame war change ANYONE'S mind?

Just grow up already, all of you.

1605. New BC 890 for $160

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313134800.IAA00496@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167320

I copied this off ne.forsale in case anyone might be interested. I don't know the guy; don't endorse him; don't contact me....

Subject: Uniden BC 890XLT scanners for sale
Date: Thu, 12 Mar 1998 20:17:26 -0500
Organization: http://www.channel1.com/~billymac
Lines: 9
Message-ID: <35088926.3D6B@channel1.com>
Reply-To: billymac@channel1.com
NNTP-Posting-Host: xdial159.channel1.com
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win95; I)

I have 20 for sale:
200 channel base style scanner with tons of features.
My distibutor is going out of business and needs to liquidate....

S 160.00 each or $ 140.00 each in lots of 5

Must purhcase ASAP or they go back to Uniden
Email back ASAP
3/11/98

1606. FS: RS PRO-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4leu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313135700.IAA01957@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167321

Radio Shack PRO-2042 base receiver with 25-1300 mhz (no cellular) 1000 channels, search and store. Mint with box and manual. $295 shipped

Thanks KE4LEU

1607. FS: ICOM R100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4leu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313141001.JAA03275@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167322

Icom R100 mobile/base receiver unblocked 800 with all original accs and
bracket.
Radio is a 9 on a scale of 1-10 with 10 being new. $575 shipped.

Thanks KE4LEU

1608. CellWiz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich <no@mail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4e8c$92970280$02000001@acid>
Source record: 167323

Looking at ng2 readme, it says connect the 8k clk. What is the 8k clk or where is it found ? Can you help answer these q's ?

Cheers
Rich

1609. Gore in boston..Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: pnash@bbnplanet.com
Message-ID: <NpbO.4$Cm6.207875@cam-news-reader1.bbnplanet.com>
Source record: 167324

Watching the news this morning I heard that VP Gore will be staying in Boston/Cambridge this weekend. I pulled out my BC235xlt and programmed in the codes for the Secret Service & FBI, aswell as MIT (he's speaking there this morning). I haven't heard *anything* on Secret Service/FBI freq's..

Here's what I've entered:

167.5625 - F.B.I. Nationwide Primary
167.6375 - F.B.I. Boston Primary
167.475 - F.B.I. Tactical (MA)
167.4875 - F.B.I. Boston
163.975 - F.B.I. Extended Car-Car ECC1
162.6375 - F.B.I. Boston ECC4
163.925 - F.B.I. Boston ECC5
167.3625 - F.B.I. Boston

165.375 - U.S. Secret Service (Boston & Nationwide)
166.700 - U.S. Secret Service (Executive Protection)
166.5125 - White House Communications Agency (Nationwide)

Yep, the FBI doesn't really have anything to do with the president visit, but it's not hurting anything to have them in there.. I guess my question is, are there any other frequencies to listen on? The only freq's I'm picking up is Cambridge Police & MIT Police.

Thanks for the help,
-Paul

1610. Indiana Toll Road Freq. ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrg1std@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313144301.JAA06674@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167325

Does anyone know what freq. the Indiana State Police use while patrolling the Indiana East and West Toll Road(I-80&90) ?

TIA
Bill

1611. Surface mount resistor - 10k ohm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcdermon <mcdermon@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <YHbO.6470$Ly.109320@news.internetMCI.com>
Source record: 167326

I need to find a 10k ohm SMD (hey, its tiny - maybe the micro size - roughly .100" long) to do a mod on a radio. Where would I find such an item? My local electronics supply house used to carry some, but demand was so low they gave it up. Is there a mail order house I could contact? Or anybody got a few of these they could spare?

Thanks

John McDermon, KE4VAL

1612. Re: Surface mount resistor - 10k ohm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6ebkib$e9c@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 167327

In article <YHbO.6470$Ly.109320@news.internetMCI.com>,
mcdermon <mcdermon@MCI2000.com> wrote:
>I need to find a 10k ohm SMD (hey, its tiny - maybe the
>micro size - roughly .100" long) to do a mod on a radio.
>Where would I find such an item? My local electronics
>supply house used to carry some, but demand was so low they
>gave it up. Is there a mail order house I could contact?
>Or anybody got a few of these they could spare?

1-800-digi-key

--
Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

1613. Re: Surface mount resistor - 10k ohm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Kennedy <terry@spcunb.spc.edu>
Message-ID: <EprKx1.312@spcuna.spc.edu>
Source record: 167328

mcdermon <mcdermon@MCI2000.com> writes:
> I need to find a 10k ohm SMD (hey, its tiny - maybe the
> micro size - roughly .100" long) to do a mod on a radio.
> Where would I find such an item? My local electronics
> supply house used to carry some, but demand was so low they
> gave it up. Is there a mail order house I could contact?
> Or anybody got a few of these they could spare?

Digikey says they stock these - P10KGCT-ND, 99 cents for 10 pieces. They're at 800-344-4539. That is a 1/16 watt 0603 form factor resistor.

Note that any surface mount work requires a steady hand, a low-power ultra-fine-tipped soldering iron, and a good magnifier.

Terry Kennedy Operations Manager, Academic Computing
terry@spcvxa.spc.edu St. Peter's College, Jersey City, NJ USA
+1 201 915 9381 (voice) +1 201 435-3662 (FAX)

1614. Old bearcat scanner repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcneely@mcneely.physics.brandeis.edu
Message-ID: <6eblhacvv2@new-news.cc.brandeis.edu>
Source record: 167329

I have an old bearcat 100 hand held scanner and I am trying to have it fixed or repair it myself I can't get the scematics from uniden they also don't repair them and I have tried sams they don't cover this model. I read a while back that electra was back around and repairing the old units does anyone know if that is true? or where one could get this old unit repaired or the scematics for it??
Any info would be helpfull.

Thanks,

Matt

1615. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dac_nospam@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <eCGCiYpT9GA.212@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 167330

In article , dac_nospam@compuserve.com (Don Curtis) wrote:
In article <35079e6f.1038603@news>, efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu (Eric F. Richards) wrote:
>dac_nospam@compuserve.com (Don Curtis) wrote:
>
>> In article <19980306004400.TAA14111@ladder02.news.aol.com>,
> jvillafane@aol.com (JVillafane) wrote:
>> >the only law broken here was nothing got done about the conversation that
> newt
>> >gingrich was talking about he bitch and moam an got this new law pass. but
> if
>> >that was a police officer
>> >that heard a conversation about illigal activity they would find that
person
>> >and arrest him or her under the saying conspiracy to comit a crime and aint
>> >that the truth and nothing but the truth.
>> >
>> >
>> NO...it's not the truth. Cops can't just listen...they need a court order.
>>
>> Don
>
>Don,
>
>Can you cite a single instance where such a court order has been
>denied?
>
>Eric

Yes....they're denied all the time. Not necessairly by the time it gets to the judge, but in all the steps it takes to get the order before the judge.

If a cop wants to tap a conversation (wire or wireless...doesn't matter), they first have to present their reasons to their supervisor and/or commander. My experience is that about 75% of the requests are denied at this point. Once they approve, an order is typed up and approved by the commander. IT is then taken to the DA's office where several attorneys from the DA's office go over the request with a fine tooth comb. About 1/3rd of the requests that make it this far get denied. After all of that is done, then the request is brought before a judge and at that point...about 90% of them are signed.

For those that are denied along the way, usually more information or supporting evidence is needed to get approval. Once that additional information or evidence is gotten, the process starts over again. I would guess that overall....about 1/2 of the requests are eventually granted.

But you see, the cops and DA's office know what the courts require, and they don't bother when they know they can't support the request. Cops are just as lazy as anyone else. There's a lot of paperwork in getting a wiretap and no one wants to got thru it knowing it's going to be denied.

The above is from my 26 years experience as a cop <now retired> a major metro area.

Don

This is a repost...sorry if it's a duplicate

1616. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <6ebne4$1da$1@quasar.dimensional.com>
Source record: 167331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In rec.radio.scanner Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> Eric F. Richards wrote:
>>
>> I think it's all moot, now. The Communications Act of 1934, the original
>> "sunshine" law, is effectively f**cked. Instead of enumerating what you
>> _cannot_ do with a radio, it now enumerates what you _can_ do. At this
>> point, there's nothing that can be done about it. The time for wondering
>> about that "amazing coincidence" is long past.
>>
>
> Don't feel so hopeless. This could be fought in court. Nailing a
> democrat was the best thing that could happen to us. Let the central
> planning types discover what taking away freedom results in.

I hope you're right, because they've really turned the law upside-down on
us. The original Act was one of those really rare, thoughtful laws that
only appear in the rarest of circumstances.

I've spoken to a couple people who feel we're not that bad off (Hi, John!)
but we really are at the mercy of what the FCC believes -- or is told to
believe -- is fair. The law is no longer on our side.

> In time I believe that this will reverse.

On the other hand, someone else will go out there, tune his TV to channel
70, get a "sensitive" message, and another law will be passed that will
do no good.

Or even worse, one of these weenies will discuss something sensitive -- as
in national security -- over his cellphone which will be picked up by the
"wrong" embassy, and will wonder why his precious law didn't protect him.

Grr. F**king idiots.

--
Eric F. Richards
efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
"The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
- Dilbert

1617. HEELLLLPPPP...I need some advice from AOR 3000A owners..Please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff Pitt <cliffpitt@the-cyclops.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <01bd4ea8$e83fa7c0$99a1dec2@the-cyclops.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 167332
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi All

Can anyone give me advice on the remote functions of this
scanner...Ie...control codes etc etc...

TIA
Cliff.
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cliffpitt@the-cyclops.demon.co.uk

1618. Re: Earthquake frequencies in So. Cal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ric Marshall <cfpa418@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <6ebr4q$96c@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 167333

use pl 186.2
X wing1124 wrote in message
<19980313073501.CAA11305@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>445.400-is a ham radio transmitter that activates with a 3.0 or larger jolt
>sending out a sound like a flute and warbles in relation to ground motion.
also
>chimes in every 30 min with the current time.

1619. Re: Surface mount resistor - 10k ohm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcdermon <mcdermon@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <_FeO.14854$Ly.268766@news.internetMCI.com>
Source record: 167334

I appreciate all the info... Now where did I put that
needle-point soldering tip? :)

- john

1620. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jumpin' Jack Flash <JJdotFlash@no.spam.asu.edu>
Message-ID: <35098ED7.437A@no.spam.asu.edu>
Source record: 167335

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Truth:
> Off & on for about 18 months (started July '96). It dies down
> then either Richard Kendrick or Bill Cheek (sometimes under one
> of their alias names) starts up all the CRAP AGAIN!

Bullcrap Mackey! Cheek had you killfiled for 6 months or so. That
didn't stop you!

> WRONG!
>
> Truth: MANY months after Cheek & I had a disagreement ending in my
> leaving his fidonet echo, I came here only to find a MASSIVE
> flame war with nearly everyone against Bill Cheek because of SEVERAL
> things he did to cause problems in this forum.

Thickest bunch of Bull I ever read. Mackey, I've been reading this NG
since '91, and NEVER before you started this crap did it happen to such
a large degree. I very clearly remember how it started! Cheek posted
his FAQ, and *YOU* replied with your "How dare you" followup! There
were *NO* major flame wars on this group before that time. YOU STARTED
IT, and only newbies may believe otherwise!

Christ, Mackey, do you really believe what you are spewing? What ever
benefit of the doubt I may have ever given you in the past is *LONG
GONE* after that whopper of a lie! No matter how arrogant and thick
headed I've seen Cheek behave here, Nothing compares to that bold faced
lie above!!!!

Now, once again, would you *PLEASE* stop changing the way your name
appears in the "from" line, so you'll stay in my damn killfile!?!?!?

Back in the box, IDIOT. BACK IN THE BOX!!!!

<plonk>

1621. Scanner radio $189.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmoore@texasinternet.com
Message-ID: <6ec3nl$l9g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167336

Bearcat-Uniden 855xlt --modified for Cell phone+
100 channels. Like new
-still in box w/all
accesories.Less than 10 hrs. use.
Great selectivity,
compared
to some of the new models Bearcat has out
now.$189.00

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1622. Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ptcarter@ingr.com
Message-ID: <6ec4p1$mc6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello-
I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240 MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only that frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on that repeater). I'm looking for something light (i can put in my pocket or on my belt, with a earphone)and as simple as possible. Has anyone put one together that can tell me the difficulties and the cost. I've been reading the news archives and stumbled on the MC3363 from motorola which seems like the best solution. If you have experience with this IC or if you know of a simpler path to achieve my goal, please let me know.
I read the app notes (AP980) from motorola. Here are my concerns. First off, it said not to breadboard this circuit, but to use copper traces because occllations will occur. My only tools are a soldering iron, a simpson meter, and some Radio Shack PC board. Will this be a problem? I have pretty limited electronic skills and test equipment. Also, the notes say I can flip dip switches and get 256 2-meter frequencies. This is cool, but I only need one. Can I use a crystal instead? Has anyone a shematic that will make this reciever work? Any push in the right direction will be appreciated.

Thanks,

Paul Carter KF4JIR

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1623. Re: Indiana Toll Road Freq. ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cewelborne@adpc.purdue.edu
Message-ID: <35098c42.1482371@news.cc.purdue.edu>
Source record: 167338

On 13 Mar 1998 14:43:43 GMT, mrg1std@aol.com (MrG1stD) wrote:

>Does anyone know what freq. the Indiana State Police use while patrolling the
>Indiana East and West Toll Road(I-80&90) ?
>
>TIA
>Bill

Two pieces of information:

1) The frequencies for the Indiana Toll Road are:
154.7750 District 11 (Toll Road) State Police
155.4150 Toll Road Administration (toll booths
and road crews).

2) Indiana law prohibits the use of mobile or handheld scanners unless
you are a licensed ham, a police officer, a news reporter, or a
dealer. With a few other exceptions. See the full text of the law
below. I didn't write it, I only quoted it...

For more info:

The Indiana Scanner Frequency Page
http://members.iquest.net/~aeverhart/

The Indiana Code - from the official state web site.
http://www.ai.org/legislative/ic/97/

This particular law:
http://www.ai.org/legislative/ic/97/title35/ar44/ch3.html#IC35-44-3-12

Sec. 12. (a) A person who knowingly or intentionally:
(1) possesses a police radio;
(2) transmits over a frequency assigned for police emergency
purposes; or
(3) possesses or uses a police radio:
(A) while committing a crime;
(B) to further the commission of a crime; or
(C) to avoid detection by a law enforcement agency;
commits unlawful use of a police radio, a Class B misdemeanor.
(b) Subsection (a)(1) and (a)(2) do not apply to:
(1) a governmental entity;
(2) a regularly employed law enforcement officer;
(3) a common carrier of persons for hire whose vehicles are
used in emergency service;
(4) a public service or utility company whose vehicles are
used in emergency service;

(5) a person who has written permission from the chief executive officer of a law enforcement agency to possess a police radio;
(6) a person who holds an amateur radio license issued by the Federal Communications Commission if the person is not transmitting over a frequency assigned for police emergency purposes;
(7) a person who uses a police radio only in the person's dwelling or place of business;
(8) a person:
(A) who is regularly engaged in newsgathering activities;
(B) who is employed by a newspaper qualified to receive legal advertisements under IC 5-3-1, a wire service, or a licensed commercial or public radio or television station; and
(C) whose name is furnished by his employer to the chief executive officer of a law enforcement agency in the county in which the employer's principal office is located;
(9) a person engaged in the business of manufacturing or selling police radios; or
(10) a person who possesses or uses a police radio during the normal course of the person's lawful business.
(c) As used in this section, "police radio" means a radio that is capable of sending or receiving signals transmitted on frequencies assigned by the Federal Communications Commission for police emergency purposes and that:
(1) can be installed, maintained, or operated in a vehicle; or
(2) can be operated while it is being carried by an individual.
The term does not include a radio designed for use only in a dwelling.
As added by Acts 1977, P.L.342, SEC.1. Amended by P.L.162-1

Charles Welborne
First Responder At-Large
West Lafayette, IN
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I do not, of course, speak for my employer.

1624. Tauzin's & Markey's Deathblow to Freedom in America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Josh Cummings <"Josh Cummings"@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <35099208.180C@earthlink.com>
Source record: 167339

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SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the ``Wireless Privacy Enhancement Act of 1998''.

SEC. 2. COMMERCE IN ELECTRONIC EAVESDROPPING DEVICES.

(a) Prohibition on Modification.--Section 302(b) of the Communications Act of 1934 (47 U.S.C. 302a(b)) is amended by inserting before the period at the end thereof the following: ``, or modify any such device, equipment, or system in any manner that causes such device, equipment, or system to fail to comply with such regulations''.
(b) Prohibition on Commerce in Scanning Receivers.--Section 302(d) of such Act (47 U.S.C. 302a(d)) is amended to read as follows:
``(d) Equipment Authorization Regulations.--
``(1) Privacy protections required.--The Commission shall prescribe regulations, and review and revise such regulations as necessary in response to subsequent changes in technology or behavior, denying equipment authorization (under part 15 of title 47, Code of Federal Regulations, or any other part of that title) for any scanning receiver that is capable of--
``(A) receiving transmissions in the frequencies that are allocated to the domestic cellular radio telecommunications service or the personal communications service;
``(B) readily being altered to receive transmissions in such frequencies;
``(C) being equipped with decoders that--
``(i) convert digital domestic cellular radio telecommunications service, personal communications service, or protected specialized mobile radio service transmissions to analog voice audio; or
``(ii) convert protected paging service transmissions to alphanumeric text; or
``(D) being equipped with devices that otherwise decode encrypted radio transmissions for the purposes of unauthorized interception.
``(2) Privacy protections for shared frequencies.--The Commission shall, with respect to scanning receivers capable of receiving transmissions in frequencies that are used by commercial mobile services and that are shared by public safety users, examine methods, and may prescribe such regulations as may be necessary, to enhance the privacy of users of such frequencies.
``(3) Tampering prevention.--In prescribing regulations pursuant to paragraph (1), the Commission shall consider

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1625. Re: Earthquake frequencies in So. Cal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Iden <iden@ncwebsurfer.com>
Message-ID: <350985DD.68FD@ncwebsurfer.com>
Source record: 167340

Ric Marshall wrote:
>
> use pl 186.2
> X wing1124 wrote in message
> <19980313073501.CAA11305@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> >445.400-is a ham radio transmitter that activates with a 3.0 or larger jolt
> >sending out a sound like a flute and warbles in relation to ground motion.
> also
> >chimes in every 30 min with the current time.

Where can this be received?

Iden K6JHQ

1626. Tauzin's & Markey's Deathblow to Freedom In America H.R. 2369

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Josh Cummings <"Josh Cummings"@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <35099C06.758E@earthlink.com>
Source record: 167341

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(a) Prohibition on Modification.--Section 302(b) of the Communications Act of 1934 (47 U.S.C. 302a(b)) is amended by inserting before the period at the end thereof the following: ``, or modify any such device, equipment, or system in any manner that causes such device, equipment, or system to fail to comply with such regulations''.
(b) Prohibition on Commerce in Scanning Receivers.--Section 302(d) of such Act (47 U.S.C. 302a(d)) is amended to read as follows:
``(d) Equipment Authorization Regulations.--
``(1) Privacy protections required.--The Commission shall prescribe regulations, and review and revise such regulations as necessary in response to subsequent changes in technology or behavior, denying equipment authorization (under part 15 of title 47, Code of Federal Regulations, or any other part of that title) for any scanning receiver that is capable of--
``(A) receiving transmissions in the frequencies that are allocated to the domestic cellular radio telecommunications service or the personal communications service;
``(B) readily being altered to receive transmissions in such frequencies;
``(C) being equipped with decoders that--
``(i) convert digital domestic cellular radio telecommunications service, personal communications service, or protected specialized mobile radio service transmissions to analog voice audio; or
``(ii) convert protected paging service transmissions to alphanumeric text; or
``(D) being equipped with devices that otherwise decode encrypted radio transmissions for the purposes of unauthorized interception.
``(2) Privacy protections for shared frequencies.--The Commission shall, with respect to scanning receivers capable of

receiving transmissions in frequencies that are used by commercial mobile services and that are shared by public safety users, examine methods, and may prescribe such regulations as may be necessary, to enhance the privacy of users of such frequencies.
``(3) Tampering prevention.--In prescribing regulations pursuant to paragraph (1), the Commission shall consider defining `capable of readily being altered' to require scanning receivers to be manufactured in a manner that effectively precludes alteration of equipment features and functions as necessary to prevent commerce in devices that may be used unlawfully to intercept or divulge radio communication.
``(4) Warning labels.--In prescribing regulations under

paragraph (1), the Commission shall consider requiring labels
on scanning receivers warning of the prohibitions in Federal
law on intentionally intercepting or divulging radio
communications.
``(5) Definitions.--As used in this subsection, the term
`protected' means secured by an electronic method that is not
published or disclosed except to authorized users, as further
defined by Commission regulation.''.
(c) Implementing Regulations.--Within 90 days after the date of
enactment of this Act, the Federal Communications Commission shall
prescribe amendments to its regulations for the purposes of
implementing the amendments made by this section.

SEC. 3. UNAUTHORIZED INTERCEPTION OR PUBLICATION OF COMMUNICATIONS.

Section 705 of the Communications Act of 1934 (47 U.S.C. 605) is
amended--
(1) in the heading of such section, by inserting
``interception or'' after ``unauthorized'';
(2) in the first sentence of subsection (a), by striking
``Except as authorized by chapter 119, title 18, United States
Code, no person'' and inserting ``No person'';
(3) in the second sentence of subsection (a)--
(A) by inserting ``intentionally'' before
``intercept''; and
(B) by striking ``and divulge'' and inserting ``or
divulge'';
(4) by striking the last sentence of subsection (a) and
inserting the following: ``Nothing in this subsection prohibits
an interception or disclosure of a communication as authorized
by chapter 119 of title 18, United States Code.'';
(5) in subsection (e)(1)--
(A) by striking ``fined not more than $2,000 or'';
and
(B) by inserting ``or fined under title 18, United
States Code,'' after ``6 months,''; and
(6) in subsection (e)(3), by striking ``any violation'' and
inserting ``any receipt, interception, divulgence, publication,
or utilization of any communication in violation'';
(7) in subsection (e)(4), by striking ``any other activity
prohibited by subsection (a)'' and inserting ``any receipt,
interception, divulgence, publication, or utilization of any
communication in violation of subsection (a)''; and
(8) by adding at the end of subsection (e) the following
new paragraph:
``(7) Notwithstanding any other investigative or enforcement
activities of any other Federal agency, the Commission shall
investigate alleged violations of this section and may proceed to
initiate action under section 503 of this Act to impose forfeiture
penalties with respect to such violation upon conclusion of the
Commission's investigation.''.

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[Report No. 105-425]

A BILL

To amend the Communications Act of 1934 to strengthen and clarify prohibitions on electronic eavesdropping, and for other purposes.

March 3, 1998

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

1627. Re: Dallas FD addresses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kqualls@metronet.com
Message-ID: <3509a507.11695655@news.unt.edu>
Source record: 167342

Not a great map (no minor streets, just very major ones & freeways),
but it is available via the web, and better than nothing.

Try the DFD web site. The URL of the page with the map is:

http://www.ci.dallas.tx.us/dfd/stamp97.htm

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 00:43:00 GMT, dawg9@idt.net (Jamey A.) wrote:

> Maybe the wrong newsgroup to post this to but I'm sure some of you
>can relate. I'm trying to track Dallas FD vehicles off of the Dallas
>Fire RealAudio scanner site. I have a Dallas map but I was wondering
>if anybody had a list of Dallas fire station addresses I could have.
>Any help would be appreciated. Thanks
>
> Jamey
> dawg9@idt.net

1628. Open the AOR3000A frecuencies HOW?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: System Pentium II <vwpolo@encomix.es>
Message-ID: <350A6ED2.765C9BD3@encomix.es>
Source record: 167043

Please, help me

How can i open then range of AOR3000A?

I write from Spain. Here the mobiles are in 900MHz, but my
AOR is close in the 800MHz (US-mobiles)

Thanks ...

1629. Re: "H & S"----what does it mean?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOSPAMmikek@deltanet.com
Message-ID: <350afc8d.1016660@news.deltanet.com>
Source record: 167044

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 13:31:36 -0800, "Larry Daniels" <kf6swl@hotmail.com> wrote:

>I've heard my local police use refer to "H & S activity". Does anyone
>know what this means? I'm sure there there are some scanner buffs
>out here who know the answer.
>
>thanks,
>
>Larry Daniels
>

In California, H&S stands for "Health and Safety", the code sections that cover narcotics and controlled substances. (i.e. H & S 11357a - possesion of marijuana, 11550 - under the influence of controlled substance or narcotic) "H&S activity" is used on the air to refer to drug use, sales, etc.

Sgt. Mike Krueger
Orange County Sheriff Department
Communications/RACES
KC6ZSF

1630. Re: Interference from computer hard drive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ff53@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <350b046d.81726928@news.apex.net>
Source record: 167045
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 16:36:34 -0500, jnooney@albany.net wrote:

>I recently installed a new hard drive in my computer. It works great but
>the problem is that since it's installation it locks up my scanner on
>any frequency in the 46MHz range. It also interferes with my fire
>monitor and pager (46.50). The interference is so bad that the monitor
>won't even trip when our FD's tones transmitted if the computer is on.
>This happens anywhere in the house so moving the computer or my radios
>is useless. I have tried using a choke on the power lines to my radios
>but that didn't work. Any suggestions?
>
>Joe

Mine interferes with my scanner on 155.295 BAD!
let me know if you find the answer.

Mark Mc.
ff53@hotmail.com

1631. FS Pro 60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn6epsac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314225001.RAA14197@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167046

Radio Shack Pro 60 Scanner for sale.
Like new in box
$115

George
Sacramento
kn6epsac@aol.com

1632. Pro-2026 (need manual)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tramd300@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314225101.RAA14333@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167047

Looking for an owner/operator manual for this unit.
Does anyone have an extra one or can send me a copy?
Thanks in advance...

1633. Re: Interference from computer hard drive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: intermod58@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314225600.RAA14441@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167048

You might send a letter to the FCC. Computers are not allowed to exceed a certain amount of spurious emissions and if yours is, it may be the manufacturers responsibility to get it into compliance. The FCC is way understaffed, so you'll probably never hear from them. My computer does the same thing, I cannot monitor my neighbors on their 46 Mhz cordless phones while the computer is running. You might ascertain if the emissions are coming from the monitor, or the CPU. Once you isolate the source, try shielding the device with foil tape available from many mail order electronic suppliers. It may help to use shielded cables, including the power cable. As for your Plectron receiver, I would recommend using an outdoor antenna if you are a fireman and it is important for you to have it. That will get it away from the interference and outside where it can receive the desired signal better. As I stated earlier, I have the same problem, but I have been tolerating it. What I would recommend you do first is take a cardboard box, cut it to fit precisely over your CPU, line the box inside & out with aluminum foil (for shielding), and slip it over your CPU. If the interference goes away, that's a start. If you use a box keep in mind not to block the ventilation fan.

1634. Re: CHP Inland freq changes???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald L. Tomkinson" <dtmknsn@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350B0D99.37D6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167049

All there is just repeater kerchunking. Similar to 39.680 a few months ago. Both are using 118.8hz PL.

Don
--
-
Location: N33d42m08s W117d59m24s Grid Square: DM13AQ UTC -8hrs.
Scanners: Air-8, AR2001, AR900, BC50, BC101, BC142 (mod Wx sats), BC20/20, BC2500, FRG9600, HP100, HX1000, HX1500, Pro26, Pro2004/5/6, Pro2045, Pro2046, R532, R7000, SX200N.
Software: Probe v3.0, ScanCat Gold v6.0, ScanStar v3.66.
Shortwave: DC777, DX160, ICF2010, R70, R71A, R1000.

1635. Re: One antenna - three scanners...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxrickch19@sgi.net
Message-ID: <r5EO.364$r73.2653108@news.sgi.net>
Source record: 167050
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com (Bob Parnass, AJ9S) wrote:

>Contact Stridsberg Engineering, Inc., PO Box 5040,
>Shreveport, LA 71135-5040, telephone (318)861-0660.
>They manufacture both passive and active receiver
>multicouplers ("splitters") in several configurations.

Fax number or URL, please.

Thanks in advance.

I am Geek Spice, and you're not! So, who do you wanna be? ?

** Remove xx in email address to email me! **
Western Pennsylvania Scanner Frequency Page
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/1060/
Radio Scanner Web Ring - Find a scanner web site quickly!
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/1060/scnrng.htm
Spice Girls ! ! http://channel3.vmg.co.uk/spicegirls

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over the backbone, nothing but net!"

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1636. Airshow Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: MikeDR1 <mikedr1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ef3aj$ovf@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167051

What are some good frequencies and/or bands to monitor for military airshows, mainly when the Blue Angles or Thunderbirds are performing?

Mike

1637. Trade HTX212 +yagi for trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: history67@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314234400.SAA22916@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167052

I have a Radio Shack HTX212 and Cushcraft 3 element dual band yagi (70cm/2m) for trade for a used trunk tracker.
The htx212 was factory serviced for blown finals in November, and has been is service since with no trouble. The Yagi was used once on field day last year, and never after. I am hoping to trade with someone local, as I will not get into shipping and handeling for swap orders. A am in Central Massachusetts.
Reply to N1WSC@JUNO.COM

1638. Newbie questions (cellular, antenna, and others)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@albany.net
Message-ID: <350b14b6.392505@news.albany.net>
Source record: 167053

Hi. I just bought a Pro 26, and read mixed reviews. Is it any good?
I only paid $199.00. Now, I just found out that one can use IF
frequencies to listen to cell calls, and it works! But, I already
ordered a full coverage logic board from Javaition (sp?) Will the
reception be better when I get the board using the correct frequencies
as opposed to the IF frequencies? Also, I just noticed my computer
interferes big time when it's on. Would using an outside antenna be
an option I should consider? Thank you for your replies.

Do cemetery workers prefer the graveyard shift?

Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
Jroulier@albany.net

1639. BC 230XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Emison <dlemison@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ef7dl$n0n@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167054
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I'm somewhat new to scanning and I am considering buying the BC 230XLT...Is this a good scanner? It has all the capabilities I want and the price range I'm looking for...

Dave Emison
dlemison@worldnet.att.net
ON AOL: Skins 9981
ON ICQ: 542112

1640. Re: One antenna - three scanners...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron M <monfeli@mail.telis.org>
Message-ID: <350B2B45.D68C5CC@mail.telis.org>
Source record: 167055
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Fax number is 318-865-7068
I purchased an active one and it works incredibly well, just a tad of
over load on vhf.
Ron

(Remove xx to email) wrote:

> parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com (Bob Parnass, AJ9S) wrote:
>
> >Contact Stridsberg Engineering, Inc., PO Box 5040,
> >Shreveport, LA 71135-5040, telephone (318)861-0660.
> >They manufacture both passive and active receiver
> >multicouplers ("splitters") in several configurations.
>
> Fax number or URL, please.
>
> Thanks in advance.
>
> ---
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> ---
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> Spice Girls ! ! http://channel3.vmg.co.uk/spicegirls
> ---
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1641. Re: " H & S" ----what does it mean??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwmic@value.net
Message-ID: <mwmic-1403981715300001@k92.value.net>
Source record: 167056

In article, "Larry Daniels" <kf6swl@hotmail.com> wrote:

> I hear my local police refer to " h & s activity". Do any of you scanner
> buffs know what this means in police terminology? I don't have a clue.
>
> thanks for any ideas.
>
> Larry Daniels

Usually a "Health and Safety Code" violation involving controlled substances. In the case of the term "H&S activity", you can assume it's drugs.

Mike

1642. Cellular Modifications for RS Pro 2036

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mbryan@intranet.ca
Message-ID: <mbryan-1403982018310001@ppp35-as5200-ott-2.intranet.ca>
Source record: 167057

Does anyone know of a successful cellular modification/restoration routine
for the 1995 vintage Radio Shack PRO 2036 ?? Any advice & URLs
welcomed.
--
THIS MESSAGE ORIGINATED FROM:
<mbryan@intranet.ca>
Bx #1367 Stittsville, Ontario - Canada K2S 1E5

1643. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6efc6kqel1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167058
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh

In article <6eekp8$t54$3@news.ncal.verio.com>,
Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com (Ed G) wrote:
>
> Personality quirks aside, you guys are missing the issue. It is just as
> legal in the US to sit in your own home, looking out your window (with or
> without binoculars) and watching your neighbor as it is to listen to your
> scanner.
>
> Ed

What law prohibits this? If your neighbor's house is located right next to yours (or a busy street) and your neighbor decides to strip in front of his windows without pulling down his window shade or planting shrubbery, he would not receive much sympathy when someone happened to notice his behavior.

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1644. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6efcse$r1b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167059
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh

In article <PEZkknopp-ya02408000R1403981116540001@news.netaxs.com>,
PEZkknopp@citynet.net (Knopp) wrote:
>
> In article <350A24DE.B5A0BC98@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:
>
> > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > > If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in
the
> > > same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of
binoculars
> > > (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> > > voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> > > rooted problem.
> > >
> > > Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
> > > that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
> > >
> > Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
> > you nuts? Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as
>
> No...using your RADIO to listen to communications that are meant to be
> heard by third parties isn't a equal comparison to looking into other
> people's windows. Using a illegal modified scanner in order to eavesdrop
> on conversations you aren't supposed to be hearing...IS though.

> > long as we did not repeat it. It is time to go back to that. This
>
> You can listen to whatever is on your radio. Things change though when you
> make attempts to illegally intercept things that wasn't meant for your
> ears. It's called an "invasion of privacy".

Only by those who believe their privacy extends over the the private
property of other people. If a radio wave goes through my house and my
body, I am not "invading" anything by listening to it. Anything someone
does in their house may be private, but not something they broadcast over
the air.
Listning to radio signals can not be compared to peeking in windows, unless
those windows are clearly visible from the street and no one has bothered
to block the view. In this case, no one would have much sympathy if someone
in the house complained that pedestrians were "invading" their privacy by
looking towards the house.

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1645. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6efd22$rc0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167060

In article <350a7825.406916844@nntp.ix.netcom.com>,
not@home.now wrote:
>
> On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 11:53:31 GMT, lar01@sprynet.com (larry) wrote:
>
> >On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 14:27:30 -0600, ptcarter@ingr.com wrote:
> >
> >>Hello-
> >> I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240
> >>MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only
that
> >>frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on
that

You could also find a real cheap scanner. Try looking at fleemarkets, garage sales, and hamfests for one of the older ones. Virtually any radio will cover 144-148 Mhz.

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1646. Re: Newbie Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <350B315C.86C8B27A@primenet.com>
Source record: 167061

George Vetterle wrote:
>
> On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 01:09:09 -0800, Temple@Doom.com (Indiana Jones)
> wrote:
>
> >Other than Radio Shacks book of frequencies, where can I find frequencies
> >for Portland, Oregon? I just got a scanner and love the hobby but can
> >only get a few freqs. (800 Mhz capable). Thanks for any advice offered!
>
> Maybe John Mackey can help you out. He lives in the Portland area
> and is a scanner enthusiast.
>
> George L. Vetterle
> geovet@ix.netcom.com
> geovet@worldnet.att.net

Goeorge, is correct. Call John at (503) 626-7399.

1647. What is 220.210 Mhz in SE Michigan?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jethro <ewb@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <350B34AF.6400ADC3@voyager.net>
Source record: 167062

Scannerheads,

I was scanning the bands today and came across weird stuff on 220.210 Mhz. There is a tone every fifteen seconds or so, and every once in while there is some garbled speech. I've tried AM, FMn, USSB, and LSSB and can't understand the speech. The signal is strong, 9dB on a unity-gain discone. Does anyone happen to know what is on this frequency?

Thanks,
Jethro

1648. freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggmv@bconnex.net
Message-ID: <6efedo$3du$1@news.bconnex.net>
Source record: 167063

does any one know if there are any WEFAX frequencies around the 137.000Mhz range in ontario.please post or email me if you can help at all. thanks guys and sorry about my first post. MIKE

1649. Re: Phone dialer tone decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggmv@bconnex.net
Message-ID: <6effcu$3j6$1@news.bconnex.net>
Source record: 167064
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hoka-code3
allsafe wrote in message <3505F433.FEF73886@netwit.com>...
>Anyone know of any software that will convert phone dialing tones to
>numbers?
>
>
>

1650. Re: Phone dialer tone decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggmv@bconnex.net
Message-ID: <6efflc$3nl$1@news.bconnex.net>
Source record: 167065
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hoka-code3
allsafe wrote in message <3505F433.FEF73886@netwit.com>...
>Anyone know of any software that will convert phone dialing tones to
>numbers?
>
>
>

1651. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350B4FAD.7712@usa.net>
Source record: 167066

Funny, YOU are the one who NEVER posts on-topic messages
& can NEVER take part in technical. Rather, you can only
make your little stories up on occasion!

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> John Mackey aka Toilet Boy is the prime troublemaker in the scanner
> groups.
> He has zero technical ability and is jealous of anyone who does. He goes

1652. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350B550D.506D@usa.net>
Source record: 167067
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hehehehehe

Yea, Glenn used to write his whinny e-mails to my Fidonet sysop
a couple years ago. Finally, a few well placed e-mails to HIS
ISP made it all stop.

de Phantom Spam wrote:
> Glenn, please do not send my ISP any more of your requests to have them
> quell free speech! If you do like what someone has to say then do not read
> it. It's one thing to SPAM newsgroups and another to voice your opinion on

1653. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350B55E1.4395@usa.net>
Source record: 167068

Jumpin' Jack Flash wrote:

> Bullcrap Mackey! Cheek had you killfiled for 6 months or so. That
> didn't stop you!

Like HELL! I did not attack him during that time. Suddenly, he started
attacking ME! Would you like to see an example of how is started?

> I very clearly remember how it started! Cheek posted
> his FAQ, and *YOU* replied with your "How dare you" followup! There

You have given PURE BULL! YOu must have rose colored glasses!

1654. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350B56C9.7BA1@usa.net>
Source record: 167069

Eric Oyen wrote:

> A simple answer will suffice.
> You might begin with your, so called, lack of a valid e-mail address,

I have a valid e-mail address. Hell, YOU'VE sent me mail before &
I have responded!!!!

> and why you say you never aquired internet service illegally, when
> obtaining such without an account is, in fact, illegal.

WRONG!!! (again)

Please post how you figure that it is "illegal" to NOT have an
e-mail account with internet service?

1655. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350B5717.3168@usa.net>
Source record: 167070

WELL SAID!!

I have tried to tell this to the trouble makers with NO
result of ending. How sad!

> You guys don't seem to have the maturity to take it to e-mail. Your egos
> are tied up in showing the rest of us who is better. News flash: You
> guys are weenies and you're boring the rest of us. Keeping your feud

1656. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350B596F.7F03@usa.net>
Source record: 167071

No Bill, just smart enough to see thru YOUR
games which is what you DON'T like!

You can NOT defend yourself or give a
credible answer to the question. Instead
you give an answer with insult intended by
using the letters "stupid" FOUR times. YOU
TOTALLY side-stepped the question, as you have done
for the last TWO years!

Bill Cheek wrote:

> *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > And YOU, BILL CHEEK have NEVER answered a question that has been
> > asked for nearly 2 years:

> Then you are even stupider than the utterly stupid
> that I thought you were, but was smart enough to
> know that you were even stupider than that.
>
> And now I find out that you're even stupider still.

1657. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350B5A2D.6F4F@usa.net>
Source record: 167072
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
> At this point, how do we know who is "the real John Mackey"; and, the
> two versions of Windows and of Netscape could be run from the same PC, could
> they not?

Look at the headers, watch the "nntp posting host" and the "path". THAT
will tell a lot. (That is how we caught Bill Cheek doing the
message canceling!)

1658. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <350B5B69.6141@usa.net>
Source record: 167073
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Have you ever heard of "freedom of speech"?

G.R. Triever wrote:
> So what's the problem?

1659. Re: Blimp Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlambo55@tir.com
Message-ID: <6efktf$s8e$1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 167074
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

If I'm not mistaken, all aircraft operating in and around a
specific (controlled) airport must use the approach and ground frequencies
assigned to that airport. This is regardless of what type of aircraft it
is.....airplane, helicopter, blimp, glider or UFO.

Dean
+ACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqA
CoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACo
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+ACoAKg- To Reply, Remove the +ACI-55+ACI- from my E-Mail address +ACoAKg-
+ACoAKg- Anti Spam (junk mail) Measures In Effect +ACoAKg-
+ACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqA
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Visit the home of the Pontiac Miniature Aircraft Club
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/4484/index.html
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Earl wrote in message +ADw-35077ABA.7077+AEA-pacbellREMOVE.net+AD4-...
+AD4-My main interest with my scanner is aviation. I have found the FREQs
+AD4-for my local airports. With the amount of sports events around here, it
+AD4-is not unusual to look up in the sky and see a blimp. I was wonderring
+AD4-if anybody have the frequencies for the GOODYEAR, MET, and FUJI blimps,
+AD4-along with any other blimp.
+AD4-
+AD4---
+AD4-If you are ever in Las Vegas, Go and see LORETTA HOLLOWAY
+AD4-She is a true DIVA+ACEAIQAh-
+AD4-http://www.lorettaholloway.com

1660. Yupiteru MVT-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clay S. Koenig" <cskoenig@home.com>
Message-ID: <350B57FB.F221C73A@home.com>
Source record: 167075
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,phi.scanner

Hi people.
I wanted to comment on my Yupiteru MVT-9000. I own four scanners all together and even though this was the most expensive one of the bunch, it really is the least desirable when I'm listening to local frequencies. I'm not the most engineered type of person and I still haven't taken the time to learn about all the buttons and knobs on the thing but I can definitely tell you this. I also own a Rat Shack Pro-26 and it is the best when it comes to picking up local police and fire frequencies even though it is cellular blocked.
My main point is this: Does anyone else own the Yupiteru MVT-9000? I would really enjoy some email on some stories or experiences with this unit for I would really like to learn how to use it the best of advantages. I really think for the price that I paid for it, and besides ordering it from Finland, that it should be the best bang-wizzing instrument that I own. Any help would be greatly appreciated. You can email me at cskoenig@home.com

Thanks,

Ck

1661. Re: Internal Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Prince <princ36@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <350B57BF.7543F2F5@ibm.net>
Source record: 167076

Part of the problem is most of the scanner's speakers direct the sound from the top or side. Also being small there is not much bass. Try building a little acoustical box over the speaker opening with an open end of the box facing where you sit. Like a little speaker enclosure. Experiment with light cardboard (shoe box thickness) and tape. As well as directing the sound towards you, you should pick up a little bass in the audio which may be easier to hear. Try different materials and different box and opening shapes. May be a cheap solution.

Dale

Flipper wrote:

> To All,
>
> Can anyone tell me if there is a scanner that has a internal speaker larger
> or louder then the one's Bearcat, Radio Shack, Uniden, etc? I drive a semi
> and it is very hard for me to hear what is being broadcast. I know that I
> can use a external speaker and even a headphone. But due to the fact they I
> drive Hazmat my company will not allow me to use these external products..
>
> Thanks
>
> Scan Man

1662. Re: Trunk Tracers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlambo55@tir.com
Message-ID: <6eflkj$sm5$1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 167077
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

news.toad.net wrote in message <01bd4e1e$f9dae6a0$b61e31d1@wendy-s-avon>...
>BC235XLT Hand Held $245.00
>
>BC895XLT Base $285.00
>
>Above price includes shipping to most USA address if pre-pay.
>C.O.D. possible also.
>
>These are new, not Re-Furbed or Used. I buy from a local Uniden
>Distributor.

<snip>
.....and tack on another $40.00 too.

>
>For more info contact:
>
>Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
>Owner
>DAT2 Communications
>(420) 360-2260 *3
>dat2comm@toad.net
>

1663. Definition Of Terms

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clay S. Koenig" <cskoenig@home.com>
Message-ID: <350B6DF8.311A6D58@home.com>
Source record: 167078
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Okay..I'm not exactly a newbie at this sort of thing but I would like some simple questions answered please. When I received a listing of cellular phone frequencies it gives Non-wireline and Wireline company's. What is the difference between the two?

Number two, when it gives base and Mobile numbers. what is the difference between these two terms (base and mobile). Does this mean that I have numbers for both parties chatting? I realize that this is as illegal as hell but I would like to know what these terms mean anyway. Would somebody please respond to this?

Happy Listening,

Ck

1664. Re: APCO Project 25 - Standards for Public Safety Digital Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckm@zocalo.com
Message-ID: <chuckm-1403982234070001@157.22.200.2>
Source record: 167079

In article <3502EC9B.7B31@ix.netcom.com>, Douglas Larson <"Douglas Larson"@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

> for information about APCO's Project 25, visit the APCO website.
>
> http://www.apcointl.org/project25/information.html#top
>
> How will Project 25 affect our hobby?
>
> Will we be "allowed" to own scanner radios compatible with project 25?
It looks like it may be a while before this stuff gets into common use.

You might want to look into an APCO 25-compatible communication analyser test set. This will be quite expensive.
-- Chuck

1665. WTB: Icom R10 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <350B8613.7207@nidlink.com>
Source record: 167080
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,equipment

I am looking for an Icom R10 scanner. Must be in excellet cosmetic, perfect operational condition with manual, and priced right. Prefer with full scan (not blocked), but will consider all offers. All offers will be answered. Flames will be ignored.

Thanks,

David, WA7ZYQ

208-245-2070

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

1666. Please help with Portland Area Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Temple@Doom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f752970fef1e440989681@news.cybcon.com>
Source record: 167081

Would someone be so kind as to provide me with some freqs of Beaverton, Tigard, or Portland police? I just got a scanner and am having trouble honing in on anything but towtrucks, cabbies, and Clackamas County Police (155.430). I do have a scanner that can receive up to 960 MHz. thanks in advance for any replies!

1667. Re: Newbie Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Temple@Doom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f752a0c2f83fd1d989682@news.cybcon.com>
Source record: 167082

In article <3509329A.F78FEA44@vnet.com>, wells@vnet.com says...
> Indiana Jones wrote:
> > Other than Radio Shacks book of frequencies, where can I find frequencies
> > for Portland, Oregon? I just got a scanner and love the hobby but can
> > only get a few freqs. (800 Mhz capable). Thanks for any advice offered!
>
> Have you looked into PerCon's CD-ROM?
> http://www.perconcorp.com/spectrum.htm
>
> What about FRS?
> http://www.wvsc.wvnet.edu/~fcc/index.html
>
> What about people in your own area with web pages?
> http://www.li.net/~j4dice/links.html#OR
>
> Ever heard of Monitor America?
> http://catmac.grove.net/CGI.SPG?L=F&P=BOK+63
>
> Strong signals,
> Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
> New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
> Scanning USA columnist
>
Thanks - I will try these.

1668. Listening to phones while on airplanes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Kearman <jkearman@javanet.com>
Message-ID: <6egpdr$lp7$1@as1000.javanet.com>
Source record: 167083

When I was flying back from Florida last week I noticed a passenger in First Class using a phone. I thought it might be interesting to see what he had to say. What kind of scanner do I need to listen to phones on planes? Could I also listen to the pilot? Could I use my cell phone to call another passenger on the plane phone? That might be kind of fun. "I see you leering at that stewardess, buddy!"

Just wondering.

Jim

James Kearman

Note: You must remove "dot" from my email address before replying.

1669. TELEWAVE WATTMETER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <350A8576.A2F32A5A@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 167084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Telewave Watt meter Model 44A. Condition is excellent.It comes with UHF connectors installed. The frequency range is from 20 mHz to 1000 mHz from 5 watt scale to 500 watt scale. I do not have the manual nor the box that it came in. I'am asking 250.00. If you are interested please e-mail with your reply.
73's
Mike

1670. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6eehb0$haj@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 167085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Rev. C. U. Fry <stderr@mailexcite.com> wrote:
>Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
>you nuts?

Eavesdropping on someone's telephone call is the same form of voyeurism
as peering in their windows (except that one allows you to hide in your
home with your drapes closed while the other requires that you must be
peeking through your drapes).

>Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as
>long as we did not repeat it.

Wire-tapping someone's telephone has been illegal for quite a long
time. Now ask yourself how listening to a phone conversation
via a scanner is different from wire-tapping that party's phone.
Your intent is the same - to spy on your neighbor.

You can attempt to justify your obsession of electronic "peeping tom"
but it doesn't change the fact that you're committing a federal crime.
It's just a pity that we need such a federal law in place of what
should be a moral obligation to respect the privacy of your neighbors.

If you want the EPCA repealed, then you should also fight for allowing
unlimited wire-tapping without court intervention.

Jeff KH2PZ

1671. Scantenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tim@micro-delta.com
Message-ID: <350c8b92.977518517@news.global.co.za>
Source record: 167086

I just received my new Scantenna this morning and spent a coupla hours putting it up on a pole outside.

It seems to work well although it's way too early to tell yet and I haven't been able to compare it to my discone yet.

One thing I did notice though, and which disappointed me somewhat, is the poor quality of the whole antenna. It looks like it's been made the way those really cheap and nasty TV antennas from the far east are made.

I can't help wondering how many days it's gonna take before all kinds of weird electro-chemical effects start happening between the various pieces.

Does anyone else have any comment on this antenna?

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1672. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6ees54$n1p@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 167087
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh

Ed G <Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com> wrote:
>Jeff wrote:

>>If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
>>same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
>>(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
>>voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
>>rooted problem.

> Personality quirks aside, you guys are missing the issue. It is just as
>legal in the US to sit in your own home, looking out your window (with or
>without binoculars) and watching your neighbor as it is to listen to your
>scanner.

I compared scanner eavesdropping to "peering in your neighbor's window"
not looking out your own window (see >> above). And anti-Peeping Tom laws
do exist.

Why did you send me three identical emails containing your above remarks,
Ed? Please don't become the email pest that Hans has become.

Jeff

1673. PRO-42 Radio scanner for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: fb34128@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314061701.BAA22940@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167143

I have a PRO-42 scanner for sale in it's origional box with the manual.
I origionally bought it at $180 and I'm asking only $90.
If you are interested or need more information please E-Mail me at:
FB34128@AOL.COM

1674. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350a220c.85316204@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167144

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Jumpin' Jack Flash <JJdotFlash@no.spam.asu.edu> wrote:

> *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF wrote:
> >
> > Truth:
> > Off & on for about 18 months (started July '96). It dies down
> > then either Richard Kendrick or Bill Cheek (sometimes under one
> > of their alias names) starts up all the CRAP AGAIN!
>
> Bullcrap Mackey! Cheek had you killfiled for 6 months or so. That
> didn't stop you!

Hey, Jack, thanks for noticing!! I was
wondering if and when anyone would take
note of that profound fact.

Thanks again!

Bill

1675. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: orlscan@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314070901.CAA29437@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167145

Well Language such as that really helps the Problem now doesn't
it

I should hope we are all adults
J.C.Webb EMT/NAEMD
The Orlando Scanning Page
http://members.aol.com/Orlscan

1676. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@juno.com>
Message-ID: <B818C23587845ECD.4F7E9A466BC2F459.3183F3ABDFA9B41E@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 167146
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

I wonder whats next? Will criminals start suing the police for catching them? Will criminals sue their parents for the fingerprints that got them caught? Let's not forget DNA tests, very big in high profile cases so it will be a lager $$ figure. Maybe McVeigh should sue the FBI and the state of OK for all the methods they used to catch and convict him. How long is it going to be before we are sued by someone for turning our TV sets to channel 88? I hope we do a show on this mess, I could stay on this soapbox for hours...

Radioman

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
> >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
> >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
> >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.

1677. Frequence du quebec

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: 924247 <924247@ican.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4f1b$61fca320$0eac9a8e@debilles.com>
Source record: 167147

J'aimerais savoir si il y aurais une place ou je pourais avoir les
frequence de police du quebec a quelque part?

1678. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350b23f1.85801109@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167148

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net> wrote:

> Regarding the subject line, I felt he picked it to attract attention or
> possibly to fool the idiot cancel freak.

Ahhhhh.....you "felt" that. Okay, that's cool.
But let's stand off a little and take a look at
two extreme statements:

1. I know......
2. I don't know....

Well, "felt" is a quantity that falls on a line
somewhere between the above two extremes, just
like....."I think"; "I'm not sure"; "I don't think",
and so on.

So you "felt". Please keep that in mind as we proceed.

> I think you misunderstood me
> Bill. If you really want to get into interpreting it I would have to say
> he meant for one to drop to their knees. I don't see how you interpret
> that as somebody offering to bend over for you or be a victim.

Ummmm...."interpret". Again, that's cool. "Interpret"
certain falls on a line somewhere between (1) and (2)
above. Let's keep that in mind as we proceed.

As for *my* perception, the subject line was
certainly controversial, given that this is a
scanner forum. Picking a subject line like that,
was *surely* an invitation for folks to drop
in and see if the zipper was on the BACK SIDE
of his britches..... or even if he was a weirdo
who puts his britches on bass-ackwards.

You have to admit that the subject line is hardly
appropriate for a scanner forum, much less one
that's routinely visited by both genders, as well
as ages 9 to 90. It wasn't exactly a family-oriented
subject line, was it? And was it intended to be
constructive with the idea of accomplishing something
good, healthy, and wholesome?

I doubt it.

> > > BTW, I said your virtual reality spiel is cyber-babble. Bullstuff. If
> > > you want to be a victim and interpret it as all your writing is babble,
> > > that is your choice.
> >
> > Well, define "cyber-babble". It's not in the dictionary.

> Ever heard the term Psycho-babble in relation to psychology and some of
> their BS reasoning and terms. I bet you can figure it out.

Nope. I'm not a shrink, and even though I *am* well
studied in that realm, I never heard of the term in
any clinical sense of the words.

The etymology of "babble" probably has to do with the
biblical story of Babylon where the populace pissed off
the local deity who then wreaked havoc by rendering the
citizens, each speaking a different language from the rest.
Thus no one could understand each other. "Babble....."

Well, *you* understand me, all right. So your use of
the term was hardly "clinical".

> > I haven't encountered the term before. So it sounds like
> > your statement of "computer babble" to me....a definite
> > slam. Duh........

> Read the above again. Yes, I guess you could say I slammed your "virtual
> reality spiel". I am not as articulate as you Bill.

Well? *Get* articulate. This is a forum and medium
where articulation is the singular difference betwixt
knowing and not knowing. You don't go to a knitting
bee to talk radio.... and knitters don't go to a
radio gathering to knit booties. In this forum, the
ability to communicate (read: articulate) is all the
more vital.

> I am for loss of any other way to put it. Spiel, stand,
> sermon or what ever. The statement you have made many
> times concerning virtual reality. Spiel for
> loss of words. Sorry if I offended you with the word spiel.

It's a low class word, verging on getting personal.
Dictionary-wise, "spiel" and "eloquent" are synonyms,
and I know damned good and well you weren't calling
me "eloquent". So, you used the term in the vernacular.
I know it. And you know it.

The bottom line.....is that it and certain other terms
you've picked simply aren't geared to effective communications.

> > Lordy, you'd howl to a half-dozen different deities for
> > my ass on a skewer if I slammed you.........

> Now that is babble Bill. When and what deities have I howled to about
> you. Are you reaching or what? Talk about victims! I have gone to bat
> for you on different issues and disagreed on a few, but I don't recall
> going to the deities about you. That seems pretty cheap Bill.

Ha ha ha ha ha ha! Well, let me drag you (kicking and
screaming, if need be) back to 1990 or 91 to the old
FidoNet SHORTWAVE echo where you shot through the roof
when I alluded to your "nescience". Without a doubt,
it sent you to the dictionary to discover that I had
called you "ignorant". I'm sure that toasted you much
more than if I had just called you "dumb". But the
point is.....you went ballistic.

I have no doubt you'd take exception even now if I
took my choices of words down to your level. Yet,
we have to play by the same rules.....either a higher
level set or a lower one. Which one makes little
difference to me....so long as we take pains to say
what we mean and mean what we say....and play to the
same sheet of music, whatever it may be.

> > I've been
> > real careful to pick my adjectives, adverbs, and nouns.
> > You're either not very careful, or.....very careful, too.
> >
> > Which is it?

> Which ever you choose Bill. I think I have been as clear as I can.
> Enough from me. Sorry if I offended you I only meant to disagree.

You keep on and on with that "offense" shit. The only offense
is the one you're taking in some weird attempt to get me
on the defense. You're not saying much in terms of getting
to any point other than to shoot me out of the saddle
for "virtual reality" and for how I see good ol' Ollie's
offer to unzip.

You don't plead your case nearly so much as you try
to shoot down mine. I don't think THAT is nearly as
effective as building your own case, if it is worth
building. THAT is the proper way to argue and to
build a winner - NOT by shooting down the other guy.

THAT is exactly where Mackey, Boe, and Hankie-poo got
it all wrong. That's all they can do is piss and shoot.
They can't do beans on their own merits. Geez, they
have NO merits. Neither did our man Ollie, for that
matter. He's never participated here in order to gain
or build any merit.

It's the same as if you move from your comfy digs in
Oregon back to Possum Holler, Missouri....and go to a
town council meeting your first week there and try to

tell 'em what's all wrong with their ways of doing things.

Yeah....you're a human being with civil, social, and
legal rights and entitlements, but you sure as tootin
ain't righted and entitled to jump into the middle of
a community in which you've not paid any dues and not
established yourself.

That's Ollie. Who the hell's "Ollie"? Where'd he come
from? What's he want other than to invite us to check
out his wretched zipper? And is the zipper on the front
or the rear of his britches?

See? I'm trying to *build* my case in lieu of shooting
down yours. I really *try* to deal with people in that
manner......and that's how I want to be dealt with in
return. And THAT is the ONLY way I can ever be convinced
of something.......is to show me a better way....not the
fallacies of mine. Everything has fallacies. So what?
It's not the weaknesses of anything that loses; rather it's
the strengths that WIN!

At least, that's the court on which I prefer to play....
and it has one thing going for it, if nothing else; there's
less chance and opportunity to get down to personal attacks.
If your case has merit, then build it. Even if you
wreck mine, that doesn't make yours a winner.

I built mine on the premise that no one needs to be
a victim; that we're all omnipotent; and can't be hurt
unless we *want* to be hurt; that we each possess
impenetrable force fields; and multi-megaton nukes.

Now you build your case and convince me. Else go
whack Prozac Petey and his Thorny Vine Music company.
That's always good for laughs and never needs any
justification.

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1679. Re: ATTN: Bill Cheek--Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350c334e.89734860@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167149

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:

> > > Any suggestions for obtaining IC data sheets from Uniden?

> > Not data sheets for IC's no. But get whatever
> > service manual you can....it shows the IC's,
> > and from there, you can get the datasheets
> > from the manufacturer of the chips.

> > That would be about the only way, really,
> > though there are a number of variations on
> > the theme. You get the idea, though.

> What about the manufacturer of the CPU?
> Doesn't Uniden make the CPU? I can't find a
> manufacuturer listed in the Pro-26 Service Manual.

Actually, scanner CPU's are generic devices made
under a variety of labels, Mitsubishi, Toshiba,
NEC, etc. There are definite part numbers for
these CPU's, but the scanner manufacturers contract
for thousands of them with their own numbers
imprinted on the chips.

Another characteristic of these chips is that
as they come from the factory, they're worthless.
That is, they have no code or firmware embedded
into them. When the scanner manufacturer makes
the contract, they either "burn" the CPU's themselves
or contract the chip makers to do it.

The crux of this is that there is little advantage
of having a data sheet for these CPUs, though the
service manuals do provide a pinout and internal
flow diagram in most cases. Lot of good that does
because the core of them all is an EPROM block where
everything that counts goes....and there's no way
under the sun we can ever get a hold of that code.

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1680. Re: Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350d3621.90457795@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167150

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

JC <jc@aol.com> wrote:

> > Well, think about it anyway. This newsgroup
> > is chock full of forgeries .... and forgers.
>
> OK Bill, I didnt think of that :-)

Thanks.

1681. Re: Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350e365e.90518844@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167151

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

thehamguy@aol.com (TheHamGuy) wrote:

> We don't care. Take this nonsense to e-mail.

How's come you didn't?

1682. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350f3681.90553774@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167152

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

thehamguy@aol.com (TheHamGuy) wrote:

> We don't care. Take this nonsense to e-mail.

How's come you don't?

1683. Re: Cheek, Mackey, Drew, Eric ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351136e9.90657344@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167153

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

thehamguy@aol.com (TheHamGuy) wrote:

> We don't care. Take this nonsense to e-mail.

How's come you don't take it to e-mail?

1684. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3510369c.90580559@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167154

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

"G.R. Triever" <grtriever@usa.net> wrote:

> > All of the posts cancelled from this server appear to belong to
> > John Mackey, etc.

> So what's the problem?

It's Mackey canceling his own posts to make
it look like he's not the Phantom Canceler.

1685. Re: Newbie Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35123717.90703660@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167155

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Temple@Doom.com (Indiana Jones) wrote:

> Other than Radio Shacks book of frequencies, where can I find frequencies
> for Portland, Oregon? I just got a scanner and love the hobby but can
> only get a few freqs. (800 Mhz capable). Thanks for any advice offered!

You can get freqs until they run out of
your ears from the following site:

http://www.wvsc.wvnet.edu/~fcc/

And.....FREE, too.

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1686. Re: Childeren, why don't you just GROW UP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3513378b.90819724@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167156

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

inigo@montoya.net (D. P. Roberts) wrote:

> Since when did a flame war change ANYONE'S mind?
>
> Just grow up already, all of you.

Are YOU prepared to demonstrate HOW it's done?

I didn't think so.

1687. Re: MDT prelims.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <350A374D.5E95EE19@eden.com>
Source record: 167157

Neal Fildes wrote:

> Jack wrote in message <350A1A45.1DF6@bellsouth.net>...
> >Victor Axiotis wrote:
> >>
> >> >I have found police mdt transmissions in the 470mhz and 850mhz range
> >> I have heard that MDT1234 does not work with the MDT's that operate in
> the
> >> 400 mhz range.
> >> Are you saying otherwise.
> >I think you are confusing trunker.exe with mdtw1234. I'm quite sure it
> >works
> >with mdts on 400mhz, my favorite pd is there!
>
> well, mdt1234 works on 400 mhz, as does the mdt.exe that goes WITH trunker
> (in the beta site),
> and for motorola, Trunker can do tracking in 400 mhz systems. try THAT with
> your Uniden TrunkTracker...
> in fact, a trunker for EDACS is due out SHORTLY - already in test by
> trunking enthusiasts in 10 cities!
>
> nrf

Thats all good and great, is there or will there be any program to do other forms of MDT transmisson? Like 19200 baud etc... If there is point me in the right direction.

1688. FOR SALE: Books: computers, electronics, scanners & shortwave, amateur radio, DX, SWL, WRTVH , telephone, Photofacts, BYTE, technical, automotive, aviation, electronics, hobby, arts & crafts - thousands not listed - rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Erickson <erickson@csnsys.com>
Message-ID: <350A5E32.2759@csnsys.com>
Source record: 167158

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Vintage Radio, 1887-1929, Morgan E. McMahon, 2nd ed., 1973, 250 pgs, HARD COVER edition $8.
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Easi-Guide to Mobile Home Maintenance, Sams 21136, 1975, 144pgs, list $4.50. 50 cents.
Easi-Guide to Snowmobiling, Sams 21221, 1975, 144 pgs, list $3.50. 50 cents.
Listen to Radio Energy, Light and Sound, Sams 21525, 1978, 155 pgs, list $6.95. $3.
The Propagation Wizard's Handbook, J. H. Nelson, 73 Publications, 1978, 136 pgs, list $6.95, $4.
OSCAR, Stratis Caramanolis, translated from German by Colin Newberry, 190 pgs, $2.
Broadcast News, Donald W. Miles, Sams 21183, 1975, 385 pgs, $2.
Covert Intelligence: Electronic Eavesdropping Manual, Raymond N. Jones, CRB Research, 40 pgs, unknown copyright date, typical of junk material from CRB. $1.
Electronic Circuitbook 1, Project Constructions, Forrest Mims III, Sams 21241, 1976, 95 pgs, list $4.95. $1.
Second Class Radiotelephone License Handbook, Edward M. Noll, Sams 21722, 6th ed., 2nd ptg, 1981. (FOR HISTORICAL REF ONLY) $2.
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Photofacts, Howard W. Sams, #1 through 1400 with some exceptions, USED, good condition, any number (e.g., #23, #1004, #1350), $4. Any folder (a particular radio, TV, etc.), $2.

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Telephone Accessories You Can Build, Gilder, Hayden 5748-2,
9th ptg, 1981, list $7.25. $3.
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2nd ptg, 1981, 128 pgs, list $5.95. $2.
North American Radio & TV Station Guide, Vane A. Jones, 14th ed.,
Sams 21725, 1st ptg, 1981, list $7.95. $5.
Same title as above, 15th ed., 225 pgs, 1984, list $9.95. $8.
Repeater Edition, 1981-1982 Edition, ARRL, 110 pgs, list $1.
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Novice Class Amateur Radio License Manual, Anderson, Sams 21529,
1st ed., 2nd ptg, 1979, list $3.95. $1.
World Radio TV Handbook, Billboard Publications, 1981, 1982, 1983,
1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 480-600 pages,
list $14.95 - $19.95. $4 each. Additional copies, $3 each.
The IRCA Almanac, 2nd ed., 1980, list $9.95, $1.
Linear IC Principles, Experiments and Projects, Noll, Sams 21568,
2nd printing, 1980, list $9.95. $3.
Perfect Guide to Perfect Writer, Meilach, Sams 22186,
1st printing, 1984, list $16.95. 50 cents.
Programs for Beginners on the TRS-80, Blechman, Hayden 5182-4,
2nd ptg, 1981, list $8.95. $1.
TI BASIC, Introduction to; Inman, Zamora, Albrect; Hayden 5185-9,
2nd ptg, 1981, list $11.95. $1.
Computer Design Development - Principal Papers, edited Swartzlander,
Hayden 5988-4, 2nd ptg, 1978, HARD COVER. Only $14.
Practical Design for Electromagnetic Compatibility, Ficchi,
Hayden 5685-0, 1st ptg, 1971, HARD COVER, list $14.95. $5.
Dr. Dobb's Journal of Computer Calisthenics & Orthodontia, Volume 5,
Hayden 5492-0, list $22.95, $8.
Radio Angels, Stack WA6IPF, Ham Radio, 1st ptg, 1978, Only $3.
Analog Instrumentation Fundamentals, Leonard, Sams 21835,
1st ptg, 1981, list $19.95. $5.
FM Atlas and Station Directory. 7th ed, Dr. Bruce Elving,
list $6.95, $1. Same title, 8th ed., 1983, 128 pgs,
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Miniprocessors: From Calculators to Computers, Heiserman, 195 pages,
2nd ptg, July 1978, TAB 971, list $5.95, $2.
Optoelectronics Guidebook---with tested projects, Fox, 190 pages,
HARD COVER, lst ptg, Jan. 1977, TAB 836, list $8.95. $2.
Introduction to Medical Electronics---for Electronics & Medical
Personnel, 2nd ed., Klein, HARD COVER, lst ptg, Jan. 1976, 310
pages, TAB 830, list $9.95, $2.
Aircraft Dope & Fabric, 2nd ed., Spencer, 160 pages, TAB 2313,
defective back cover, 1st ptg, 1981. List $6.95. $2.
VOM-VTVM Handbook, Risse, TAB 1390, 176 pages, 1st ptg, 1982.
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Basic TV Course, Kravitz, 222 pages, TAB 105, 9th ptg, April, 1980.
List $7.95. $2.
The Fascinating World of Radio Communications, Wayne Green,

HARD COVER, 176 pages, TAB 586, 1st printing, Oct. 1971, list $6.95.
$3.
Shortwave Frequency Directory, 1.6-30 mHz, Robert Grove, 1st ed.,
1982, 220 pages, spiral bound, $1.
The Handbook of Radio Publicity and Promotion, Macdonald, TAB 213A,
3-ring binder, 370 pages, 4th ptg, May, 1981, list $34.95,
$12 OBO.
S. Gernsback's Radio Encyclopedia 1927, McMahon, HARD COVER,
#1660 of 2000. Reprint 1974, 84% scale, Vintage Radio. 175 pages.
$14 OBO.
Hear All the Action, Waterford, Sams 21535, 128 pages, 1st printing,
1978, list $6.50. $2.
Guidebook to Small Computers, Barden, Sams 21698, 126 pages, 2nd ptg,
1981, list $4.95. $2.
A DXer's Technical Guide, IRCA, 2nd ptg, 1981, 98 pages, list $10.
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The Radio Amateur Handbook, Orr & Cowan, 1st ed., 3rd ptg, 1980,
188 pages, $3.
VHF Handbook for Radio Amateurs, Brier & Orr, 1974, 336 pages,
list $5.95. $4.
Seven Steps to Designing Your Own Ham Equipment, L. B. Cebik, Sams
21631, 1st ed., 1st ptg, 1979, list $10.95. $2.
Electronics Quizbook, Graf & Whalen, Sams 21204, 1975, 64 pgs,
list $4.50. $1.
Computer Language Reference Guide, Harry L. Helms, Jr., Sams 21786,
108 pgs, 1st ed., 2nd ptg, 1981, list $6.95. $1.
National Radio Club Receiver Reference Manual, 2nd ed., May 1978, $1.
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1689. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: lar01@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <350a6ef4.1508731@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 167159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 14:27:30 -0600, ptcarter@ingr.com wrote:

>Hello-
> I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240
>MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only that
>frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on that
>repeater). I'm looking for something light (i can put in my pocket or on my
>belt, with a earphone)and as simple as possible. Has anyone put one together
>that can tell me the difficulties and the cost. I've been reading the news
>archives and stumbled on the MC3363 from motorola which seems like the best
>solution. If you have experience with this IC or if you know of a simpler
>path to achieve my goal, please let me know.
> I read the app notes (AP980) from motorola. Here are my concerns. First
>off, it said not to breadboard this circuit, but to use copper traces because
>occllations will occur. My only tools are a soldering iron, a simpson meter,
>and some Radio Shack PC board. Will this be a problem? I have pretty
>limited electronic skills and test equipment. Also, the notes say I can flip
>dip switches and get 256 2-meter frequencies. This is cool, but I only need
>one. Can I use a crystal instead? Has anyone a shematic that will make this
>reciever work? Any push in the right direction will be appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Paul Carter KF4JIR
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

hello Paul
I realise this is not, necessarily, the answer you are looking for,
however, have you considered getting one of those, fairly,
inexpensive, scanners, like those from radio shack, and use it. I
realise this would be more expensive but you would have the
flexibility of what you want plus the ablility to change frequency as
your receiving interests change, eg, a qso on that repeater might
decide to qsy and you would then have the opion, range permiting, to
follow them.
Just a thought.
Larry ve3fxq

1690. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314121301.HAA14598@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167160

>Subject: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!
>From: TheHamGuy <thehamguy@aol.com>
>Date: Fri, Mar 13, 1998 19:56 EST
>Message-id: <3509D5BF.7AFB@aol.com>
>
>TAKE YOUR FUCKING FUEDS TO E-MAIL YOU ASS HOLES!!!

Ah, what a fine and cultured fellow you are. Your mother must be proud.

1691. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6eds7krka1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 167161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

>If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
>same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
>(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"),

My neighbor doesn't transmit pictures of themselves into my home.

voyeurism?

then hopefully you'll realize your
>voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
>rooted problem.
>
>Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
>that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
>

I'm going to laugh when they come into your house and take all of your ham
gear claiming you can't listen to anyone.

Tyler

1692. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: not@home.now
Message-ID: <350a7825.406916844@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167162

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 11:53:31 GMT, lar01@sprynet.com (larry) wrote:

>On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 14:27:30 -0600, ptcarter@ingr.com wrote:
>
>>Hello-
>> I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240
>>MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only that
>>frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on that

look here, http://www.ramseyelectronics.com/

Good signals... LCM

1693. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314130901.IAA18655@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167163

>>Subject: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!
>>From: TheHamGuy <thehamguy@aol.com>
>>Date: Fri, Mar 13, 1998 19:56 EST
>>Message-id: <3509D5BF.7AFB@aol.com>
>>
>>TAKE YOUR FUCKING FUEDS TO E-MAIL YOU ASS HOLES!!!
>
>Ah, what a fine and cultured fellow you are. Your mother must be proud.

Please note the forged header. The real HamGuy asks politely for the combatants to take their argument to private e-mail (although I am rapidly losing faith in this sort of mild-mannered approach.)

1694. MDT1234 and PCR-1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene <Post@here.com>
Message-ID: <6ee11saul1@Nntp1.mcs.net>
Source record: 167164
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does this program work with a PCR-1000 and is their any additional equipment I need to run this program or do I just run it since the radio is already running through COM 2.

Respond here or at gene@mcs.net

1695. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314142700.JAA26570@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167165

everyone in the world sucks, so what's your point??

1696. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com
Message-ID: <6ee43s$a8e$1@usenet49.supernews.com>
Source record: 167166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

erotthof@texas.net (Eleanor Rotthoff) wrote:

>gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com (gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com) wrote:
>>erotthof@texas.net (Eleanor Rotthoff) wrote:
>>>gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com (gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com) wrote:
>>>>yasmin2@ix.netcom.com (Mary E Knadler) wrote:

>>>>>I read the other day that John Boehner is filing a "civil suit"
>>>>>against McDermott. I guess he's pretty much given up on this
>>>>>justice dept doing anything about Dems breaking the law. They
>>>>>only want to indict Repbs.

>>><snip of mindless ad hominem>

>>>>>Very biased that way.

>>>>Nope rather simple the rules for evidence are more relaxed and not as
>>>>demanding as they would be in a criminal court.

>>>According to the AP report on the story, the Justice Dept
>>>investigation stalled when McDermott sought to quash DOJ subpoenas
>>>directed to several members of his staff and to committee counsel
>>>James Cole on the basis that the Speech & Debate Clause of the
>>>constitution protects McDermott from any liability for his actions in
>>>connection with the infamous taping.

>>>Why in the world DOJ allowed McDermott to get away with such an
>>>assertion is beyond me. Perhaps they concluded that they simply
>>>didn't want to pursue the matter. McDermott's position is, however,
>>>totally untenable.

>>the republicon lawyer has just confirmed there isn't enough evidence
>>to persue a criminal trial.

>Precisely what part of plain English is it that you don't understand?

Oh I understand English perfectly well. I also have learnt to speak
republicon doublespeak. The latter is very tricky as the exact meaning
has a 4th dimension and the meaning changes with time.

>What I said was that the ostensible reason the DOJ investigation
>"stalled" makes no sense in light of pertinent USSC rulings.

>>>The USSC has squarely held that the Speech & Debate Clause protects
>>>congresscritters from liability only for statements made in Congress
>>>or otherwise in the course of their official duties. It doesn't even
>>>apply to statements made in a news conference, press release, or

>>>newsletter. (Hutchinson v. Proxmire) How it could possibly be
>>>applied to a congressman's action in concealing evidence from the
>>>congressional committee on which he served in order to turn it over to
>>>the media is totally beyond me! I betcha it will also be beyond the
>>>court which hears Boehner v. McDermott.

>Eleanor Rotthoff

Let The White Rose enlighten you.

http://prairie.lakes.com/~gdy52150/whiterose.htm
gdy weasel

Parkie expounding on his deep knowledge of English:
>I don't expect anyone that writes "learned" as "learnt" to
>understand what a quality education is all about,

hint parkie learnt is the pass tense of learn

Now heres johnieee expounding on logic:

>Gosh, Jim, I didn't claim to be logical...

thats probably the only truthful statement parkie has ever posted.

>Michael Ejercito teaches civics:
>>The GOP didn't control all three branches of government
>>in 1953. Learn your history, Mikey.
>Yes,they did. The House,the Senate,and the White House.

now what happen to the judicial?

>Mary E. Kandler on southern values:
>The Democratic party has strayed too far from Soutern
>values & the Republican Party along with Jefferson Davis
>&Abraham Lincoln express those best.

that high pitch hum you hear is old Abe spinning in his grave.

1697. Re: MDT prelims./ Where doeas one locate the plans for these?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman@localnet.com
Message-ID: <6ee5bljfo1@usenet47.supernews.com>
Source record: 167167

Hi,
Can anyone point me (and I suspect lots of others) in the right
direction for the pland spoken of herein?
Thganks a lot....
Regards,
Ray Miller N2NJK

Valued Customer <Natas@erols.com> wrote:

>Hi,

> At this point in life,I want to try to get my local police MDT
>transmissions.The voice channel is 45.400.Correct me if I'm wrong:I need
>a scanner that can be tapped for its descriminater output.I have a
>pro-37,pro-2002,pro-60,ar-950 and a older pro-2021(I think,its at my
>mom's house...).Will any of these work?I want to use the least valuable
>of these choices,because I,m not sure if the project will work.I intend
>on using plans from MDTW1234.Does this circut work?Has anyone
>sucsessfully built,used and enjoyed it?To me it looks like this:tap
>descrim. output to serial input of DOS computer using "magic box" I
>build from common items.What freqs. are data on?Do I need a 800 mhz
>scanner for this?The computer part is not a problem.I am looking for
>confirmation of these techniques,to justify my time and money.Am I
>chasing a internet pipe-dream(although no money has been asked
>for)?Please excuse me because I found something new to do in scanning
>since the glory of clipping diodes.Any thoughts out there?TIA.

> ......Natas@erols,com or Jerry S.

1698. FS: PRO 2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommis <tommis@matrix.uti.com>
Message-ID: <350A9A2A.27B05EA@matrix.uti.com>
Source record: 167168

The scanner is in great shape. Comes with manual and antenna. Full 800 Mhz. $175 E mail me if you need more info.Thanks Tommis

1699. Help with Wintone 2.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Craig <jmcraig1@nospam.fastlane.net>
Message-ID: <6ee75u$lt1@news.cybernews.net>
Source record: 167169

I hope this question is ok for this forum. I just got the trial version of Wintone 2.0, and when I try to run it, I get: "MMSYSERR [4]: Device already allocated". Any help would be appreciated.

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To help prevent spam, my address is foobared. To reply, remove "nospam" from the domain name.

1700. My PCRS1000 & PCRScope page has moved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter <ibelings@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6ee8ja$s3h@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 167170

The PCRSCOPE page has moved to:

http://www.ibelings.com/pcr1000.html

1701. Re: Motorola Help (Jedi series stuff)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Christensen <radiopro@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6eeadssbv1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 167171
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I got this from the Plantation folks.. Mr. Lucas is still having a problem
with JEDI name use by Motorollover... so it's unofficial.
Except.. if you have a VERY late MTS2000.. I got a flashcode read of
"JEDI 6.01"!

--
Keith Christensen .... radiopro@BAMBIgte.net [309093]
(Kill ..(delete..<g>) BAMBI for email.... the spammers are wise to NOSPAM!)

A: Hi Tech is a Pain in the)(!
B: I deal with Fast Electrons,
call a lineman for problems with the slow ones!

Byron Smith wrote in message <350a0ed4.9109902@news.theworks.com>...
|Yea, its UHF
|H34SVU7160BN
|
|the H is for Handitalkie, the 3 is the power level , the 4 is
|UHF,(VHF=3), the SVU says the equipment type (like HT600 or MT1000) if
|gray, its HT600, if kinda dark charcoal its MT1000
|the other numbers in this case are specific to that radio. Used to be
|once upon a time these numbers were about the same from radio to
|radio. Not any more. The B means its a revision B radio. ALL the
|radios end in N.
|
|I cant remember now, if SVU is Ht600 or MT1000. the color will confirm
|this. I do know its a Gensis radio. HT1000, Mt2000 etc are now called
|Jedi radio.s
|
|Hope this helps. We fix alot of those radios at our self mantained
|radio shop. Let me know if I can help.
|
|
|On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 20:17:48 -0500, "Iluv2way" <bednark@garden.net>
|wrote:
|
|>Could someone give me a breakdown of the following Motorola HT serial
|>number:
|>H34SVU7160BN
|>TIA all.
|>
|>KB
|>
|>

|>
|
|remove the REMOVE.THIS from email addr...
|WA6YLB Byron Smith
|http://www.theworks.com/~wa6ylb

1702. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: PEZkknopp@citynet.net
Message-ID: <PEZkknopp-ya02408000R1403981116540001@news.netaxs.com>
Source record: 167172
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In article <350A24DE.B5A0BC98@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:

> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >
> > In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> > >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
> > >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
> > >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
> > >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.
> >
> > If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
> > same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
> > (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> > voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> > rooted problem.
> >
> > Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
> > that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
> >
> Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
> you nuts? Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as

No...using your RADIO to listen to communications that are meant to be
heard by third parties isn't a equal comparison to looking into other
people's windows. Using a illegal modified scanner in order to eavesdrop
on conversations you aren't supposed to be hearing...IS though.

> long as we did not repeat it. It is time to go back to that. This

You can listen to whatever is on your radio. Things change though when you
make attempts to illegally intercept things that wasn't meant for your
ears. It's called an "invasion of privacy".

> doesn't get the Democratic scum of the hook, however, since they
> recorded and leaked a cell phone call to the media. This was illegal all
> along.

Yeah...maybe we can hook a wire to your phone lines....as "long as I don't
repeat it"?

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Please remove PEZ from the address to reply via E-Mail. This is a
"Spam-Buster".

1703. Re: Help with Wintone 2.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ramjet <Ramjet@noway.com>
Message-ID: <6eechf$rh9@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167173

You must have a Compaq Computer... you need to change some stuff, E-mail
and I'll see if I can help.

Jay Craig <jmcraig1@nospam.fastlane.net> wrote in article
<6ee75u$lt1@news.cybernews.net>...
> I hope this question is ok for this forum. I just got the trial version
of
> Wintone 2.0, and when I try to run it, I get: "MMSYSERR [4]: Device
already
> allocated". Any help would be appreciated.
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> --
>
>
> *****
> To help prevent spam, my address is foobared. To reply, remove "nospam"
> from the domain name.
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>

1704. mdt1234 lockup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: UJZP73B@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <6eeck3$2lj0$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 167174

mdtstuff works ok using com1 as well as trunker and mobitex.
as soon as I execute mdt1234 it locks up, frozen keyboard, the works.
has anyone else had this problem and fixed it?

Let me know.
Thanks
T.D.
tdutra@prodigy.com

1705. Re: Radio Shack PRO-2004 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Maynard <mmaynard@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6eed2i$5k3$1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 167175

Hurry!
Only 3 hours left in this auction.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7725394

-----Original Message-----
From: Mike Maynard <mmaynard@sprynet.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Date: Saturday, March 07, 1998 1:33 PM
Subject: FS: Radio Shack PRO-2004 Scanner

>I am selling my PRO-2004 scanner to the highest bidder on eBay.
>
>http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7725394
>
>This scanner is in excellent condition and has the D513 mod.
>Thanks,
>-Mike-
>mmaynard@sprynet.com
>
>

1706. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314171201.MAA21314@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167176

In article <PEZkknopp-ya02408000R1403981116540001@news.netaxs.com>,
PEZkknopp@citynet.net (Knopp) writes:

>No...using your RADIO to listen to communications that are meant to be
>heard by third parties isn't a equal comparison to looking into other
>people's windows. Using a illegal modified scanner in order to eavesdrop
>on conversations you aren't supposed to be hearing...IS though.

Oops. So sorry. Guess I'll use my 1972 vintage Wards Airline portable
television, tuned to channel 83, instead.

1707. Help FRG-9600 Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Gould <rmedic@frii.com>
Message-ID: <6eegdmito1@europa.frii.com>
Source record: 167177

Greetings

I'm looking to purchase a computer interface for the YAESU FRG-9600. I've seen a few plans, but I'd prefer to purchase one ready made. Anyone have any ideas?

Thanks for your help!

Brian

1708. Re: Help with Wintone 2.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Craig <jmcraig1@nospam.fastlane.net>
Message-ID: <6eeggf$426@news.cybernews.net>
Source record: 167178

No, its an HP Pavilion (and its been nothing but trouble!).

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from the domain name.

Ramjet wrote in message <6eechf$rh9@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>You must have a Compaq Computer... you need to change some stuff, E-mail
>and I'll see if I can help.

1709. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lindsay Hillier <linhil@cancom.net>
Message-ID: <350AC5B8.23561CC0@cancom.net>
Source record: 167179
Cross-posted to: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

SCREW YOU 'YA JERK!!!! WHY'D YOU POST SOMETHIN' IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM WITH IT?????????? JERKS LIKE YOU MAKE THE WORD A MISERABLE PLACE TO LIVE.

TheHamGuy wrote:

> TAKE YOUR FUCKING FUEDS TO E-MAIL YOU ASS HOLES!!!

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MZï¿½

1710. Re: GE Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: J-MarCom <marcinko@aa.net>
Message-ID: <350ACD3E.2125@aa.net>
Source record: 167180
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Iluv2way wrote:
>
> Does anyone have the service manual for a Custom MVP they could mail me a
> copy of? I need this to align a unit converted to a repeater. TIA all.
>
> KB

What Frequency?

Jon

1711. John Mackey SUXXXXX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314182401.NAA02585@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167181

This guy is a JERK!!! I have met him personally, and he is LOUD, ARROGANT, OBNOXIOUS, and can not get LAID for the life of him.

Ignore ANYTHING HE SAYS, I DO!!!!!

1712. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP S*&5%

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: orlscan@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314182800.NAA03216@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167182

Well i thought these people were intelligent
guess i was wrong

1713. FS:PRO-34 w/cellular

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron M <monfeli@mail.telis.org>
Message-ID: <350ACFE9.C7BDF3C7@mail.telis.org>
Source record: 167183
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale on eBay auction, current price is only $80 and will be closed
on Monday, get to it and bid on it at:
eBay item 8001540 (Ends 03/17/98 14:43:42 PST) - Pro-34 200ch
handheld scanner with 800 cell
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1714. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6eekp8$t54$3@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 167184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh

>
>If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
>same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
>(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
>voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
>rooted problem.

Personality quirks aside, you guys are missing the issue. It is just as
legal in the US to sit in your own home, looking out your window (with or
without binoculars) and watching your neighbor as it is to listen to your
scanner.

Ed

REPLY INFO:
==
Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==

1715. Upgrade RS Discone (VHF whip) for $6.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimmiew@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <350ad7ac.9724871@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 167185

I have an older RS discone that I just recently installed. I wanted to improve the low band reception and tried a CB whip on top. It was a pain to connect it and it really didn't help much. On a whim I went into Radio shack, looked an the vertical element on the newer style discone and asked the sales guy if I could order the replacement parts. He had to make a call to figure out the part numbers. Once he got the numbers, he plugged it into the computer and yes, you can order them.

They are ordered through Radio Shack Unlimited. This is where they take your money at the store, then the parts are shipped directly to you. The following is what you need to get.

Coil Assembly RSU# 11986775 $1.99
Whip W/Tip RSU# 11986783 $2.69

For additional details and a link to a Tandy page for the discone, visit my scanning page:

http://home.sprynet.com/sprynet/jimmiew/scan.htm

Disclaimer: yadda yadda - don't work for RS - yadda yadda - nothing in it for me.

1716. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6eem8ovkh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167186
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh

In article <6e7hif$3vd@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>> If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
> same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
> (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> rooted problem.
>
> Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
> that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
>
> Jeff KH2PZ

Looking in your negihbor's window means you are trespassing on to their property and attempting to watch something in their own home. As we're all aware, radio waves, however, go through everyone's property, If a radio tansmission passes through my house and thourgh my body, I'm not "invading" anything by listening to it. The privacy of cell-phone users does not extend into my domain.

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1717. Re: ATTN: Bill Cheek--Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6eeo2v$3ec$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 167187

> Another characteristic of these chips is that
> as they come from the factory, they're worthless.
> That is, they have no code or firmware embedded
> into them. When the scanner manufacturer makes
> the contract, they either "burn" the CPU's themselves
> or contract the chip makers to do it.
>
> The crux of this is that there is little advantage
> of having a data sheet for these CPUs, though the
> service manuals do provide a pinout and internal
> flow diagram in most cases. Lot of good that does
> because the core of them all is an EPROM block where
> everything that counts goes....and there's no way
> under the sun we can ever get a hold of that code.

Could the manufacturers program the EEPROM for the
cellular bands, but lock out the bands by somehow leaving
a pin of the CPU unconnected? I noticed the Pro-26 has
several pins that don't connect to anything.

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1718. Re: MDT prelims.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: cfortner@netrover.com
Message-ID: <350e1016.9656767@news.netrover.com>
Source record: 167188

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 01:52:45 -0600, Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
wrote:

>
>
>Neal Fildes wrote:
>
>> Jack wrote in message <350A1A45.1DF6@bellsouth.net>...
>> >Victor Axiotis wrote:
>> >>
>> >> >I have found police mdt transmissions in the 470mhz and 850mhz range
>> >> I have heard that MDT1234 does not work with the MDT's that operate in
>> the
>> >> 400 mhz range.
>> >> Are you saying otherwise.
>> >I think you are confusing trunker.exe with mdtw1234. I'm quite sure it
>> >works
>> >with mdts on 400mhz, my favorite pd is there!
>>
>> well, mdt1234 works on 400 mhz, as does the mdt.exe that goes WITH trunker
>> (in the beta site),
>> and for motorola, Trunker can do tracking in 400 mhz systems. try THAT with
>> your Uniden TrunkTracker...
>> in fact, a trunker for EDACS is due out SHORTLY - already in test by
>> trunking enthusiasts in 10 cities!
>>
>> nrf
>
> Thats all good and great, is there or will there be any program to do other
>forms of MDT transmisson? Like 19200 baud etc... If there is point me in the
>right direction.
>
Sorry to jump in here guys....but where can I find these plans and
software??? Thanks!!

1719. Interference from computer hard drive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jnooney@albany.net
Message-ID: <350AF862.FF51CBDA@albany.net>
Source record: 167189
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I recently installed a new hard drive in my computer. It works great but the problem is that since it's installation it locks up my scanner on any frequency in the 46MHz range. It also interferes with my fire monitor and pager (46.50). The interference is so bad that the monitor won't even trip when our FD's tones transmitted if the computer is on. This happens anywhere in the house so moving the computer or my radios is useless. I have tried using a choke on the power lines to my radios but that didn't work. Any suggestions?

Joe

1720. Re: Newbie Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <350af946.2181785@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167190

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 01:09:09 -0800, Temple@Doom.com (Indiana Jones)
wrote:

>Other than Radio Shacks book of frequencies, where can I find frequencies
>for Portland, Oregon? I just got a scanner and love the hobby but can
>only get a few freqs. (800 Mhz capable). Thanks for any advice offered!

Maybe John Mackey can help you out. He lives in the Portland area
and is a scanner enthusiast.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

1721. Re:FS RS PRO-2042 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4leu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314215100.QAA03994@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167191

Radio has been sold.

Thanks KE4LEU

1722. FS: AOR AR3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4leu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314215801.QAA05817@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167192

AOR AR3000 base/mobile receiver .5 mhz-2036 mhz with no gaps. Manual and power cord included. $795 shipped.

Thanks KE4LEU

1723. FS:Optoelectronics Scout 40 For Sale$$$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: fgp <bmw540@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4ee0$0785ec20$8e6484a9@bmw540.idt.net>
Source record: 167222
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.amateur

Optoelectronics for sale:
Scout 40 Range(10MHz-2.8MHz) with c1-v ouput, with re-charger, original box, with Antenna
In excellent condition Price=$350+shipping C.O.D for now.

If interested email header

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: fgp <bmw540@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4ee0$0bd08e20$8e6484a9@bmw540.idt.net>
Source record: 167223
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1725. Re: Any Ideas?...tv signals...Please reply...thanks :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrshattuck@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314011001.UAA02511@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167224

>Subject: Any Ideas?...tv signals...Please reply...thanks :)
>From: "FX1" <fx1@ix.netcom.com>
>Date: Fri, Mar 13, 1998 05:25 EST
>Message-id: <6eb1c6$i0t@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>

>I was wondering, I have a sony portable tv that has a ant input jack and
>wanted to know if I could send a signal cord from my scanner headphone jack
>to the portable tv jack to view vhf/uhf signals that transmit thru my
>scanner. I know it may sound wierd but can it be done? Some other things
>to note, I can switch my portable tv to get only source from the ant (aux)
>and I have ran a normal cable ant from my house to the portable and I got
>cable reception easy.
>Any ideas..please reply via post or via e-mail,
>Thanks,
>FX1
>
>

In a word, no. The headphone jack outputs an audio signal only.
The antenna input jack is looking for a modulated radio frequency signal to
feed to the tuner in the TV. Sorry.

1726. Re: WARNING!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrshattuck@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314012001.UAA04698@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167225

>>>> BANS THE
>>>> OWNERSHIP OF ANY DEVICE CAPABLE OF >>>>LISTENING TO CELLULAR RADIO
>>>> TELEPHONES!

Wouldn't this also include cell phones themselves??????

1727. Re: Childeren, why don't you just GROW UP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3509e056.1811359@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167226

It's spelled CHILDREN

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 13:24:40 GMT, inigo@montoya.net (D. P. Roberts)
wrote:

>
>
>Since when did a flame war change ANYONE'S mind?
>
>Just grow up already, all of you.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

1728. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314022100.VAA15137@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167227

>P.S. Say Jeffy is it true that you are so uptight that you squeak when
>you walk.

This is irrelevant to our discussion of radio. Doesn't belong here. PLEASE
take this personal feud to private e-mail.

1729. FS: Test equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: pwserctr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314023101.VAA16911@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167228

Now available NEW top quality test equipment. Oscilloscopes, Multimeters, Frequencey Counters, RF Signal Generators, Code Synthesizers, Radiation Test fixtures, RF Isolation Chambers, SINAD meters, power supplies, soldering stations, and more.

Bundled Packages available, customized to your needs, you save time and money.

All prices are available on our web site as well as a detailed description of all equipment.

http://members.aol.com/pwserctr/home.htm

1730. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: erotthof@texas.net
Message-ID: <350fef35.16687148@news.texas.net>
Source record: 167229
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

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Eleanor Rotthoff

1731. Re: PRO-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <3509ef4a.2264315@news.total.net>
Source record: 167230
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

http://www.radiotelephone.net/pro26.htm
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On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 08:21:37 -0500, Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com> wrote:

>Chris Larkin wrote:
>> I'm looking for opinions on the Radio Shack PRO-26.
>
>Chris,
> Have you seen my review? If interested, go to my
>home page below, follow the link for radio monitoring
>and page down to my table of receivers.
> Good luck and happy reading!
>
>Strong signals,
>Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
>New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
>Scanning USA columnist

Joli Gar&#65533;on (&#65533;galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
&#65533;tudient @ Informatique et Math&#65533;matiques d'Universit&#65533; McGill
Montr&#65533;al, Qu&#65533;bec, Canada
C&#65533;: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit&#65533; McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!

1732. Crystal scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4ef6$1e498d20$06d371d1@dickburk>
Source record: 167231

I have 2 scanners that are crystal jobs.One is a Regency Monitor radio. The other is a bearcat 2.They can be had for $40.00 for the pair, or $25.00 each.Plus $5.00 toward the shipping.
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Thanks
Email:toby@gis.net
Tel:978-281-3359

1733. Scanner in airliners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: LDPE <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <6ect97$rhn@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Here is a question I have not seen posted here before, does anyone know how well scanners would work in airliners? On the ground or near airports it would be really interesting to listen. What thoughts are there on this.

Thanks,

LD

1734. RALEIGH, NC Hamfest - April 5th

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn4aq.xx.gary@mms.net
Message-ID: <350dfc2b.17052467@NEWS1.MMS.NET>
Source record: 167233

********* "RARSfest 98" *********

RALEIGH HAMFEST and COMPUTER FAIR

NORTH CAROLINA SECTION ARRL CONVENTION

SUNDAY, APRIL 5

NORTH CAROLINA STATE FAIRGROUNDS

3500 attended last year! Giant, all-indoor flea market, plus plenty
of dealers, contests, meetings and forums, prizes, VE Exams, and
the famous "Saturday Night Social."

Location: North Carolina State Fairgrounds, Jim Graham Building.

Follow the Interstate 40 to the I-440 Beltline around
Raleigh. Take exit 3 - Hillsboro St., and go west
one mile to the Fairgrounds.

Talk-in directions on the 146.64 and 147.15 Repeaters.

Date/Time: SUNDAY, April 5, 1998, 8 am to 4 pm.
(Building opens at noon Saturday, and 6 am Sunday
for dealer/vendor setup.)

Admission: Pre-register: $5 (before March 28). Gate: $6.

Flea Market: Table/2 chairs: $10 (5 or more tables: $9 each).
120 Volt AC: $15 per connection.
Drive-In unloading/loading permitted. Bring your
own extension cords and carts. Sorry, no tailgating
in the parking lot. (See address below for
registration.)

Parking: FREE on site!

VE Exams: Exams begin at 11 AM. Bring Picture ID, original
AND photocopy of license and any CSCE's. $6.25.
Contact Vince AA4MY at 919-676-4697 for VE only.

Meetings: ARRL/ARES, NTS, Army and Navy MARS, ATV, QRP,
Packet/APRS, DX.

Bill Moore NC1L, ARRL Century Club Supervisor
will present a DX forum, and provide DXCC
QSL checking.

WOUFF HONG: ARRL members are invited to take part in the
official Royal Order of the Wouff Hong induction
rites, immediately after the Social on Saturday
night. Are you a member of the Order? How will
you be tested?

-- CONTESTS --

Mobile Enter your HF mobile station.
Contest:

Homebrew Enter your homebrew projects.
Contest:

QLF Contest: "QLF" Now try sending with your Left Foot. Yes,
it's an official "left foot" sending contest, with
the largest "straight key" you've ever seen!

QBH Contest: "QBH"??? Now try sending with Both Hips. You'll
have to see, and TRY, this one to believe it. The
biggest set of keyer paddles you've ever seen!
Grass skirts optional, but may affect your chances
of winning (we're not saying which way your chances
may be affected... what shape are your knees in?)

CA$H prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners. Not
enough to retire on, but enough to make it worth
your effort. For contest entry information, contact
Rick Merkle KA3PSK at 870-8268, or e-mail him at
ibmrick@aol.com.

General The NC State Fairgrounds hosts a permanent, general-
Flea- merchandise flea-market just outside the hamfest
Market: building. Admission to that flea-market is FREE!

Nearby Blue Ridge Cinema (14 screens, $1.50 tickets) just
Entertainment: down the block. NC Museum of Art just up the
block. Crabtree Valley Mall about 2 miles away.

FOR TICKETS For tickets, tables, etc., make checks payable to
AND TABLES "RARSfest." Include your name, call, address,
and S.A.S.E !! Mail to:

Wilbur Goss WD4RDT
SASE REQUIRED! 4425 Watkins Rd. SASE REQUIRED!
Raleigh, NC 27616

Advance ticket cutoff: March 28.

********** SEE YOU THERE FOR OUR 26TH YEAR *********

1735. Re: Scanner in airliners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314035300.WAA01390@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167234

>does anyone know how
>well scanners would work in airliners?

I used a RadioShack AM/FM/Air Band Analog Reciever aboard the Mexicana Airline, and they didn't seem to mind. Reception on FM was great, I could still hear my local Philadelphia, PA FM stations down to around Washington DC and even a bit further south. Air Band (118-136 MHz) was OK, but not great. AM was nearly impossible, I only could copy a few stations during the entire trip Philly to Cancun, Mexico.

73s
N3ZVM

1736. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com
Message-ID: <6ed0pegme2@usenet76.supernews.com>
Source record: 167235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

erotthof@texas.net (Eleanor Rotthoff) wrote:

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Let The White Rose enlighten you.

http://prairie.lakes.com/~gdy52150/whiterose.htm
gdy weasel

Parkie expounding on his deep knowledge of English:
>I don't expect anyone that writes "learned" as "learnt" to
>understand what a quality education is all about,

hint parkie learnt is the pass tense of learn

Now heres johnieee expounding on logic:

>Gosh, Jim, I didn't claim to be logical...

thats probably the only truthful statement parkie has ever posted.

>Michael Ejercito teaches civics:
>>The GOP didn't control all three branches of government
>>in 1953. Learn your history, Mikey.
>Yes,they did. The House,the Senate,and the White House.

now what happen to the judicial?

>Mary E. Kandler on southern values:
>The Democratic party has strayed too far from Soutern
>values & the Republican Party along with Jefferson Davis
>&Abraham Lincoln express those best.

that high pitch hum you hear is old Abe spinning in his grave.

1737. Re: Making Pro-64 computer interface work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mroberds@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ed2me$6ck@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167236

In article <6eafkt$bh3@access4.digex.net>, kplotkin@access4.digex.net wrote
>
>I built my cables with no resistor.

I included the resistor in my first attempt, which didn't work. Once
I got rid of the resistor and the connection between the tip and
the receive-data pin on the computer side, it worked just fine.

>They're also short - half of a 6' audio cable.

Yeah...I put about 6' of standard telephone pre-wire cable on the
DB-9, intending to use a 1/8" stereo jack and a very short (6")
double 1/8 stereo plug cable to connect the jack to the scanner.
After I made up the computer end, I couldn't find the 6" cable,
so I used a 6' one.

What I actually tried to do at first was to mount the 1/8" stereo
jack in the backshell of the DB-9 connector. The jack was just a
little too big; probably an open frame jack and a slightly different
DB-9 backshell would work. The jack opening would stick through the
cable-entry hole in the backshell...then you could just use a standard
audio cable with 1/8" stereo plugs on both ends to hook up the scanner.

>2400 bps isn't particularly fast, though, so I'd be suprised
>if cable length would be a problem.

The only thing I haven't tried is downloading a full 400 channels.
But, I didn't have any problem downloading the list I've got, and
I've done it about three times now. I don't have anything in
banks 5-10, and I only have about the first 15-20 channels in
banks 1-4 filled up. If there are any timing or signal-quality
problems, they might show up over the course of a longer, 400-channel
download. But so far I haven't seen any.

>There are two versions of LOAD. [...] The version that supports only
>1 and 2 is the one that supports between-character and between-line
>delays, but I don't know of anybody who's needed to do that yet.

I was using the "simple" 1/2 only version of LOAD that doesn't require
the handshake jumpers. Before I removed the resistor, I had played
with the timing parameters. I could make it have different errors by
adjusting the timing - I could make it say 2-Error consistently with
one setting, and 3-Error consistently with another. Once I ditched
the resistor and tip connection, the default of no delays worked just
fine. I am currently using COM 2, but I have also tried it successfully
on COM 1.

>Or maybe have one for disposable cells and one for charging nicads.

I want to do away with the holder altogether. I want to get a 12 V gel-cell battery, and cut it down to 3/4 size. This will a) make it fit in the battery compartment and b) give it a 9 V output. This will have a longer run-time than nicads. Might be a bit messy though. :) :)

Thanks Ken!

Matt Roberds
mroberds@worldnet.att.net
Tulsa, Oklahoma USA

1738. Re: Motorola Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6ylb@remove.this.theworks.com
Message-ID: <350a0ed4.9109902@news.theworks.com>
Source record: 167237
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Yea, its UHF
H34SVU7160BN

the H is for Handitalkie, the 3 is the power level , the 4 is
UHF,(VHF=3), the SVU says the equipment type (like HT600 or MT1000) if
gray, its HT600, if kinda dark charcoal its MT1000
the other numbers in this case are specific to that radio. Used to be
once upon a time these numbers were about the same from radio to
radio. Not any more. The B means its a revision B radio. ALL the
radios end in N.

I cant remember now, if SVU is Ht600 or MT1000. the color will confirm
this. I do know its a Gensis radio. HT1000, Mt2000 etc are now called
Jedi radio.s

Hope this helps. We fix alot of those radios at our self mantained
radio shop. Let me know if I can help.

On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 20:17:48 -0500, "Iluv2way" <bednark@garden.net>
wrote:

>Could someone give me a breakdown of the following Motorola HT serial
>number:
>H34SVU7160BN
>TIA all.
>
>KB
>
>
>

remove the REMOVE.THIS from email addr...
WA6YLB Byron Smith
http://www.theworks.com/~wa6ylb

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From: erotthof@texas.net
Message-ID: <350d1652.2222320@news.texas.net>
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Precisely what part of plain English is it that you don't understand?
What I said was that the ostensible reason the DOJ investigation
"stalled" makes no sense in light of pertinent USSC rulings.

>>The USSC has squarely held that the Speech & Debate Clause protects
>>congresscritters from liability only for statements made in Congress
>>or otherwise in the course of their official duties. It doesn't even
>>apply to statements made in a news conference, press release, or
>>newsletter. (Hutchinson v. Proxmire) How it could possibly be
>>applied to a congressman's action in concealing evidence from the
>>congressional committee on which he served in order to turn it over to
>>the media is totally beyond me! I betcha it will also be beyond the
>>court which hears Boehner v. McDermott.

Eleanor Rotthoff

1740. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ed4uualp1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 167239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Eleanor Rotthoff wrote:
>
> gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com (gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com) wrote:
> >yasmin2@ix.netcom.com (Mary E Knadler) wrote:
>
> >>I read the other day that John Boehner is filing a "civil suit"
> >>against McDermott. I guess he's pretty much given up on this
> >>justice dept doing anything about Dems breaking the law. They
> >>only want to indict Repbs.
>
> <snip of mindless ad hominem>
>
> >>Very biased that way.
>
> >Nope rather simple the rules for evidence are more relaxed and not as
> >demanding as they would be in a criminal court.
>
> According to the AP report on the story, the Justice Dept
> investigation stalled when McDermott sought to quash DOJ subpoenas
> directed to several members of his staff and to committee counsel
> James Cole on the basis that the Speech & Debate Clause of the
> constitution protects McDermott from any liability for his actions in
> connection with the infamous taping.
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> Why in the world DOJ allowed McDermott to get away with such an
> assertion is beyond me. Perhaps they concluded that they simply
> didn't want to pursue the matter. McDermott's position is, however,
> totally untenable.
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> congresscritters from liability only for statements made in Congress
> or otherwise in the course of their official duties. It doesn't even
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> congressional committee on which he served in order to turn it over to
> the media is totally beyond me! I betcha it will also be beyond the
> court which hears Boehner v. McDermott.
>
> Eleanor Rotthoff

This what I mean!! This type of lawsuit has a chance to clean up
theis crap of a law. It has taken time (since 1986) for this come

to this point. And it has taken a few democrats in trouble with this law to make it a case. Watch what happens.

1741. Re: Blocking cordless freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack <kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <350A1729.67E7@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 167240

cen00746@centuryinter.net wrote:
>
> randycz@aol.com (RandyCz) wrote:
>
> >I have a 12 year old son very interested in monitoring. I have an old Radio
> >Shack PRO-34 20 channel scanner I was going to give to him. I am not too crazy
> >about the idea of his listening in on cordless phone calls. (Sometimes kids
> >are not very discreet.) Is there a mod or a filter available to block the 40-50
> >Mhz range?
>
> >Thanks in advance.
>
> >Randy
> Just monitor the kid and his monitor oncet in awhile.
>
> Mike Rice

PRO-34 is a 200 channel 800mhz scanner that gets tons of cellphone
images...

1742. Re: MDT prelims.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack <kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <350A1A45.1DF6@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 167241

Victor Axiotis wrote:
>
> >I have found police mdt transmissions in the 470mhz and 850mhz range
> >here where I live.
> >I also have a few taxi services in the 850mhz range..although I suspect
> >they could be found anywhere.
> >Anyway..do it! It should take no more then an hour or so to build, and
> >is well worth it
>
> I have heard that MDT1234 does not work with the MDT's that operate in the
> 400 mhz range.
> Are you saying otherwise.
>

I think you are confusing trunker.exe with mdtw1234. I'm quite sure it
works
with mdts on 400mhz, my favorite pd is there!

1743. Re: MDT prelims.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neal Fildes <n.r.fildes@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ed6b8$co4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167242

Jack wrote in message <350A1A45.1DF6@bellsouth.net>...
>Victor Axiotis wrote:
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>> >I have found police mdt transmissions in the 470mhz and 850mhz range
>> I have heard that MDT1234 does not work with the MDT's that operate in
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>> 400 mhz range.
>> Are you saying otherwise.
>I think you are confusing trunker.exe with mdtw1234. I'm quite sure it
>works
>with mdts on 400mhz, my favorite pd is there!

well, mdt1234 works on 400 mhz, as does the mdt.exe that goes WITH trunker
(in the beta site),
and for motorola, Trunker can do tracking in 400 mhz systems. try THAT with
your Uniden TrunkTracker...
in fact, a trunker for EDACS is due out SHORTLY - already in test by
trunking enthusiasts in 10 cities!

nrf

1744. WiNRADiO and New Open Architecture !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350c47e5.48320499@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166943

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.shortwave

Holy Cow!

WiNRADiO (the company) just went 'open architecture'
on their API and commandsets for WiNRADiO (the radio).
They've released developer information up the gazoo
such that there's something for most everyone now.

Like me. All I know of programming is that it comes
on radio and television. But using their developer
information, I rapped out a quick macro to run from
Microsoft Word 97 that demonstrates how easy it is to
control WiNRADiO via DDE (Dynamic Data Exchange).

A slight variation on the below macro would work
in MS Excel, too. Possibilities are limitless.

```
============================================================
Sub WinRADIO()
'
' WinRADIO Macro
' Macro created 03/15/98 by William D. Cheek, Sr.
'
channel = DDEInitiate("WinRadio", "WinRadio")
DDEExecute channel, "[PowerOn][SetFrequency(162400000)]"
DDEExecute channel, "[SetMode(FMN)][SetVolume(7)]"
DDEExecute channel, "[AttenOn]"
ss$ = DDERequest(channel, "GetSignalStrength")
Selection.TypeText Text:=ss$
gf$ = DDERequest(channel, "GetFrequency")
Selection.TypeText Text:=gf$
DDETerminate channel
End Sub
============================================================
```

The above macro is run right from MS WORD (word processor)
and it does several things: Turns power on; sets the freq
to NOAA's 162.400 MHz; sets the NFM mode; adjusts Volume
to "7"; turns on the ATTenuator; fetches signal strength and
frequency and inserts the values into the Word document.

Yikes! Too cool! But there is a whole lot more than just
open code for DDE. The company has created a Web page for

C++, Delphi, and VisualBasic programmers as well! Also for
pure MS-DOS and maybe even other environments. Ya gotta see
it to believe it.

http://www.winradio.com/home/developer.htm

Try the above for starters. It's a real eyeball opener!

Now let's see Icom step and fetch to catch up, especially
since they've gone on record to close their developer
information to any but "qualified developers", whatever
the heck THAT means.

"Open architecture" is what propelled the IBM/PC to greatness.
You sure can't fault WiNRADiO for taking that step, but you
can cast a raised eyebrow toward Icom and others who withhold
information about their platforms.

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1745. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350f4aea.49093701@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166944

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Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:

> John Mackey, aka Toilet Boy, is the resident village idiot and
> troublemaker. He has been stalking Bill Cheek electronically for the
> last two years. Mackey has a vendetta against Cheek for kicking him off the
> Fidonet scanner echo. He claims a measure of technical expertise, but
> has been unable to provide proof of his education and is known to blow
> up the communication systems he attempts to repair. He spends his time
> forging posts, canceling other people's posts who catch him in his lies,
> and generally being a jerk.

And......Mackey is a quadrasexual hermaphroditic nincompoop.

1746. Re: ATTN: Bill Cheek--Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35104b4f.49194847@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166945

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:

> Could the manufacturers program the EEPROM for the
> cellular bands, but lock out the bands by somehow leaving
> a pin of the CPU unconnected? I noticed the Pro-26 has
> several pins that don't connect to anything.

Well, yes, that's how they used to do it,
circa 1986-1994. The relevant program pins
were tied low (or high) and all you had to
do was reverse that programming and you were
in business.

But not anymore....not since the TDDRA of 1994
that, among many things, forbade the importing
or selling of scanners that were "easily modified"
for cellular. This includes diode and resistor
"programming".

Sad to say, ol' pal, but you're a day late,
and maybe ten bucks short, considering inflation.

<grin>

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1747. Re: Line of Sight?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35114c9e.49530222@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166946

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Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

jmackey700@aol.com (Jmackey700) wrote:

> Re-word your question dude.
> I think I once heard or read in an electronics class that line of sight on flat
> ground is about 9 miles.

Sorry....line of sight on "flat ground"
is infinite.

Line of sight on smooth earth or out at
sea is approximated by:

miles = SquareRoot of twice the height of
the observer (antenna) in feet.

Example: On the ocean, a sailboat mast 32' above
the water sees the horizon at about 8-miles.

This is only an approximation for visual light. Radio
waves diffract around the curve of the earth, more so
the lower the frequency, and less so, the higher the
frequency. A rule of thumb for estimates is 15% more
than the visual line of sight, but that really can vary.

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1748. Any Known MOD's for a RCA SCANTRAX RP-6150?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bhfisher@home.com
Message-ID: <350c5089.143151592@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 166947

Any info, Thanks

Bart

1749. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35145032.50446051@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166948

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Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net (Glen Quarnstrom) wrote:

> bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:
>
> >The etymology of "babble" probably has to do with the
> >biblical story of Babylon where the populace pissed off
> >the local deity who then wreaked havoc by rendering the
> >citizens, each speaking a different language from the rest.
> >Thus no one could understand each other. "Babble....."
>
> Actually, it's from the story of the Tower of Babel.

Yes, but the tower of "Babel" didn't get its name
until long after the "fact".

No?

Wasn't it reputed to have been in Babylon?

1750. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35155094.50544551@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166949

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Jumpin' Jack Flash wrote:
>
> > Bullcrap Mackey! Cheek had you killfiled for 6 months or so. That
> > didn't stop you!
>
> Like HELL! I did not attack him during that time. Suddenly, he started
> attacking ME! Would you like to see an example of how is started?

You're lying again, Hermie. Lying right
through your buckteeth on a 2" overbite.

> > I very clearly remember how it started! Cheek posted
> > his FAQ, and *YOU* replied with your "How dare you" followup! There

> You have given PURE BULL! YOu must have rose colored glasses!

No, Hermie, the man remembers. Others do, too.
Many do. Hundreds do. I just asked them to
stay out of this fracas betwixt you and me. There
is no need. You are lower than a urinary ant,
Hermie-baby. Now go get your harelip fixed.

1751. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35124ddd.49848956@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166950

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> No Bill, just smart enough to see thru YOUR
> games which is what you DON'T like!
>
> You can NOT defend yourself or give a
> credible answer to the question. Instead
> you give an answer with insult intended by
> using the letters "stupid" FOUR times. YOU
> TOTALLY side-stepped the question, as you have done
> for the last TWO years!

You are so damned dumb, Hermie, that you
can't ask a straight question, much less
comprehend a straight answer.

There is no question for which I owe you
an answer, Hermie. If a dogturd on the sidewalk
jumped up and asked you a question, would you
feel beholden to answer *it* ?

Well? That's how I look at your drivel.

You absolutely don't count for gnat hair, Hermie.
You're as worthless as hips on a damn snake.

And stupid beyond belief........

1752. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35134eda.50101711@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166951

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

jmackey700@aol.com (Jmackey700) wrote:

>
> Go write a book Bill.
> A Fido God such as Bill will always Pee and beat his chest because he's the
> man.
> I need plans for a simple 800-900 mega cycle ant.

You don't need plans or a book for that.
Calculate the wavelength of the 800 MHz
freq that interests you; divide by four;
and get to work on a quarter-wave. Or
divide it by two for a half-wave.

Wavelength (meters) = 300 / F(MHz)

Example: WL @ 900 MHz = 300 / 900
= 0.333 meters

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1753. HELP WITH SRCH FUNCTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Smith <cmsmith@net66.com>
Message-ID: <350C51C6.964D5592@net66.com>
Source record: 166952

I'm new to the scanning world. I just bought a used handheld scanner because I didn't want to invest lots of money into the equipment without being sure of how I would like it. My scanner is a Bearcat BC60XLT. I have a question on the 'SEARCH' function of my scanner. I can't seem to figure out how to search between 2 frequencies and I don't have a manual as I bought the scanner used. Can someone who is familiar with my scanner walk me through the process step by step?

Thanks in advance,

Chris Smith
cmsmith@net66.com

1754. scanner freq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry J jr <jjjjr@lcc.net>
Message-ID: <6ehj83$fmu@atlas.lcc.net>
Source record: 166953

Hello, i'm new to scanning and i love it!!
Does anyone have any government frequencies? if so i'd like them.

If anyone has any frequiences for the conroe/montgomery area please let me know.
thanks jerry.

1755. Info: Pro 2050 Trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bobcat <nunya@bizness.net>
Message-ID: <6ehkpf$1ca$1@usenet76.supernews.com>
Source record: 166954

Are there any known mods for this scanner. Mostly cellular?

Any information that you could give me would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,
Bobby
bobcatNOSPAM@exp.net

to email take out NOSPAM

1756. Info: SC150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bobcat <nunya@bizness.net>
Message-ID: <6ehkq7$1dn$1@usenet76.supernews.com>
Source record: 166955

Are there any mods for this radio?

I would be interested in finding out about all mods and keypad tricks.

Thanks in advance,
Bobby
bobcatNOSPAM@exp.net

please remove the NOSPAM to email

1757. Re: triple conversion?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: panthers@i-plus.net
Message-ID: <350C5B1A.8A5BD1A0@i-plus.net>
Source record: 166956

i can't understand why my pro-90 CANNOT pick up the 900MHz. signals while the BC 200xlt can pick them up clear as a bell. My Pro-90 will pick up the cordless on 46-47 MHz fine though.....

FX1 wrote:

> Hmmm, I had word that it actually filters to make 900mhz clearer, same with
> all other freqs, and prevents the annoying imaging from other mixing. But
> that's what I've been told, I have a triple conversion scanner and it gets
> my 900 mhz cordless fine, was wondering if maybe your cordless has the
> "voice scramble" feature or has a digital signal, in this case you only get
> garble or even nothing without proper circuits to descramble the signals.
>
> Hope this helps, sorry if it sounds cheezy, I'm new to this scanner hobby
> also, but I am addicted to the air waves :)
>
> panthers@i-plus.net wrote in message <350C2BDE.5AB08196@i-plus.net>...
> >What exactly is "triple conversion" and why is it such an advantage? The
> >only thing that I know about it is that because of it, I can't pick up
> >cordless at 900MHZ.....
> >

1758. New chat room

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jason <outrun@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6eho7s$s06$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 166957
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

Come check out the new chat room for scanner users on Irc.dalnet #scanning. We have been on for around 2 mths now and have grown to over 30 visitors and have an average of about 6 ppl on per night. We can grow larger but only by spreading the word and eveyone dropping in for a vist.

We have been chatting about who has what scanners, What is the best hand held scanner, What's the best base scanner, What you like to scan, Trading pictures of each other and there scanners. Lots of other things you could only dream of doing on a newsgroup.

So stop by Irc.dalnet #scanning. We usually try to get on around (9:00pm central time and stay on till we are tired of typing.)
See you tonight at (9:00pm on Irc.dalnet #scanning)

1759. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hkilpatr@osf1.gmu.edu
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.980315182212.29705E-100000@osf1.gmu.edu>
Source record: 166958
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998, Eleanor Rotthoff wrote:

> gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com (gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com) wrote:
> >yasmin2@ix.netcom.com (Mary E Knadler) wrote:
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> >>I read the other day that John Boehner is filing a "civil suit"
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> <snip of mindless ad hominem>
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> congressional committee on which he served in order to turn it over to
> the media is totally beyond me! I betcha it will also be beyond the
> court which hears Boehner v. McDermott.

We're still waiting for Noot's lawyer to pay Noot's fine.

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Buddy K

1760. Re: digital mode scanners, are they available (or will they ever be?)???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <350C6A5D.70C9@c-com.net>
Source record: 166959

Eric Oyen wrote:
>
> I am reading with interest the fact that some cities are now going 100%
> digital on all their city services... Is there a scanner that will be
> made for these new services, or will congress (in its infinite wisdom)
> dash any hopes for future scannists (through the passage of laws)?????
>
> IF so, is there also a possibility of converting existing technology to
> the future modes?
>
> Eric.
digital with out spread spectrum maby
digital with spread spectrum maby (not)

1761. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctwla@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6ehplc$8f0@sjx-ixn7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166960
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Reading these posting one wonders, if government can control listenig
what will happen to speech?
C Thomas

In <350B91BC.769E@mindspring.com> Buster Cherry <bch435@mindspring.com>
writes:
>
>Knopp wrote:
>>
>> In article <350A24DE.B5A0BC98@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com
wrote:
>>
>> > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> > >
>> > > In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean
<n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
>> > > >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
>> > > >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
>> > > >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
>> > > >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.
>> > > >
>> > > If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone
calls) in the
>> > > same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of
binoculars
>> > > (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize
your
>> > > voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
>> > > rooted problem.
>> > >
>> > > Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a
pity
>> > > that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
>> > >
>> > Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's
windows? Are
>> > you nuts? Since radio began we've had the right to listen to
anything as
>>
>> No...using your RADIO to listen to communications that are meant to
be
>> heard by third parties isn't a equal comparison to looking into
other

>> people's windows. Using a illegal modified scanner in order to
eavesdrop
>> on conversations you aren't supposed to be hearing...IS though.
>
>You are incorrect. When a corded telephone is employed in
communication
>with another, the hardline used to establish and maintain the
connection
>between you and the second party is yours by ownership. It is a
closed
>circuit on which a hardware wire tap would be required to eavesdrop,
and
>such a device of course would constitute an invasion of privacy. In
the
>case of cordless or cellular telephones, private circuits are not used
>to establish and hold the connections. The public airwaves are
utilized
>and it becomes the sole responsibility of the user to guarantee his
own
>privacy. The airwaves are a public trust upon which licenses for
usage
>but not ownership are provided by the FCC. Bearing this in mind,
radio
>frequencies and the communications propagated by them are not and
cannot
>be private. They become public domain and interception is lawful.
>
>Your nonsensical analogy simply doesn't fly. Peering through
someone's
>window involves you invading someone's personal domain in a physical
>sense. That is illegal without permission from the owner of the
domain.
>Listening to a cellular or cordless telephone conversation on the
other
>hand involves the interception of signals which pass through your own
>domain. They are in effect given to you, as no effort is made to
>prevent them from entering the space which belongs to you.
Additionally
>considering the fact that the medium of transmission is one of public
>ownership, you cannot require that receivers or their owners be
>prohibited from intercepting them. Metaphorically this would be no
>different than demanding that pedestrians walking down the street not
>hear what you and a friend discuss as you stand on the sidewalk. If
>you require privacy, either speak in tongues or find a vacant alley.
>
>Encryption is the answer to the cellular and cordless phone privacy
>issue. By use of scrambling, the public's right to intercept the
>signal themselves will not be violated. The parties involved in the
>communication are satisfied because their transmissions are rendered
>unintelligible to potential listeners. The only reason that scanner

>manufacturers are presently forced to block these frequencies is
>because a wealthy and influential cellular industry has seen fit to
>push such regulations into congress. Less money is spent nudging a
>bill into law than through upgrading millions of cellular telephones,
>towers and equipment installations.
>
>> > long as we did not repeat it. It is time to go back to that. This
>>
>> You can listen to whatever is on your radio. Things change though
when you
>> make attempts to illegally intercept things that wasn't meant for
your
>> ears. It's called an "invasion of privacy".
>
>As made clear above, this excuse simply isn't logical. While I may
>not intend that the public to know there is $500,000 dollars in a
>suitcase buried in my back yard, I cannot argue that my privacy on
>that issue has been violated when I state the fact in a public
>newsgroup. The government cannot post top secret documents on every
>corkboard in public libraries across America and then demand that
>inquisitive citizens not look at them. As such, you cannot propagate
>your private conversations through a public medium and insist that
>members of the public not listen to them.
>
>> > doesn't get the Democratic scum of the hook, however, since they
>> > recorded and leaked a cell phone call to the media. This was
illegal all
>> > along.
>>
>> Yeah...maybe we can hook a wire to your phone lines....as "long as I
>> don't repeat it"?
>
>If you physically attached a hardware wire tap to his telephone line,
>which is his property, then you would be committing a crime. What
does
>this have to do with your castigating cellular/cordless interception?
>
>I find it laughable that simple common sense is apparently above your
>level of coherence. This isn't a moral issue, my friend. The matter
>at hand deals with personal communications being conducted in a way
>that renders them public -- by BROADCASTING them. You are correct in
>that the communications are private. But exposure of private things
>makes them public, and you cannot change that.

1762. Re: Discone for low band reception (30-50 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <350C6B25.1C7D@c-com.net>
Source record: 166961

Fbals wrote:
>
> I am interested in how this antenna with the vertical whip performs on the low
> band. Especially during periods of low band skip on the 26 to 27 Mhz CB
> frequencies also. I have heard both good and bad and would like actual user
> comments.
>
> Frank
you must realize that discone antennas offer no gain. So they can never
be as good as an antenna designed around a single narrow band width with
a gain factor designed in.

1763. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <350C90EA.4E48@parg.org>
Source record: 166962

Bill-

Would you like me to post the message you wrote on this NG a few months ago where you admitted you pulled me out of your killfile so you could read my messages & attack me?

Bill Cheek wrote:
> the man remembers. Others do, too.
> Many do. Hundreds do. I just asked them to
> stay out of this fracas betwixt you and me. There

1764. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <350C91E5.499A@parg.org>
Source record: 166963

Funny even RICHARD KENDRICK acknowledges that I have made numerous
on-topic
posts, yet you state I have not. OBVIOUSLY, you have NO IDEA OF WHAT
YOU
ARE TALKIN ABOUT!

Besides, I rarely see you make on-topic posts, but often see your
bitching type of posts!

MAlexder wrote:
> If he has posted one literate, on-topic post about scanning then his
> contribution far, far outnumbers yours, you lowlife, lying dog.

1765. Re: Newbie Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <350C9243.E5A@parg.org>
Source record: 166964

SURE!

Have the guy e-mail me!

George Vetterle wrote:
> Maybe John Mackey can help you out. He lives in the Portland area
> and is a scanner enthusiast.

1766. Re: Newbie Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <350C9347.2067@parg.org>
Source record: 166965

Of course Kendrick has to prove what a pathetic low-life he
is by printing the phone number of a NG person on the NG.
(something of poor net-ettiquite)

Hey DICK, that had to be REAL TOUGH wasn't it! I mean, you either
had to:

A. Read a phone book for Sioux City, Iowa or Portland, Oregon. (You
probably had to have someone read it for you!)

or

B. call directory assistance.

How pathetic you are.

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> Goeorge, is correct. Call John at (503) 626-7399.

1767. Re: John Mackey SUXXXXX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <350C93FA.7C09@parg.org>
Source record: 166966

OBFD wrote:

> This guy is a JERK!!! I have met him personally, and he is LOUD, ARROGANT,
> OBNOXIOUS, and can not get LAID for the life of him.

Well if you've met me personally, then who are YOU? (I never forget
someone
I've met!)

> Ignore ANYTHING HE SAYS, I DO!!!!!

Obviously this it NOT true or you wouldn't have wrote about me in your
message!

1768. pro64 computer interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: AgentBlue <JDay98@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <350C883A.3829C3B0@prodigy.net>
Source record: 166967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Is Radio Shack EVER going to come out with a computer interface for the pro64 and its sister tabletop scanner?? I've seen 3rd party computer interfaces on the market but whats the deal? I mean why would they mention it in the manual if it would never come out? I guess it's kind of useless since it would be only for uploading frequencies. Any info would be greatly appreciated!
Thnks, AgentBlue

1769. All Hail King Mackey the Great Liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <350C8926.32F7D415@primenet.com>
Source record: 166968
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Behold brothers and sisters, I bring you the profound story of how King Mackey the Great became so. It is an exciting tale filled with wonder, awe, and heroic deeds. Come closer, as I relate this grand history.

In the land of Scannerdom, the county of Power Supply was plagued with a terrible injustice. The evil mercenary force from Capacitor held the people of Smoke prisoner. Repeater, the ruler in exile of Power Supply, offered a rare and unused Radio Shack battery card to anyone who could free the people of Smoke from their Capacitor prison. A young and fearless warrior stepped forward to take up the gauntlet. Repeater told him of the dangers but the young man was undaunted and resolutely set off to free them.

When he arrived at the gate, Mackey was challenged by the fearsome guardians, Positive and Negative. So terrible were these mighty sentinels that even the renowned guardian Cerebus trembled when faced with Positive and Negative. Armed with his trusty screwdriver he didst battle with them. In the hands of a true warrior the screwdriver is no common weapon. Our hero, battle tested and proven in the labs and urinals of Technical School, was much more than a professional. He was a Grand Master of the Number Two Phillips Blade.

The guards fired spinning hex nuts and sliced with the dreaded razor sharp quartertwenty threads. Again and again, using every feint, lunge, and parry the guardians had learned in centuries of defending the cabinet, but to no avail. Mackey maneuvered himself and with one swift strike, he ended it. He had touched both guardians in the only way to kill them. He bridged the gap between them in a move only a Master Bladesman could execute, the Short.

The Capacitor force exploded from the cataclysm releasing the Smoke from their electrolytic bondage. Afterward, the Smoke rewarded Mackey with their highest honor, the Diddler of the Spark.

Mackey, hoisted by his own petard, began the journey home. In the land of Recdotradiodotscanner, he was attacked by the Legions of Ennui. These were no ordinary warriors, but elite shock troops. Armed with the latest in Apathy, Disdain, and Contempt, they lay seige to our hero.

For months, a battle of attrition was waged. One after another, mighty warriors all, they fell. Even I, your humble scribe was a soldier in the Legion of Ennui. Alas, I too, fell before the great Mackey. No one could understand how a single man could withstand such an onslaught as we heaped upon him. Then we learned the source of his great strength. He was the most favored disciple of the malevolent gods, Fraud and Liar. They had taught him the secret fighting languages of Turpitude, Innuendo, and the most deadly of them all, Obscenity. Under their smutty tutelage, he repeatedly repeled the attacks with adroit displays of oratorical onanism.

There was a point in the war when we thought we were going to prevail. We had Mackey surrounded, he was in everybodys kill file, and his ISPs were terminating his accounts as fast as he could login. He had been beaten back to where he stood alone, armed only with a 300 baud modem and a Commodore 64.

Sadly, we all were victim to his great strategy and now he sprang his most devastating weapon. Surrounding him with our keyboards poised for the final death blow, he hoisted his hands above him. Like Moses bestowing the Ten Commandments to the chosen people, in his hands his mail-order diploma proclaming him Master of Communication Technology smote us down.

Cowered by the supreme Divinity before us, a hush fell upon the surrounding army. The only sound was a muffled cough from one of the younger soldiers. We lay prostrate on the ground before him, fearful of his wrath. Who were we to show the temerity to challenge his divine turgescence. We waited. Slowly, he walked through the defeated masses, and went home.

Upon returning to Scannerdom, he found word of his great deeds had preceded him. He was declared Supreme Grand Master Fool of the Universe and the people clamored for his ordination as King. In response, the Church of Scanner Mods proclaimed him King and the great sage and visionary Pope Bcheek presided over the coronation. As he placed the Discone Crown upon his head, he spoke the sacred papal blessing, "This boy reeks."

So there you have it, brothers and sisters. Behold the saga of his fetidness, King Mackey the Great, Ruler of Torpor, Supreme Grand Master Fool of the Universe, Grand Master of the Number Two Phillips Blade, holder of the Diddler of the Spark, Divine Master of Communication Technology, High Priest of the sect of Fraud and Liar, and Orational Master of Turpitude, Innuendo, and Obscenity.

All hail King Mackey the Great Liar.

1770. John Mackey's Obituary

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <350C895F.D0AA900E@primenet.com>
Source record: 166969

Infamous Internet stalker John Mackey was found dead at his dingy studio apartment in Portland, Oregon last night. Known for his relentless pursuit and harassment of technical author Bill Cheek, Mackey was found electrocuted in his bath tub. The coroner has determined that Mackey was indulging himself with an AC operated sexual appliance when the device malfunctioned, killing him in the process. Also found in the bathroom by the coroner was a VCR playing a Richard Simmons workout video.

Long considered hapless, incompetent, and inept, his death came as no surprise by those who knew him. Devoutly claiming to have held a Masters Degree in Communication Technology, Mackey could never provide credible proof when he was challenged to do so. After repeated displays of technical incompetence and blowing up numerous power supplies through idiotic interconnections, no one believed he had really earned the degrees he claimed.

After years of abusing Prozac, K-Y Jelly, cough medicines, and Preparation H, his behavior became increasingly erratic. He began to publicly proclaim his love for fitness guru Richard Simmons and boasted of patronizing child prostitutes. Shortly before his death, Mackey was seen performing billy goat gonad transplants as gland cures for the spermatically challenged and often went door-to-door collecting for static cling. Considering it his civic duty, he diligently tried to answer all his "occupant" letters.

Once known as King Mackey the Great, Ruler of Torpor, Supreme Grand Master Fool of the Universe, Grand Master of the Number Two Phillips Blade, holder of the Diddler of the Spark, High Priest of the sect of Fraud and Liar, and Orational Master of Turpitude, Innuendo, and Obscenity, he fell into disrepute in his later years, simply being known as a pitful liar.

Before his death, he was active in the amateur radio group, Phony Amateur Radio Goon-balls. Having no relatives or friends who would claim Mackey's body, the coroner's office will cremate the remains in accordance with public law regarding the death of indigents. The ashes will be recycled into asphalt to be used in new public works projects. There will be no ceremony or public viewing.

1771. Top Ten Reasons Why john Mackey Is The Most Loved Person on The Internet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <350C89D3.880BA087@primenet.com>
Source record: 166970
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Top Ten Reasons Why John Mackey is the Most Loved
Personality on the Internet Today

10. Has generated more posts than Canter and Siegel.

9. Has consistently demonstrated the highest intelligence of
all the rocks on Earth.

8. Authored the definitive self-help book based on his own
true life story, "Love and Vinyl or How To Tell If Your
Blow-up Doll Is Unfaithful."

7. For his Master's thesis, wrote the highly acclaimed book,
"The Flashlight On-Off Switch, Friend or Foe."

6. Has deprived more villages of an idiot than all the people
he has called a fool.

5. Created the all time great pick-up line "Hey babe, would
you like to go to my place and see my collection of used
airline vomit bags and feminine hygiene products?"

4. Entered medical history when he became the first person
known to have his vocal chords in his sphincter.

3. He's in the Internet Hall of Infamy for telling the most
lies in a single post.

2. As the World's Only Human Toilet-Boy, Roto-Rooter gives him
the biggest professional courtesy discount.

1. Voted Most Popular Bitch of Cell Block C five years in a row.

1772. Re: Scrambled Police Signal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckm@zocalo.com
Message-ID: <chuckm-1503981809240001@157.22.200.2>
Source record: 166971

In article <6egv7e$8go$1@news.outfitters.com>, "jim bevenour"
<ekorb@hcil.net> wrote:

> My local police go to a non-digital audio inverted signal and I wanted to
> know if any of you have an address to buy a descrambler. I know New York has
> a place but don't know the name of the dealer.
>
>
> Thanks
> Jim
> ekorb@hcil.net

CTPDS49 wrote:
>
> Cordless Telephones that employ speech inversion scrambling (typically 3300
> 3700 Hz), as well as some police communications (typically 3500 Hz)
> can be descrambled utilizing a balanced modulator/demodulator circuit.
> We have developed such a unit and are now offering it on our web site.
>
>
> CTP Descramblers

Jim,
Check this URL. He sells a frequency-adjustable inverter (not like the
Ramsey, whose frequency is fixed)
-- Chuck

1773. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <350C8B59.5D2E0407@primenet.com>
Source record: 166972

-John "I love my main stud Richard Simmonds"- KA0SSF lied again:

> Funny even RICHARD KENDRICK acknowledges that I have made numerous
> on-topic posts, yet you state I have not.

No, I did *not* confirm you've made relevant posts, Toilet Boy. Just idiotic and inaccurate ones. You lie again. Otherwise post the statements.

> OBVIOUSLY, you have NO IDEA OF WHAT YOU ARE TALKIN ABOUT!

Bragging about yourself again, Toilet Boy. We know you are clueless.

> Besides, I rarely see you make on-topic posts, but often see your
> bitching type of posts!

You can't read without great strain and not all of your dweeb parg buddies can read either. It makes it very hard for you to find someone to read every relevant post to you.

> MAlexder wrote:
> > If he has posted one literate, on-topic post about scanning then his
> > contribution far, far outnumbers yours, you lowlife, lying dog.

See Toilet Boy, people have your number.

1774. Re: How Can I Make My Tape Recorder Into Extra-Long-Record Device?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Asnow <asnow@excelr8.net>
Message-ID: <350C8E91.75010BEC@excelr8.net>
Source record: 166973
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Another way to extend the tape in a normal recorder (and the method most of the ads you read use) is to slow down the motor speed that is running the tape drive mechanism. This slowing down of the tape will degrade the audio some so don't go to low to start out with. You might try installing a potentiometer to controll the speed from outside the unit insted of a single reststor inside.

Keep in mind though that slowing down the drive will result in a recording that can only be played back on the machine that you recorded on. Otherwise it will actually sound slow.

1775. PA Systems???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Cook <bcook@juno.com>
Message-ID: <350C908A.879DAE0E@juno.com>
Source record: 166974
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I got a tough one here. I was wonder what the standard frequency response for PA systems are. I was thinking that they would generally be in one section of the band plans. Thanks!

-Ben Cook

1776. Re: John Mackey SUXXXXX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: FX1 <fx1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ei3j5$762@sjx-ixn9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166975

HERE WE GO
AGAIN.....
.....

OBFD wrote in message <19980314182401.NAA02585@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>This guy is a JERK!!! I have met him personally, and he is LOUD, ARROGANT,
>OBNOXIOUS, and can not get LAID for the life of him.
>
>Ignore ANYTHING HE SAYS, I DO!!!!!

1777. Dallas / Ft. Worth Area Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lindsay C. Blanton" <lblant1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <6ei3k7$aqs@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166976

I've updated my web page with the latest Trunked Radio information for the Dallas / Ft. Worth area. Includes talkgroups and frequencies for all the Trunked Radio systems in use in the area.

Stop by to http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/dfw.htm and take a peek!

Comments and updates are ALWAYS welcome.

Thanks!
-Lb

Lindsay C. Blanton
lblant1@airmail.net
The Trunked Radio Systems Information Page
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked.htm

1778. The Trunked Radio Information Homepage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lindsay C. Blanton" <lblant1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <6ei3p0$atl@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166977

Hello All!

The Trunked Radio Information Homepage has been up for almost six months now....and has been a huge success!

Stop by and take a look at the collection of information related to Radio trunking.

http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked.htm

Of course, if you have changes or additions, feel free to send them my way.

Thanks!
-Lb

Lindsay C. Blanton
lblant1@airmail.net
The Trunked Radio Systems Information Page
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked.htm

1779. Re: mdt1234 lockup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lindsay C. Blanton" <lblant1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <6ei3vb$b1v@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166978

Don't run it under win95....that will solve your problem

Lindsay C. Blanton
lblant1@airmail.net
The Trunked Radio Systems Information Page
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked.htm

Thomas Dutra wrote in message
<6eeck3$2lj0$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>...
>mdtstuff works ok using com1 as well as trunker and mobitex.
>as soon as I execute mdt1234 it locks up, frozen keyboard, the works.
>has anyone else had this problem and fixed it?
>
> Let me know.
> Thanks
> T.D.
> tdutra@prodigy.com
>
>

1780. Re: C.B. Base Radio F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: SKYHAWK <sky444@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ei3uh$lmc@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166979
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

How bout $2 bucs.....???

news.toad.net wrote in message <01bd5051$30783800$a21e31d1@wendy-s-avon>...
>I have on consignment a Cobra 1000 Base C.B. Radio.
>
>Best Offer Gets It!
>
>Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
>Owner
>DAT2 Communications
>(410) 360-2260 *3
>dat2comm@toad.net

1781. Re: PA Systems???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Hynde <hynde@flash.net>
Message-ID: <350C96B5.BCEEED0E@flash.net>
Source record: 166980
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ben Cook wrote:

> I got a tough one here. I was wonder what the standard frequency
> response for PA systems are. I was thinking that they would generally be
> in one section of the band plans. Thanks!
>
> -Ben Cook

Ben unless someone else here is one up on me, your gonna have to try
again... PA Systems? Public Address?
Section of what band?

Tim

1782. Medical Paging

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <350C9276.CE5F1DD0@eden.com>
Source record: 166981
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Are there any set aloocations for medical paging? I can't find them anywhere... I'm guessing somewhere in the 460Mhz range...
Thanks

1783. WTB Pro 43 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Courtney <kdc1@msn.com>
Message-ID: <OifIfmIU9GA.314@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 166982

Looking for a clean pro 43. Modified or modifiable. 954-581-0417

1784. Re: Bc 895XLT Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6ei69s$ll0$1@news5.ispnews.com>
Source record: 166983

Triple!

Bill Crocker

Intripet wrote in message <19980316014000.UAA18262@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Is the Bc895XLT double or triple conversion?

1785. Paging Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: sam stahl <cigar@vivid.net>
Message-ID: <350C9E42.13BC@vivid.net>
Source record: 166984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Can someone please email a list regarding pager frequencies in Atlanta, GA (or anyonewhere else, i figure they are similar). I know that 462.* has lots of pager activity, but any more help would be greatly appreciated.

thanks!!!

direct email appreciated...

sam stahl
cigar@vivid.net

1786. Re: Scanner in airliners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: krkirkwood@sprintmail.nospam.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f766c66f548ffaf9896a6@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 166985
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Ken Bickel (ac4vv@megsinet.net) said ...
> You cannot use a scanner on an airplane, period.

Not so, Kemosabe. Although most airlines just ban the use without any thought, certain airlines will allow the use. On numerous flights on US Airways and United I have used my R10. This does not mean that any flight on these airlines you can use your scanner. All you have to do is approach the Captain or First Officer as they prepare to board the aircraft and ask them if you can use it. Some say yes, some say no. Some want to see it.... You get the idea. I'm running about 80% success rate. The kicker about this is that it's just not worth using your receiver in an airplane. They are an extremely noisy RF environment and I've not found much worth listening to. But that could be a function of the particular airplane. Bottom line to all of this is : Just ask, all they can say is "No". But when you ask, respect their decision.

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-K2
Never share a foxhole with anyone who is braver than you.....

1787. Re: BC 230XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6ei584pvb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166986
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Overall, the BC220XLT is a good scanner, but it has weak audio and a small speaker. It also is double conversion, meaning it gets images 21.6 MHz away. It has a good scan and search speed, as well as 200 channels and service search.

In article <6ef7dl$n0n@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
"Dave Emison" <dlemison@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
> I'm somewhat new to scanning and I am considering buying the BC 230XLT...Is
> this a good scanner? It has all the capabilities I want and the price range
> I'm looking for...
>
> Dave Emison
> dlemison@worldnet.att.net
> ON AOL: Skins 9981
> ON ICQ: 542112

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1788. Re: Pro 64 mod possible? maybe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6ei68t$qn6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166987

Do you know if there are any 800Mhz mods for the Pro-26 (other than virtual downconversion)?

In article <19980315123401.HAA18763@ladder03.news.aol.com>, sigintman@aol.com (Sigint man) wrote:

> Radio shack is blowing the 64's out because they never sold. Take a good look
> at the radio-it dosen't have the features a $300.00 would normally have, ie
> "hold" mode during a search. RS gets around this by giving you 40 monitor
> memories, but somewhat goofy to use during a search. I used to work for the
> Shack, and we were never able to sell one-I think in part mainly because our
> customers tended to be older citizens who were still using crystal scanners,
> and second because the styling wasn't traditional. A good radio, find mine is
> plent sensitive for the monitoring I do.
> Sigintman
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1789. Re: ATTN: Bill Cheek--Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6ei6ub$r57$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166988

In article <35104b4f.49194847@news2.cts.com>,
bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:

> Well, yes, that's how they used to do it,
> circa 1986-1994. The relevant program pins
> were tied low (or high) and all you had to
> do was reverse that programming and you were
> in business.
>
> But not anymore....not since the TDDRA of 1994
> that, among many things, forbade the importing
> or selling of scanners that were "easily modified"
> for cellular. This includes diode and resistor
> "programming".
>
> Sad to say, ol' pal, but you're a day late,
> and maybe ten bucks short, considering inflation.
>
> <grin>

Not really, I have an old PRO-2022 that I "restored" a few years ago. I still have it even though I seldom use it. Hobbyists may be used to looking for diodes or resistors that hide cellular coverage, but, if the pins of the CPU were simply not connected to anything at all, would they be noticed?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1790. Subject: Re: Flint/Genesee County Michigan frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sujkowski <ronalds@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <350CAFAA.5CAD@concentric.net>
Source record: 166989

Okay who is this villain! And why do you have to use an alias here ????

I see he likes ghost stories too according to dejanews.

Subject: Re: Flint/Genesee County Michigan frequencies

From - Sun Mar 15 23:16:19 1998
Message-ID: <350CA793.4FA2@concentric.net>
Date: Sun, 15 Mar 1998 23:16:19 -0500
From: Ron Sujkowski <ronalds@concentric.net>
Reply-To: ronalds@concentric.net
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.04Gold (Win95; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0

********** To: Villain <villain@starnetinc.corpse> **********

Subject: Re: Flint/Genesee County Michigan frequencies
References: <6egtdt$5u3$1@usenet54.supernews.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=iso-8859-1
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 8bit
X-Mozilla-Status: 0011
Content-Length: 1102

Villain wrote:
>
> Recently I moved to the Flint area of Michigan and
> being semi-new to scanning, I'm documenting the
> region's frequencies due to a lack of readily
> available info. But... if anyone knows of a list
> that could save me some time (other than the
> Police Call and Betty Bearcat guides) it would be
> greatly appreciated. I would be happy to share
> any freq's I do encounter or have encountered so
> far.
>
> Thanks,
> --
> Vï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½
> the scanner rookie
check these sites out. while your there at the first one, look at the
mid-michigan frequencies ! Okay that file is mine ! ;)
Actually many of them can be applied to your area and nationwide !
Im in Bay City with my rooftop discone antenna. I can clearly hear
genessee county on .....

Leave me your "REAL" address and I'll send you A LOT of frequencies that you desire !

1791. Band scope conversion for old Scope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg May <greg_may@hp.com>
Message-ID: <350CB4A1.405@hp.com>
Source record: 166990

Does anyone have any leads on how I can use an old oscilloscope to view a small portion of the band being scanned -- I assume, tap off the IF but there must be some project out there that allows bandscope simulations (realtime).

Thanks for any leads.

Greg
greg_may@cv.hp.com

1792. FS: Uniden BC3000XLT 400 ch handheld scanner; LNIB $280

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bodoh@dakota.net
Message-ID: <6egla2$1eis$1@server2.dakota.net>
Source record: 166991
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

For sale: Uniden BC3000XLT handheld scanner (current Uniden top-end model);

Coverage 25 Mhz to 1.3 Ghz (minus cellular and 550-760)
400 channels in 20 banks
300 ch/sec search, 100 ch/sec scan
10 priority channels
automatic search and store
selectable (AM/FM/WFM) modes (receives TV and FM broadcast audio)
selectable attenuator
data skip (skips over data channels)
WX key
typical features such as lockout, battery saver, selectable search steps
built in nicad
triple conversion

This radio is in 'mint - like new' condition, with; box, manual, duck, AC adapter - even packing materials! Also included is the optional leather case. Note that for those hung up on cellular reception,it reportedly receives cellular images clearly from 1005 to 1030 Mhz. This radio is one of the best at rejecting overload and intermod. The 20 banks, search store feature, TV and FM broadcast reception and leather case make it ideal for travel. Reason for selling: Have two and need cash.

My price is $280, paid in advance by postal money order, I pay your choice of UPS or USPS shipping. No trades. Lower 48 USA only. Please Email with questions...

Tom, N0YGT

1793. Guide to the rec.radio newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6ehnls$er1@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 166992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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Archive-name: radio/personal-intro
Revision: 2.2 98/14/05 03:50:23
Posting-Frequency: posted on the 15th of each month

This message describes the rec.radio.amateur.*, rec.radio.cb,
rec.radio.info, and rec.radio.swap newsgroups, as well as their Internet
mailing list counterparts and complements. It is intended to serve as a
guide for the new reader on what to find where. Questions and comments may
be directed to Jeffrey Herman, KH2PZ, (jeffreyh@hawaii.edu), or Paul
Schleck, K3FU, pschlect@novia.net.

This message was last changed on 14 March, 1998.

History
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Way back when, before there was a Usenet, the Internet hosted a mailing list
for hams, called (appropriately enough) INFO-HAMS. Ham radio discussions
were held on the mailing list, and sent to the mailboxes of those who had
signed up for it. When the Usenet software was created, and net news as we
now know it was developed, a newsgroup was created for hams: net.ham-radio.
The mailing list and the newsgroup were gatewayed together, eventually.

Over the years, as the net grew, the volume of discussion became
progressively higher. First one by one, and then as part of two
reorganizations, what was once one group became many. In the process,
developments elsewhere on the net were reflected in the groups as they were
created, most notably the change to place all of the ham radio groups in one
hierarchy.

The collection of newsgroups continues to grow as more people join the net,
and as more topics of discussion gain volume, I expect to see more groups be
created as well. This follows what is happening on the rest of the net.

Nearly all of the radio newsgroups have corresponding mailing lists, the
notable exception being rec.radio.swap. There are also a few mailing lists
that don't have newsgroups.

The Current Groups
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It's important to post messages to the group that's appropriate for them,
and not to the groups that aren't. The whole idea of having different
newsgroups is so that folks who aren't interested in, say, homebrewing,
don't have to wade through messages about homebrewing on the way to read
about Field Day. Posting appropriately is just good etiquette.
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The rec.radio.amateur.misc group is the catchall. It is what rec.ham-radio was renamed to during the first major reorganization. Any message that's not more appropriate in one of the other groups belongs here, from contesting to DX to ragchewing on VHF to information on becoming a ham.

The group rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc is for discussions related to (surprise!) digital amateur radio. This doesn't have to be the common two-meter AX.25 variety of packet radio, either; some of the most knowledgeable folks in radio digital communications can be found here, and anything in the general area is welcome. The name was changed to emphasize this, and to encourage discussion not only of other text-based digital modes, such as AMTOR, RTTY, and Clover, but things like digital voice and video as well. The former group, rec.radio.amateur.packet, was removed on September 21st, 1993. It is obsolete, and you should use .digital.misc instead (or the appropriate new mailing list, mentioned below). The group has .misc as part of the name to allow further specialization if the users wish it, such as .digital.tcp-ip.

The swap group is rec.radio.swap. This recognizes a fact that became evident shortly after the original group was formed: Hams don't just swap ham radio gear, and other folks besides hams swap ham equipment. If you have radio equipment, or test gear, or computer stuff that hams would be interested in, here's the place. Equipment wanted postings belong here too. Discussions about the equipment generally don't; if you wish to discuss a particular posting with the buyer, email is a much better way to do it, and the other groups, especially .equipment and .homebrew, are the place for public discussions. There is now a regular posting with information on how to go about buying and selling items in rec.radio.swap; please refer to it before you post there. To answer a frequently asked question: No, there is no mailing list that goes along with this group. If you can't read Usenet news directly, you're out of luck.

The group rec.radio.amateur.policy was created as a place for all the discussions that seem to drag on interminably about the many rules, regulations, legalities, and policies that surround amateur radio, both existing and proposed. Recent changes to the Amateur Radio Rules (FCC Part 97) have finally laid to rest the Great Usenet Pizza Autopatch Debate - it's now legal to order a pizza on the autopatch, if you're not in the pizza business - as well as complaints about now-preempted local scanner laws hostile to amateurs, but plenty of discussion about what a bunch of rotten no-goodniks the local frequency coordinating body is, as well as the neverending no-code debate, may still be found here.

The group rec.radio.cb is the place for all discussion about the Citizens' Band radio service. Such discussions have been very inflammatory in rec.ham-radio in the past; please do not cross-post to both rec.radio.cb and rec.radio.amateur.* unless the topic is genuinely of interest to both hams and CBers - and very few topics are.

The rec.radio.info group is just what its name implies: it's the place where informational messages from across rec.radio.* may be found, regardless of where else they're posted. As of this writing, information posted to the group includes Cary Oler's daily solar progagation bulletins, ARRL

bulletins, the Frequently Asked Questions files for the various groups, and radio modification instructions. This group is moderated, so you cannot post to it directly; if you try, even if your message is crossposted to one of the other groups, your message will be mailed to the moderator, who is currently David Dodell, WB7TPY. The email address for submissions to the group is rec-radio-info@stat.com. Inquires and other administrivia should be directed to rec-radio-info-request@stat.com. For more information about rec.radio.info, consult the introduction and posting guidelines that are regularly posted to that newsgroup.

The groups r.r.amateur.antenna, .boatanchors, .dx, .equipment, .homebrew, and .space are for more specialized areas of ham radio: discussions about antennas, the older tube based amateur, military, and commercial gear, commercially-made equipment, homebrewing, and amateur radio space operations. The .equipment group is not the place for buying or selling equipment; that's what rec.radio.swap is for. Similarly, the .space group is specifically about amateur radio in space, such as the OSCAR program and SAREX, the Shuttle Amateur Radio EXperiment; other groups cover other aspects of satellites and space. Homebrewing isn't about making your own alcoholic beverages at home (that's rec.crafts.brewing), but rather construction of radio and electronic equipment by the amateur experimenter. The .dx group is devoted to long distance amateur communications.

Except for rec.radio.swap and rec.radio.cb, all of these newsgroups are available by Internet electronic mail in digest format; send a mail message containing "help" on a line by itself to listserv@ucsd.edu for instructions on how to use the mail server.

All of the groups can be posted to by electronic mail, though, by using a gateway at the University of Texas at Austin. To post a message this way, change the name of the group you wish to post to by replacing all of the '.'s with '-'s - for example, rec.radio.swap becomes rec-radio-swap - and send to that name@cs.utexas.edu (rec-radio-swap@cs.utexas.edu, for example). You may crosspost by including multiple addresses as Cc: entries (but see below). This gateway's continued availability is at the pleasure of the admins at UT-Austin, and is subject to going away at any time - and especially if forgeries and other net.abuses become a problem. You have been warned.

Mailing Lists
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In addition to the mailing lists that mirror the Usenet newsgroups, there also are a few that stand alone. These cover specific areas of ham radio, and discussion is focused on just those areas.

The cq-contest mailing list is for discussions of contesting in ham radio. To join, send email with the word "subscribe" on a line by itself to cq-contest-request@tgv.com.

The DX mailing list covers the finer points of DXing. This one is also joined by mailing "subscribe" on a line by itself, this time to dx-request@unbc.edu.

There's also a VHF mailing list, for VHF operators of the weak signal persuasion. You can join this one be sending "subscribe vhf" on a line by itself to vhf-request@w6yx.stanford.edu.

The QRP-L list is devoted to building and operating gear at low-power outputs. To subscribe, send an email to listproc@lehigh.edu and only write: subscribe qrp-l Your Name.

The TopBand e-list is devoted to all areas of operation on 160m. To subscribe, send an email to majordomo@contesting.com and only write: subscribe topband and follow the instructions you'll be sent.
This site, contesting.com, also hosts a couple dozen other ham-related e-lists. Use the above address, and only write: lists to get the entire index.

The Boatanchors e-list is devoted to the older tube-based ham, military, and commercial communications gear. To subscribe, send an email to: listserv@listserve.tempe.gov and only write: subscribe boatanchors

For homebuilding transmitters and receivers using tube technology, there is the Glowbugs e-list; send an email to:
majordomo@piobaire.mines.uidaho.edu and only write:
subscribe glowbugs <your@address.here>

The VHF DX discussion list can be accessed by sending an email to: majordomo@blacksheep.org and only writing: subscribe VHF-DX-discuss.

Qth.net hosts over 100 ham-related e-lists, including lists devoted to each state, manufacturer, mode, band - too many to state here. Send an email to majordomo@qth.net and only write: lists to get the complete index.

For one of the most complete indexes of email lists, see
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageae.html

Please do NOT send subscription requests to the mailing lists themselves; that doesn't work very often, and is very annoying to those on the list. Also, please keep your electronic mail address current with any mailing lists you subscribe to, as dealing with returned email is a nuisance for the person maintaining the mailing list.

A Few Words on Crossposting
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Please do not crosspost messages to two or more groups unless there is genuine interest in both groups in the topic being discussed, and when you do, please include a header line of the form "Followup-To: group.name" in your article's headers (before the first blank line). This will cause followups to your article to go to the group listed in the Followup-To: line. If you wish to have replies to go to you by email, rather than be posted, use the word "poster" instead of the name of a group. Such a line appears in the headers of this article.

One of the few examples of productive cross-posting is with the rec.radio.info newsgroup. To provide a filtered presentation of information articles, while

still maintaining visibility in their home newsgroups, the moderator strongly encourages cross-posting. All information articles should be submitted to the rec.radio.info moderator so that he may simultaneously cross-post your information to the appropriate newsgroups. Most newsreaders will only present the article once, and network bandwidth is conserved since only one article is propagated. If you make regular informational postings, and have made arrangements with the moderator to post directly to the group, please cross-post as appropriate.

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Jeffrey Herman, KH2PZ
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1794. IL hamfest/computerfest calendar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6eglrp$68s@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 166993
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

HAMFEST/COMPUTERFEST CALENDAR 1998 - NORTHERN ILLINOIS
last updated February 15, 1998

o Please report additions or changes to Bob Parnass, AJ9S, office phone: (630)979-5414, electronic mail: parnass@bell-labs.com. Thanks to Dennis Dale, Rick D. Wilson, and ARRL for providing some of the information.

MARCH 1998

Mar 8 (Sun) - Waukesha, WI. SEWFARS Swapfest. Info: Mary J. Adams, KB9IFF, tel. 414-358-1003. E-mail: mjadams@execpc.com.

March 15 (Sun): Sterling-Rock Falls ARS, Sterling, IL info: Lloyd Sherman, KB9APW, PO Box 521, Sterling, IL 61081-0521. tel. 815-336-2434, E-mail: lsherman@essexl.com

March 22 (Sun): Grayslake, IL - LAMARS hamfest, Lake County fairgrounds. All indoors. Admission $5 at gate, free parking. Setup at 6 AM, doors open at 8 AM. Info: Dave Gudewicz, KB9KDA, 5 Brigantine Lane, Grayslake, IL 60030. tel. 847-223-1088. (Small fest, but usually interesting - AJ9S.)

APRIL 1998

April 5 (Sun): Madison, WI. Madison Area Repeater Association. Info: Jeremy Charles, N9VHT, PO Box 8890, Madison, WI 53708-8890. tel. 608-245-8890. http://www.cs.wisc.edu/~jeremyc/mara/swapfest/

April 19 (Sun) : Stickney, IL. Dupage Amateur Radio Club, Hawthone Race Course. Hours 8 AM - 2 PM. Setup 6 AM. Info Ed Weinstein, WD9AYR. 7511 Walnut Ave, Woodridge Ill 60517 (630) 985-9256 or check the DARC homepage at: http://homepage.interaccess.com/~geirh/ Talk in 145.250. VE testing at 9 AM. Hourly door prizes. All indoor space reserved with a special table pricing offer that ends March 1st. Tickets: $4 in advance, $5 at the gate. Tailgating, weather permitting. Outdoor flea market spaces free.

MAY 1998

May 2 (Sat), Cedarburg, WI - Ozaukee Radio Club Swapfest, For Information Contact O.R.C. Swapfest Committee, W58 N985 Essex Dr, Cedarburg, WI 53012-1439 or call Gabe at 414-377-2784 between 6:00 and 8:00 PM.

May 3 (Sun), Sandwich, IL - Kishwaukee Amateur Radio Club Hamfest, Sandwich Fairgrounds. Admission $6. Ends at 2 PM. Talk-in 146.73 MHz. Info: Bob Yurs W9ICU, phone 815-895-3219, email: N9ZNA@AOL.COM. see http://tbcnet.com/~jleonard/hamfest.htm (Nice mid-sized ham-fest out in country. Lots of tailgating. Few commercial exhibitors. Always a good time. Fairly good restroom facil-ities - AJ9S).

May 15 - 17 (Fri - Sun), Dayton, OH - Dayton HamVention

JUNE 1998

Jun 7 (Sun), Princeton, IL - Starved Rock RC. info: Debbie Burton, N9DRU, 1153 Union St., Marseilles, IL 61341. tel. 815-795-2201 (Usually an excellent hamfest. Unlimited space outdoor flea market, some indoor space, though few big name commercial vendors. Crude restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

Jun 14 (Sun), Wheaton, IL - Six Meter Club of Chicago. info: Joseph Gutwein, WA9RIJ, 7109 Blackburn Ave., Downers Grove, IL 60516-3925. tel. 630-963-4922

JULY 1998

Jul 12 (Sun), Peotone, IL. Kankakee Area Radio Society. Will County fairgrounds. info: Don Kerouac, K9NR, 6311 East Flora St., Kankakee, IL 60901. tel. 815-939-7548, E-mail: k9nr@juno.com.

Jul 19 (Sun), Sugar Grove, IL. Fox River Radio League. Waubonsee Community College. For tables, tickets, and information: contact N9UZC James E. Von Olnhausen, n9uzc@amsat.org, (630)-879-3042, FRRL, Box 673, Batavia, IL 60510-0673. (good, small to midsized hamfest. Modern rest-room facilities. - AJ9S)

AUGUST 1998

Aug 2 (Sun), Peotone, IL. Hamfesters Radio Club. Will County fairgrounds. info: Dave Brasel, NF9N, 6933 West 110th St., Worth, IL 60482. tel. 708-448-0580 (Usually an excellent hamfest - AJ9S).

Aug 23 (Sun), Woodstock, IL. Tri-County Radio Group. McHenry County fairgrounds. info: Bob Grosse, N9KXG, PO Box 3107, Skokie, IL 60077-6107 tel. 708-944-0500. E-mail: tcrg@hotmail.com, http://quality-enterprises.com/tcrg/ (fairly good, small to mid sized hamfest - AJ9S).

SEPTEMBER 1998

Sep 19, 20 (Sat & Sun), Peoria, IL. Peoria Area ARC. info: Jim Williams, N9HHU, Box 3508, Peoria, IL 61612-3508. tel. 309-692-3378. Fax: 309-698-8643. E-mail: jimeoc@worldnet.att.net, http://www.w9uvi.org

Sept 26, 27 (Sat & Sun), Grayslake, IL Chicago FM Club. Lake County fairgrounds. info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Ave., Norridge, IL 60656-3245. tel. 708-457-0966 (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

OCTOBER 1998

NOVEMBER 1998

NOTES - Computer Central and Giant Computer shows

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5 admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am - 3:00 pm.

Giant Computer shows are usually held at the Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or at the DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester Rds., Wheaton, IL. Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM - 3 PM. To get on the mailing list or get more information, call (847)974-3123. See http://www.gicancomputershow.com

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1795. Re: Help with Wintone 2.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ekim233@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315140401.JAA26186@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166994

I have had the same problem with mine version-worked on it for 3 months never did get it to work. You will not get any help from the creater neither.

I dumped mine-maybe another will be out soon-personally I think it was a scam.

1796. MDT freq Gwinnet Co, GA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dsk@airtis.com
Message-ID: <350be128.128654555@news.america.net>
Source record: 166995

Does anybody know what freq Gwinnett County, GA uses for MDT? Thanks

1797. Re: Help with Wintone 2.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ramjet <Ramjet@noway.com>
Message-ID: <6ego06$lc7@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166996

Wintone 2.0 was not a scam. I've had it for about 8 months, and it works great. I did have a problem getting it to work on a Compaq Presario. I contacted the creator and received several E-mails about my problem. After trying the different settings I was given, I got it to work. I turn it on in the AM and it chugs along all day...
Works great for me.

PS. I have a registered version.

EKIM233 <ekim233@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980315140401.JAA26186@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> I have had the same problem with mine version-worked on it for 3 months never
> did get it to work. You will not get any help from the creater neither.
>
> I dumped mine-maybe another will be out soon-personally I think it was a scam.
>
>

1798. FS: Pro 46 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jc <jcleve@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <350BF255.5051@ibm.net>
Source record: 166997

I have a Radio Shack Pro 46 100 ch hand held scanner for sale. It includes antenna, belt clip, users manual, original box. This unit is in very good condition. It does recieve cell freqs. I will even throw in a new set of alkaline batteries. Asking $120. E-mail jcleve@ibm.net

Thanks
Jon C. <kb4txw>

1799. Re: WARNING!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <350BF772.6EF0@swbell.net>
Source record: 166998

D Stark wrote:
>
> hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote in message
> <6dv8sv$sh4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> >In article <3502554D.7C37@swbell.net>,
> > tracey12@swbell.net wrote:
> >>
> >> According to the lastest newswire, the new anti-scanner law not
> only
> >> bans listening into cellular conversations, but it also BANS THE
> >> OWNERSHIP OF ANY DEVICE CAPABLE OF LISTENING TO CELLULAR RADIO
> >> TELEPHONES!
> >>
> >> Many of you are now FELONS but you just have not been caught.
> >> Your government loves you. It feels your pain.
> >>
> >> Mark
> >>
> >
> >sets, a person could probably understand conversations. Virtually
> any
> >receiver convering 800MHz frequencies will have images and other
> problems,
> >allowing it to hear conversations un-modified. What language in the
> law bans
> >ownership of cellular-capable radios?
>
Even if it were illegal, a Bill of Attainder (a law
> that retroactively criminalizes actions already performed) is
> unconstitutional.

We are not talking about "actions" here, we are talking about ownership
of a banned device.

1800. Flint/Genesee County Michigan frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Villain <villain@starnetinc.corpse>
Message-ID: <6egtdt$5u3$1@usenet54.supernews.com>
Source record: 166999

Recently I moved to the Flint area of Michigan and being semi-new to scanning, I'm documenting the region's frequencies due to a lack of readily available info. But... if anyone knows of a list that could save me some time (other than the Police Call and Betty Bearcat guides) it would be greatly appreciated. I would be happy to share any freq's I do encounter or have encountered so far.

Thanks,
--
V�����
the scanner rookie

1801. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <350bf8a6.10817642@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167000

On 15 Mar 1998 04:48:59 GMT, jmackey700@aol.com (Jmackey700) wrote:

>
>Go write a book Bill.
>A Fido God such as Bill will always Pee and beat his chest because he's the
>man.
>I need plans for a simple 800-900 mega cycle ant.
>Jerry

and a for spanish to english translations

1802. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <350bf9bb.11094214@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 167001

Ha ha ha......Mackey offers to show an example, but how much you wanna
bet when asked for proof, he'll tell US to look it up.
I really wish you'd learn a new dance MACKEY the BUFFOON.

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 20:15:29 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Jumpin' Jack Flash wrote:
>
>> Bullcrap Mackey! Cheek had you killfiled for 6 months or so. That
>> didn't stop you!
>
>Like HELL! I did not attack him during that time. Suddenly, he started
>attacking ME! Would you like to see an example of how is started?
>
>
>
>> I very clearly remember how it started! Cheek posted
>> his FAQ, and *YOU* replied with your "How dare you" followup! There
>
>You have given PURE BULL! YOu must have rose colored glasses!

1803. Re: Definition Of Terms

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6egv5m$22h8$2@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 167002

Clay S. Koenig wrote in message <350B6DF8.311A6D58@home.com>...
>Okay..I'm not exactly a newbie at this sort of thing but I would like
>some simple questions answered please. When I received a listing of
>cellular phone frequencies it gives Non-wireline and Wireline
>company's. What is the difference between the two?

Wireline companies are the local telephone companies who provide
traditional wired telephone service. Non-wireline are cellular-only
companies like Cellular One.

>Number two, when it gives base and Mobile numbers. what is the
>difference between these two terms (base and mobile). Does this mean
>that I have numbers for both parties chatting? I realize that this
is
>as illegal as hell but I would like to know what these terms mean
>anyway. Would somebody please respond to this?

The "base" frequencies are repeater outputs where, on most systems,
you can hear both sides of the conversation. The "mobile" frequencies
are where the individual phones are transmitting, exactly 45 MHz lower
than the corresponding repeater output. The only need anyone would
have to monitor the inputs (assuming it were legal, of course) would
be to hear the mobile or portable phones in systems where they are
blocked out from the repeater retransmission.

1804. Re: Frequence du quebec

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6egv5n$22h8$3@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 167003

924247 <924247@ican.net> wrote in message
<01bd4f1b$61fca320$0eac9a8e@debilles.com>...
>J'aimerais savoir si il y aurais une place ou je pourais avoir les
>frequence de police du quebec a quelque part?

I hope you can read English as well as I can read French. :-)

Try the NF2G Scannist Pages at www.ggw.org/nf2g and click on Quebec
from the home page.

1805. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6egv5k$22h8$1@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 167004

Don Curtis wrote in message
<#7MsMH#T9GA.233@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>...
> Do you really think cops have nothing better to do than sit
and listen
>to a scanner set to cell frequencies and hope they hear something
valuable and
>then try to figure out who said it...and what to do about it?
>
> Nope...if they do get a court order, they go to the cell
phone
>provider and set up to record conversations to/from the cell phone of
interest
>only. And only for a few days (the life of the court
order...typically 3
>days).

Quite right. Over the past couple of weeks, we have had agents from the FBI and the DEA speak to Criminal Justice majors at SUNY Brockport, and they pretty much describe the process to get a court order for a wiretap in the same way. They have to do a lot of legwork ahead of time to justify the order. They have to spend weeks or months with just a "pen register" recording what numbers were calling what other numbers, then figure out a pattern and probable cause to target ONE of the phone numbers of interest. There have to be affidavits and other paperwork to file. The package goes to an agency attorney who reviews it for completeness and errors, then to Washington, DC for review at higher levels. In some cases, the Attorney General herself must review the petition BEFORE it gets anywhere near a Federal magistrate. Then the judge has to read a stack of papers that can be more than a foot deep before deciding whether to grant the petition for a court order approving a wiretap. For the duration of the order, the agents must report on their progress regularly to the judge who issued the order. If they're not getting what they originally said they were after, he can revoke the order at any time.

73 de Dave, NF2G

1806. Re: Frequencies too long?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6egv5o$22h8$4@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 167005

>John Meyer wrote:
>>
>> I have norticed that some police frequencies are too long for my
>> scanner. For example 865.4625 I can't add the last five.
Plus,
>> I am new at this, and many of them say "trunked". Can anyone help
me
>> on both of these problems? tks

Just put in what you can. The scanner will "round" the frequency to
something it can handle. In normal wideband FM systems, it will
usually be "close enough" that you can still hear the traffic.

When the new "refarmed" narrowband services start showing up, you may
be out of luck with an older scanner.

(We'll have narrowband fire and EMS communications, along with digital
police radio, around Rochester, NY within the next two years.)

73 de Dave, NF2G

1807. Re: Scrambled Police Signal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim bevenour <ekorb@hcil.net>
Message-ID: <6egv7e$8go$1@news.outfitters.com>
Source record: 167006

My local police go to a non-digital audio inverted signal and I wanted to know if any of you have an address to buy a descrambler. I know New York has a place but don't know the name of the dealer.

Thanks
Jim
ekorb@hcil.net

1808. Re: mobile phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim bevenour <ekorb@hcil.net>
Message-ID: <6eguna$8er$1@news.outfitters.com>
Source record: 167007

do any of you have an address for a place to buy a descrambler for when the police scramble. It is not digital but inverted audio, so I'm told.

Thanks
ekorb@hcil.net
Jim

1809. Re: Scanner in airliners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6egvlcmrh1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 167008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You cannot use a scanner on an airplane, period. If you do and they find out you will be in deep doo-doo. I believe they will tell you it is against the law as you are putting the aircraft in danger because the scanner can interfere with the aircraft communications equipment. If you fly listen to the steward - they'll tell you.

You can listen all you want in an airport providing the airport security doesn't challenge you. If they do they can probably cite some local ordinance that prevents the use of portable scanners and at the least confiscate yours. Best advice is listen at home.

>Here is a question I have not seen posted here before, does anyone know how
>well scanners would work in airliners? On the ground or near airports it
>would be really interesting to listen. What thoughts are there on this.
>
>Thanks,
>
>LD

1810. Trunktracker help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: billy <bhoward@superlink.net>
Message-ID: <350C1046.42A8@superlink.net>
Source record: 167009

Hello:

Just found out my police and fire dept, will be moving to trunked system on Mrch 31.. I have 2 questions, first if the frequency is 501 mkz, will the trunktracker work, and 2nd if its 800 trunking can I pick up 12 program groups.. Please e-mail me with the answers. Thanks for the help

bill

1811. Re: Icom R1 Restore 800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy <JDay98@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <350C063E.5AB7D319@prodigy.net>
Source record: 167010

I used to own the R-1. I bought mine used and it had no gaps
1-1300mhz. The person I bought it from said he got it new and it came
that way. I thought the R-1 had no gaps! Thats weird.

AgentBlue

Gray wrote:
>
> I would like to have information for restoring 800 to 900 mhz to Icom
> R1.
> Anyone have schematic showing difference in U.S. and other versions?

1812. VA BEACH Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy <JDay98@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <350C0956.26172C85@prodigy.net>
Source record: 167011
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have read and tried everything to find frequencies from towing companies. Police Call was no help? Anybody know any for the VA Beach area? Or is there a certain band they use nationwide? One more question, what are the main freqs. for 900 mhz cordless phones?

Thanks in advance, AgentBlue

1813. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbrutis1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315171401.MAA22926@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167012

In article <350B5B69.6141@usa.net>, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
writes:

>Have you ever heard of "freedom of speech"?
>
>We all have heard of "FREEDOM OF SPEECH"

>G.R. Triever wrote:
>> So what's the problem?

That's what I'd like to know, along with, exactly WHO is John Mackey, & what's
been the big deal about his postings? Could someone please email me with any
details,please? Something tells me I missed something somewhere.

Many Thanks,
73's,
Tom
tbrutis1@aol.com

That's because the #1 Fan of the AA Eastern League Binghamton Mets said so

1814. FS/BC-220XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sanders <jdsand@flash.net>
Message-ID: <350C0E15.32DA@flash.net>
Source record: 167013

HAVE A LIKE NEW HH 200CH BEARCAT SCANNER WITH POWER MODULE AND
MANUAL..WOULD LIKE TO GET $110.00 PLUS SHIPPING...IS THIS TOO MUCH? TNX
JOHN

1815. Re: Pro 64 mod possible? maybe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6eh2b1aeo1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 167014

Just Me wrote in message <01bd4fdc$674de700$a20fa2d1@robb>...
>I recently saw a suggestion on a news group that the reason RS was blowin
>out the Pro-64 was because it maybe modifiable. Does anyone know if there
>is any truth to this. Boy that would be great. If not does anyone know
>exactly why they are doing it?
>
>rbarrett@thegrid.net
>
>Just me

Here is my considered opinion, for what it is worth. When the pro-64 first came on the market, no effort was made to tout it`s "computer-pragrammability", probably because anything connected with hooking a scanner up to a computer scares the bejeezus out of politicians , and others who have a vested interest in providing a false sense of security to their customers/users. Remember, the only way you could get a 2035 to scan the cell phone band was to hook up a computer interface ? If you think that the FCC doesn`t cruise these scanner news groups for info on these scanners, guess again. THEY have been seeing post after post about the "computer programmability" of this particular scanner, so they decided to start breathing down the Shack`s neck about them. And it will happen again and again EVERY time they see a lot of posts about the "computer programmability" of ANY make or model of scanner. I am not telling you not to post here, this is just the way things are. The government, you must understand, is exceedingly paranoid about you hooking the scanner up to a computer, and is going to stamp out any effort made in that direction. How ? Well, every radio sold in the USA, either by the Shack or by anyone else, must first obtain type approval from the FCC. It is a simple matter to "kill off" any make or model, simply by rescinding the type approval on that particular make or model. The FCC is able to easily "strongarm" any radio dealer in this manner, by simply threatening to rescind type appproval on models he sells. That is why I had to laugh when people claimed there was no "official" FCC involvement in the recent service manual debacle with the Shack. There WASN`T any OFFICIAL involvement ! They just threatened the hell out of them ! Prove it ! You must remember that the FCC is only anserwable to the government, and the government is staffed by POLITICIANS, who have more to hide than ANYONE.....

1816. Other MDT software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOWARD SMITH <hcsmith@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <tnUO.573$xD2.3156700@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 167015

I am in Sacramento. I am successful decoding Sac Sheriff MDT with MDT Stuff. I have not been able to decode Sac Police with MDT Stuff or Mobitex. I know the freq. and the data sounds different than either of these 2. It has a higher pitched carrier.

Looking for any suggestions and other software. I have heard that there may be SoundBlaster programs that decode data but have not been able to locate.

1817. Re: Texas DPS freq question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom C <tomc61---@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <350C1313.790FDCA1@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 167016

155.460 base - 154.680 mobile

Dave Shapiro wrote:

> Last night DPS had a high speed car chase thru Dallas county. I was
> listening to 155.460. On that freq I could only hear the dispatcher.
> What is the freq. for the cars and the radio's that the officer carry?
>
> Thanks
>
> dave

1818. FS Pro 60 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Bukowski <kn6ep@msn.com>
Message-ID: <OfMc1xDU9GA.147@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 167017

Radio Shack Pro 60 Scanner for sale.
Like new, in box, manual, ant. exc. condition
bought anthter scanner so this one need to be sold
$115
reply via e-mail

George
Sacramento

1819. pro-46 gaps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jb@xforward.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <jb-ya023080001503981814590001@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 167018

I can get my pro-46 to search through 406 Mhz to 174 Mhz, which it isn't supposed to be able to do, by using a 'limit' search (406 as high, and 174 as low). But will I ever actually receive anything in this 'gap' (I haven't so far)?

Sometimes I have to go through the sequence a couple of times before it works. And I can do the same with the other gaps too, except 823.9375 to 851.

Also, what would I hear in 823.9375 to 851 in th UK if I did the hardware modification, that I can't already hear?

Thanks for any help

--
Jonathan Bristow

jb@xforward.demon.co.uk

1820. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6eh5tclpr1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 167019
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Buster Cherry wrote:
>
> Knopp wrote:
> >
> > In article <350A24DE.B5A0BC98@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:
> >
> > > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > > >
> > > > In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> > > > >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
> > > > >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
> > > > >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
> > > > >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.
> > > >
> > > > If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
> > > > same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
> > > > (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> > > > voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> > > > rooted problem.
> > > >
> > > > Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
> > > > that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
> > > >
> > > Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
> > > you nuts? Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as
> > >
> > No...using your RADIO to listen to communications that are meant to be
> > heard by third parties isn't a equal comparison to looking into other
> > people's windows. Using a illegal modified scanner in order to eavesdrop
> > on conversations you aren't supposed to be hearing...IS though.
>
> You are incorrect. When a corded telephone is employed in communication
> with another, the hardline used to establish and maintain the connection
> between you and the second party is yours by ownership. It is a closed
> circuit on which a hardware wire tap would be required to eavesdrop, and
> such a device of course would constitute an invasion of privacy. In the
> case of cordless or cellular telephones, private circuits are not used
> to establish and hold the connections. The public airwaves are utilized
> and it becomes the sole responsibility of the user to guarantee his own
> privacy. The airwaves are a public trust upon which licenses for usage
> but not ownership are provided by the FCC. Bearing this in mind, radio
> frequencies and the communications propagated by them are not and cannot
> be private. They become public domain and interception is lawful.

>
> Your nonsensical analogy simply doesn't fly. Peering through someone's
> window involves you invading someone's personal domain in a physical
> sense. That is illegal without permission from the owner of the domain.
> Listening to a cellular or cordless telephone conversation on the other
> hand involves the interception of signals which pass through your own
> domain. They are in effect given to you, as no effort is made to
> prevent them from entering the space which belongs to you. Additionally
> considering the fact that the medium of transmission is one of public
> ownership, you cannot require that receivers or their owners be
> prohibited from intercepting them. Metaphorically this would be no
> different than demanding that pedestrians walking down the street not
> hear what you and a friend discuss as you stand on the sidewalk. If
> you require privacy, either speak in tongues or find a vacant alley.
>
> Encryption is the answer to the cellular and cordless phone privacy
> issue. By use of scrambling, the public's right to intercept the
> signal themselves will not be violated. The parties involved in the
> communication are satisfied because their transmissions are rendered
> unintelligible to potential listeners. The only reason that scanner
> manufacturers are presently forced to block these frequencies is
> because a wealthy and influential cellular industry has seen fit to
> push such regulations into congress. Less money is spent nudging a
> bill into law than through upgrading millions of cellular telephones,
> towers and equipment installations.
>
> > > long as we did not repeat it. It is time to go back to that. This
> >
> > You can listen to whatever is on your radio. Things change though when you
> > make attempts to illegally intercept things that wasn't meant for your
> > ears. It's called an "invasion of privacy".
>
> As made clear above, this excuse simply isn't logical. While I may
> not intend that the public to know there is $500,000 dollars in a
> suitcase buried in my back yard, I cannot argue that my privacy on
> that issue has been violated when I state the fact in a public
> newsgroup. The government cannot post top secret documents on every
> corkboard in public libraries across America and then demand that
> inquisitive citizens not look at them. As such, you cannot propagate
> your private conversations through a public medium and insist that
> members of the public not listen to them.
>
> > > doesn't get the Democratic scum of the hook, however, since they
> > > recorded and leaked a cell phone call to the media. This was illegal all
> > > along.
> >
> > Yeah...maybe we can hook a wire to your phone lines....as "long as I
> > don't repeat it"?
>
> If you physically attached a hardware wire tap to his telephone line,

> which is his property, then you would be committing a crime. What does
> this have to do with your castigating cellular/cordless interception?
>
> I find it laughable that simple common sense is apparently above your
> level of coherence. This isn't a moral issue, my friend. The matter
> at hand deals with personal communications being conducted in a way
> that renders them public -- by BROADCASTING them. You are correct in
> that the communications are private. But exposure of private things
> makes them public, and you cannot change that.

I have a military background. We answer a telephone by stating that the line is unsecured. I do not even discuss "confidential" information outside of a secured area (ie a public street would be a no-no). Most radio transmissions are encrypted or at least frequency hops. Civilians just do not guard their privacy. Hell, their do not even guard their personal security which is why so many are victims of crime. Privacy is an illusion that we must create. I think that most civilians are just lazy. It takes discipline to have security.

1821. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Csahanin <georgec@dyb.com>
Message-ID: <6eh4br$7k0$1@news.onramp.net>
Source record: 167020
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

You gotta be kidding, right?

You like being told what you can and can't listen to??????
I thought that social experiment failed.

I don't listen to phone calls, etc...pretty juvenile stuff, but support the
right to do so, if confused enough about life.

-Gc

Jeffrey Herman wrote in message <6e7hif$3vd@news.Hawaii.Edu>...
>In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
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>>waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
>>scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
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>rooted problem.
>
>Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
>that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
>
>Jeff KH2PZ
>
>P.S. Say Greg, you didn't happen to appear in that QualCom commercial -
>you know the one - the midgets are hiding in a cafe trying to scan
>some fellow's phone call.

1822. Re: Scanner in airliners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Csahanin <georgec@dyb.com>
Message-ID: <6eh4ko$7lu$1@news.onramp.net>
Source record: 167021
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Last check it was not legal. The LO from the radio could possibly show up on aircraft VHF receivers as a carrier, etc.

-Gc

LDPE wrote in message <6ect97$rhn@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>Here is a question I have not seen posted here before, does anyone know how
>well scanners would work in airliners? On the ground or near airports it
>would be really interesting to listen. What thoughts are there on this.
>
>Thanks,
>
>LD

1823. Discone for low band reception (30-50 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fbals@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315182901.NAA05206@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167022

I am interested in how this antenna with the vertical whip performs on the low band. Especially during periods of low band skip on the 26 to 27 Mhz CB frequencies also. I have heard both good and bad and would like actual user comments.

Frank

1824. Re: Regency mx7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmtmn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315183201.NAA06269@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167023

Here is a neat mod I found that can be done with the keyboard.
The Regency MX-5000/7000 does not have a Search Hold Feature unless you do the following. This will hold an active frequency on your display and is great for finding new frequencies when you are at work, and or leaving the radio unattended.
Search/Hold Feature
---
1) Turn the radio on
2) Hit Clk Set.
3) Enter zero's all the way across the display.
4) Turn the radio Off
5) Turn the radio back on and you will notice that in the Search or Scan mode, anything that is now received on the scanner will hold on the display and the radio will not continue its normal function.
6) To resume Search or Scan, just hit any numbered buttion such as; 1-0 on the keyboard. The radio will now resume in the normal fashion.

Put Radio Back to Normal
---
1) Turn radio ON
2) Hit Clk Set
3) Enter the correct time
4) Hit Enter
5) Your now back to Normal Operations/Functions

I have found many, many new frequencies this way and plus its fun to know that the radio can do something that isn't listed in the operators manual. Have fun. ->Dan

1825. Re: BC 230XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <350d1aac.378219@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 167024
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 19:28:35 -0500, "Dave Emison"
<dlemison@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>I'm somewhat new to scanning and I am considering buying the BC 230XLT...Is
>this a good scanner? It has all the capabilities I want and the price range
>I'm looking for...
>
>Dave Emison
>dlemison@worldnet.att.net
>ON AOL: Skins 9981
>ON ICQ: 542112
>

The BC220/230xlt is a good scanner, the biggest downfall of it is
that it is only dual conversion and is subjected to quite a bit of
cellular and pager images in the 800 Mhz bands. The scanner is fast,
had a decent amout of channels and some handy pre-programmed search
limits for police, fire, ems, air, marine, etc.
Right now I have seen the BC235xlt priced very close to the same
price range. The BC235xlt is a triple conversion scanner, has trunk
tracking capabilities and throws in a few more channels also. I have
seen some places that actually have the BC230xlt priced higher than
what the BC235xlt is priced.

Wiggie

1826. triple conversion?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: panthers@i-plus.net
Message-ID: <350C2BDE.5AB08196@i-plus.net>
Source record: 167025

What exactly is "triple conversion" and why is it such an advantage? The only thing that I know about it is that because of it, I can't pick up cordless at 900MHZ.....

1827. WTB: RS Pro-2050

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce A. Langos" <bruce.langos@daytonoh.ncr.com>
Message-ID: <#RcAMjEU9GA.175@rpc1284.daytonoh.ncr.com>
Source record: 167026

Anybody have one they want to sell? This is the TrunkTracker base model
from Radio Shack.

Thanks

1828. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <350C303C.304641A7@primenet.com>
Source record: 167027

-John "I can't get enough of my man Richard Simmonds" Mackey- KA0SSF
tried to lie some more:

> Funny, YOU are the one who NEVER posts on-topic messages
> & can NEVER take part in technical. Rather, you can only
> make your little stories up on occasion!

OK, Toilet Boy, try this list of "off topic" posts I've made recently:

1. When connecting 75 ohm coax to a 50 ohm circuit, you erroneously gave the SWR as 2:1, not once, but twice. I had to correct you with the proper formula.

2. Rebutted your lame derision of using WD-40 in electrical circuits. Showed a posted from famed engineer Roy Lewallen, W7EL, <w7el@teleport.com> with supporting evidence of the suitability of WD-40 in electrical circuits.

3. Several times provided information where components can be purchased, most notably Digi-Key.

4. Posted information about Vanguard Labs, their products, and contact information.

5. Posted excellent paper on the usage of TV antennas with scanners several
times.

As usual, you lie Toilet Boy.

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > John Mackey aka Toilet Boy is the prime troublemaker in the scanner
> > groups. He has zero technical ability and is jealous of anyone who
> > does.

I stand behind my statements quoted above about you, Toilet Boy. You are lame and inept. Keep at it just like you are, fool. You'll get your Darwin
Award yet.

1829. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: toejam@teleport.com
Message-ID: <toejam-1503981158020001@pdx49-a48-48.teleport.com>
Source record: 167028
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <350B550D.506D@usa.net>,

> Yea, Glenn used to write his whinny e-mails to my Fidonet sysop
> a couple years ago. Finally, a few well placed e-mails to HIS
> ISP made it all stop.

yep. and it looks like a few well placed pops upside his head by his idol
cheek has made hime stop his BS here too

1830. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <350C3202.344E6D25@primenet.com>
Source record: 167029

Tbrutis1 wrote:
>
> In article <350B5B69.6141@usa.net>, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
> writes:
>
> >Have you ever heard of "freedom of speech"?
> >
> >We all have heard of "FREEDOM OF SPEECH"
>
> >G.R. Triever wrote:
> >> So what's the problem?
>
> That's what I'd like to know, along with, exactly WHO is John Mackey,
> & what's been the big deal about his postings? Could someone please
> email me with any details,please? Something tells me I missed
> something somewhere.

John Mackey, aka Toilet Boy, is the resident village idiot and
troublemaker. He has been stalking Bill Cheek electronically for the
last
two years. Mackey has a vendetta against Cheek for kicking him off the
Fidonet scanner echo. He claims a measure of technical expertise, but
has been unable to provide proof of his education and is known to blow
up the communication systems he attempts to repair. He spends his time
forging posts, canceling other people's posts who catch him in his lies,
and generally being a jerk.

1831. Free PCRScope Software for PCR1000 has been updated

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter <ibelings@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6ehcrg$c3h$1@camel29.mindspring.com>
Source record: 167030
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,nl.radio.scanners,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

I have updated the pcrsonly file to version 1.30b. If you are a first time
intaller, please install the older version and then replace the two files
included in pcrsonly.zip.

Please visit the PCRScope page at:

http://www.ibelings.com/pcr1000.html

or try the mirror at:

http://wave.home.mindspring.com/pcr1000.html

or email me at:

wave@mindspring.com

73's

Pieter
N4IP

1832. Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: lindsey@gower.net
Message-ID: <6ehckg$t70$1@usenet52.supernews.com>
Source record: 167031

Has anyone had experience with either puchasing an unblocked device in Canada in person and bringing it back to the U.S. or making a mail order purchase ? If these devices are available in Mexico - same question ?

1833. Re: triple conversion?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: FX1 <fx1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ehcoi$nkp@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167032

Hmmm, I had word that it actually filters to make 900mhz clearer, same with all other freqs, and prevents the annoying imaging from other mixing. But that's what I've been told, I have a triple conversion scanner and it gets my 900 mhz cordless fine, was wondering if maybe your cordless has the "voice scramble" feature or has a digital signal, in this case you only get garble or even nothing without proper circuits to descramble the signals.

Hope this helps, sorry if it sounds cheezy, I'm new to this scanner hobby also, but I am addicted to the air waves :)

panthers@i-plus.net wrote in message <350C2BDE.5AB08196@i-plus.net>...
>What exactly is "triple conversion" and why is it such an advantage? The
>only thing that I know about it is that because of it, I can't pick up
>cordless at 900MHZ.....
>

1834. FS:REALISTIC PRO-32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dhunter147@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315204900.PAA28596@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167033

What's the going price for a Realistic Pro 32 200 ch. scanner?
About an 8 condition.

1835. Used Scanners For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "news.toad.net" <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5050$0dc10040$5c1e31d1@wendy-s-avon>
Source record: 167034
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

I have on consignment the following scanners:

Radio Shack Pro-62 Asking $100.00 O.B.O.

Uniden BC100XLT (Missing Battery Pack) Best Offer

Uniden BC140XLT Best Offer

Bear Cat (Oldie but Goodie) 210 Best Offer

Contact:

Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
(410) 360-2260 *3
dat2comm@toad.net

1836. C.B. Base Radio F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "news.toad.net" <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5051$30783800$a21e31d1@wendy-s-avon>
Source record: 167035
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

I have on consignment a Cobra 1000 Base C.B. Radio.

Best Offer Gets It!

Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
(410) 360-2260 *3
dat2comm@toad.net

1837. FS: Portable radio batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: pwserctr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315210701.QAA01125@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167036

Now on line a complete list of portable radio batteries, including price and description. For all types Aeroton, Bendix, EF Johnson, Ericsson, GE, ICOM, Kenwood, Maxon, Midland, Motorola, Ritron, Uniden, and many others.

These are high quality batteries with a 12 month warranty. Shipped to any place in the world.

go to our web site for the complete list

http://members.aol.com/pwserctr/home.htm

1838. Question on MS200 Relm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jayg359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315212201.QAA04192@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167037

Anyone have any luck or nightmares with a Relm MS200 scanner???

I am interested in mounting such unit in my dispatch facility to monitor surrounding agencies.

Any input by e-mail is appreciated!

Thanks
Jay Goldmark, NYS EMT-D
Captain, Woodmere FD Rescue
JayG359@aol.com

"Enjoy Life, this is not a dress rehearsal !!!"

1839. bc 890XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5057$0e19f180$46d271d1@dickburk>
Source record: 167038

i HAVE FOR SALE 3 BC890XLT BASE MOBILE SCANNERS WITH TONE BOARD AND UNBLOCKED CELLULAR.i AM ASKING $200.00 EACH PLUS $10.00 SHIPPING.THESE ARE IN NEW CONDITION AND WORK REAL GOOD.
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Thanks
Email:toby@gis.net
Tel:978-281-3359

1840. BC 80 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5057$528ea9a0$46d271d1@dickburk>
Source record: 167039

I HAVE FOR SALE A BC 80XLT FOR SALE ASKING $110.00 PLUS $ 5.00 SHIPPING.IN
NEW SHAPE WORKS GOOD.
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Thanks
Email:toby@gis.net
Tel:978-281-3359

1841. How Can I Make My Tape Recorder Into Extra-Long-Record Device?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman@localnet.com
Message-ID: <6ehhu0ppl1@usenet47.supernews.com>
Source record: 167040
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Might be a dumb question / idea but here goes.....
Does anyone know if there is a way to take a standard voice activated cassette recorder and retrofit it into one of the 8 or 10 hour long ones that are advertised in the radio magazines regularly?
If possible, I'dlike to avoid paying $90.00 or whatever it is they charge for theirs. Any ideas out there from scanner enthusiasts who like to tape stuff to listen to at a later time?
Thanks and have a great day!\
Ray Miller N2NJK

1842. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350d4988.48740236@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167041

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

TheHamGuy <thehamguy@aol.com> wrote:

> TAKE YOUR FUCKING FUEDS TO E-MAIL YOU ASS HOLES!!!

Hey, Adam Henry, it is hereby observed that YOU didn't
take your preachment to e-mail. You think you're the
Second Coming, or something?

1843. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350e4a80.48987367@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 167042

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

> Look at the headers, watch the "nntp posting host" and the "path". THAT
> will tell a lot. (That is how we caught Bill Cheek doing the
> message canceling!)

All you caught was a case of clappe from your
gooooooood buddddy Boe, you dipsnort.

1844. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6ef6n2$8sl$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 167088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh

In article <6eem8ovkh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:

>
>Looking in your negihbor's window means you are trespassing on to their
>property and attempting to watch something in their own home. As we're
>all aware, radio waves, however, go through everyone's property,

Strange, I can see my neighbors property, and inside their house through
their window while sitting in my livingroom. Am I trespassing while sitting
in my easy chair in my own home?

Also, last time I checked, lightwaves acted like radio radio waves in that
they crossed my property, and through my house if windows are unshaded too.

Ed

REPLY INFO:
==
Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==

1845. PRO-32 mod for 800/900 and xtra channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: aacj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315002200.TAA28014@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167089

Does anyone know how to modify a Radio Shack PRO-32 for 800/900 mhz and get extra channels? I've heard it can be done..

1846. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <350af145.6366083@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 167090
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>The etymology of "babble" probably has to do with the
>biblical story of Babylon where the populace pissed off
>the local deity who then wreaked havoc by rendering the
>citizens, each speaking a different language from the rest.
>Thus no one could understand each other. "Babble....."

Actually, it's from the story of the Tower of Babel.

[several dozen lines of self-serving babble snipped]
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

1847. Reusable Alakine Batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn6epsac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315013900.UAA10951@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167091

Went to pick up some new AA Ni-Cds, but picked up some Rayovac Renewable Alkalines instead. Question: Can these be "charged" (or "renewed" whatever that means) while they are inside a typical handheld scanner (like a "Pro- " or AOR 1000) without danger of overheating or leakage? Anybody have experience with these?

thanks

George
Sacramento

1848. Re: FS: PRO 2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: highpkts@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315014701.UAA13071@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167092

tommis----"full 800" = modified to get cell phones?if it IS...why you selling it so cheap??.....these things are RARE,man!...what....is there something wrong with it?...sheeet,I can get $500 for my 2022,now that the law went into effect.FYI: its not illeagal to own a modified radio,so long as it was done before the law...

1849. Re: Reusable Alakine Batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6efbui$kld@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 167093

In article <19980315013900.UAA10951@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
KN6EPSac <kn6epsac@aol.com> wrote:
>
>Went to pick up some new AA Ni-Cds, but picked up some Rayovac Renewable
>Alkalines instead. Question: Can these be "charged" (or "renewed" whatever
>that means) while they are inside a typical handheld scanner (like a "Pro- " or
>AOR 1000) without danger of overheating or leakage? Anybody have experience
>with these?

Don't even **THINK** of it!!!!

(Unless you're very good about cleaning manganese hydroxide out of the
innards of your scanner).

RAM cells require special charging curves which involve per-cell voltage
monitoring that the special chargers are designed for.

--
Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

1850. Steves Workbench

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eddie Kosloski <scanist@acmenet.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4fb8$6a0aa060$65b698ce@Pscanist>
Source record: 167094
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Just for the hell of it, I e-mailed RS (Steves Workbench) and asked why the PRO-26 disappeared and then reappeared on the RS shelves.
We all know why, but I got a very intresting answer.....or was it !! (P&R Bull Shit)

Here is what they said
The Pro-26 scanner has not been recalled for modifications. We are not aware of any scanners that have been recalled.

The Hi-Lo limit search should be able to search from

Frequency Coverage and Default Modulation Modes

25.0000 - 28.9950 MHz.....AM (in 5.0 kHz steps)
29.0000 - 53.9950 MHz.....NFM (in 5.0 kHz steps)
59.7500 - 71.7500 MHz.....WFM (in 6.0 MHz steps)
72.0000 - 75.9950 MHz.....NFM (in 5.0 kHz steps)
81.7500 - 87.7500 MHz.....WFM (in 6.0 MHz steps)
88.1000 - 107.9000 MHz.....WFM (in 200.0 kHz steps)
108.0000 - 136.9875 MHz.....AM (in 12.5 kHz steps)
137.0000 - 173.9950 MHz.....NFM (in 5.0 kHz steps)
179.7500 - 215.7500 MHz.....WFM (in 6.0 MHz steps)
216.0000 - 224.9950 MHz.....NFM (in 5.0 kHz steps)
225.0000 - 399.9875 MHz.....AM (in 12.5 kHz steps)
400.0000 - 511.9875 MHz.....NFM (in 12.5 kHz steps)
517.7500 - 805.7500 MHz.....WFM (in 6.0 MHz steps)
806.0000 - 823.9375 MHz.....NFM (in 12.5 kHz steps)
851.0000 - 868.9375 MHz.....NFM (in 12.5 kHz steps)
896.1125 - 1300.0000 MHz.....NFM (in 12.5 kHz

steps)

> Thank you,
>
> TANDY PRODUCT SUPPORT CENTER
> CC/cb
> ----------
> From: Eddie Kosloski[SMTP:scanist@acmenet.net]
> Sent: Wednesday, March 11, 1998 9:37 PM
> To: Steve@radioshack
> Subject: Pro-26

1851. Re: Help with Wintone 2.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ramjet <Ramjet@noway.com>
Message-ID: <6efglk$bm5@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167095

Sorry, can't help then..

Jay Craig <jmcraig1@nospam.fastlane.net> wrote in article
<6eeggf$426@news.cybernews.net>...
> No, its an HP Pavilion (and its been nothing but trouble!).
>
> --
>
>
> *****
> To help prevent spam, my address is foobared. To reply, remove "nospam"
> from the domain name.
>
>
> Ramjet wrote in message <6eechf$rh9@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
> >You must have a Compaq Computer... you need to change some stuff, E-mail
> >and I'll see if I can help.
>
>
>
>

1852. Re: Interference from computer hard drive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hh357@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315031501.WAA28346@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167096

In article <350AF862.FF51CBDA@albany.net>, jnooney@albany.net writes:

>
>I recently installed a new hard drive in my computer. It works great but
>the problem is that since it's installation it locks up my scanner on
>any frequency in the 46MHz range. It also interferes with my fire
>monitor and pager (46.50). The interference is so bad that the monitor
>won't even trip when our FD's tones transmitted if the computer is on.
>This happens anywhere in the house so moving the computer or my radios
>is useless. I have tried using a choke on the power lines to my radios
>but that didn't work. Any suggestions?

Ferrite cores need to be at the source of the noise (your computer), not the receiver. What you are tryimg to do is cut down the length of the transmitting antenna. It's realy hard to believe your problem, but try small snap-on cores to the disk power cable. Also one directly at the rear of the keybaoard, one on the video cable, and one on both ends of your printer cable. Make sure all your grounds are good.

Good luck,
H Higgins

1853. Re: John Mackey SUXXXXX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315040101.XAA05990@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167097

You are wrong because Mr. Mackey has devoted his adult life to public service thru the hobby of scanning and Ham Radio.
It is Bill Cheek the scanner God who should not be trusted.
Hamboner

1854. Frequency Modifications or New Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: vchernyy@erols.com
Message-ID: <350b53ae.1212278@news.erols.com>
Source record: 167098

Hello, I currently own a used Uniden Bearcat BC700A, whose
date of manufacture was OGID or July 1994? The problem I am having is
that it will not scan certain frequencies, mainly the following,
30-120Mhz, 512-800Mhz, and 820-850Mhz. I was wondering if anyone knows
of a modification that I can preform to solve this problem and enable
these frequencies, or might be selling a scanner that goes from
20-950mhz (or something in that area) for relativley cheap? Please
contact me with any information at vchernyy@erols.com. Thank you in
advance.

-Nico

1855. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315040500.XAA06632@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167099

Speaking of sucks.
The God of scanning likes to hear himself proclaim at every chance he gets.
Not everyone sucks.
Guys like Bill seem to make the NG SUCK.
Hamboner

1856. New Scanner Store

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhouse007@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315041900.XAA09859@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167100

Scanner Outlet
410 S Norfolk St
San Mateo Ca, 94401
1-650 -344- 5012

1857. EDACS scanner YET???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: *test@tester.com*
Message-ID: <6efl0f$d9n@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 167101

is there such a beast?

1858. Re: Newbie Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey700@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315042200.XAA09635@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167102

My cousin John would help the guy and wouldn't try to sell him a book or a free beta test.
Jerry

1859. Re: Bearcat SC-150 Question??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: powerpony@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <350b5ed4.89509094@news.flash.net>
Source record: 167103

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 02:09:04 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
wrote:

>tury8@webtv.net wrote:
>
>> Are there any mods for this radio? Thanks. tury8@webtv.net
>
>A few. Whatcha looking for?
>
Looking for anything!

powerpony@xxxhotmail.com

remove xxx to send nospam

1860. Re: Cheek, Mackey, Drew, Eric ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey700@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315042901.XAA11613@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167104

Did you know a Cheek is really a Butt in disguise.
It is true that I don't care.
Jerry

1861. Re: Line of Sight?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey700@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315043801.XAA13122@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167105

Re-word your question dude.
I think I once heard or read in an electronics class that line of sight on flat ground is about 9 miles.
Jerry

1862. Wanted! Broken scanners and 2-way radios...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark G. Taylor" <N3TEL@intrepid.net>
Message-ID: <350B5C6D.24B8F53A@intrepid.net>
Source record: 167106

I buy broken, damaged, and even totally destroyed scanners and 2-way
radios.
Nearly anything that is radio related hardware.
E-mail me for a rough estimate of what your deceased radio is worth to
me.

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Visit:
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Haven/3248/
for my PGP public key.
Or:
http://www.pgp.com/
To learn more about PGP.

1863. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey700@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315044801.XAA13887@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167107

Go write a book Bill.
A Fido God such as Bill will always Pee and beat his chest because he's the man.
I need plans for a simple 800-900 mega cycle ant.
Jerry

1864. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey700@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315045601.XAA15979@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167108

Isn't it all mostly babble coming from old Billy Boy.
God's like to see their name on NG
Jerry

1865. Re: John Mackey SUXXXXX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <351326b5.20049003@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 167109

obfd@aol.com (OBFD) wrote:

>This guy is a JERK!!! I have met him personally, and he is LOUD, ARROGANT,
>OBNOXIOUS, and can not get LAID for the life of him.
>
>Ignore ANYTHING HE SAYS, I DO!!!!!

No, you don't.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

1866. Re: OK I'll drop my zipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315051301.AAA18628@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167110

Looks like he lives in his Fido God World.
Hamboner

1867. Re: "H & S"----what does it mean?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: e10mo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315052600.AAA20609@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167111

>I've heard my local police use refer to "H & S activity". Does anyone
>know what this means? I'm sure there there are some scanner buffs
>out here who know the answer.
>
>thanks,
>
>Larry Daniels
>
>
>
>
>H+S is Californias's "health+safety"section.Covers Mental persons,
and drug violations.The H+S activity that you heard are your local
cops freferring to drug users/sales.

Hope this helps.

e10mo@aol.com
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>
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>

1868. Re: freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Asnow <asnow@excelr8.net>
Message-ID: <350B635C.2B0A053F@excelr8.net>
Source record: 167112

With WEFAX coming from a satalite I believe we should all be able to
pick up the transmission on the same freq.

The current operational NOAA polar orbiting satellites:

NOAA-12 = 137.5 MHz
NOAA-14 = 137.62 MHz

the above was taken from: http://www.syswest.com/satnews.html

http://www.amsat.org/amsat/ftpsoft.html
Has a large selection of software for tracking satalites, and decoding
the WEFAX data.

1869. Re: Reusable Alakine Batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <350e68ec.10803929@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 167113

kn6epsac@aol.com (KN6EPSac) wrote:

>Went to pick up some new AA Ni-Cds, but picked up some Rayovac Renewable
>Alkalines instead. Question: Can these be "charged" (or "renewed" whatever
>that means) while they are inside a typical handheld scanner (like a "Pro- " or
>AOR 1000) without danger of overheating or leakage?

No. You must charge those batteries individually with one of the
dedicated chargers that Ray-O-Vac sells. They work very well in
scanners and other radios that don't need high current drain
capacities. Also, they last much longer if you top them up
frequently, and don't let them run completely down before you charge
them.

I've been using Renewals for a couple of years, and I like them fine.

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glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

1870. Re: Pro-26 UK PCB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: halifax_@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <32fb9eb4.37072089@nntp.netcruiser>
Source record: 167114

On 5 Feb 1997 20:10:16 GMT, ckemp@chat.carleton.ca (Mr. C) wrote:

>In article <32f818b9.2713934@nntp.netcruiser>, tpenn@netcom.ca says...
>>
>>How much is the UK PCB replacement for the Pro-26??
>>
>> Thanxx
>>
>I asked the guys at Javiation the same question and here's what they said:
>
>To restore full coverage to the PRO-26 (so you have "normal" keypad entry
>of all frequencies 25-1300MHz) you need to replace the IC
>fitted to your model with the IC fitted to the European model. This allows
>full coverage - all other features are identical although some default step
>siuzes differ but as you can select any step size on any frequency this
>doesn't really matter.
>
>The CPU alone is 39.00 Pounds - about US$50 or $60 at the moment. The CPU is a
>100 pin (4 x 25) Surface Mount soldered CPU. I would strongly suggest that
>experience in this type of work is needed together with the correct tools.
>
>If you want to take a look at the CPU to "assess" the situation it is pretty
>easy to get to. Remove the the two visible screws on the back and two in the
>battery compartment to the allow the plastic back to be taken off. The RF
>Board will also then lift away from the logic board.
>
>The logic board has a metal RF shield over most of it retailed by several
>screws. Remove the scres and you can gently lift the shield up. It wil not
>come away as it is soldered at the top two corners. The CPU is in the
>centre of this board and labled Uniden UC1702.
>
>This is the CPU you need to remove and replace. Replacing with the UC1771
>CPU will give full 25-1300MHz coverage.
>
>The complete logic boards were 89.00 Pounds - about US$140 or so. The logic
>board
>is considerable easier to replace and has all the components including the CPU
>already fitted. Just a small number of screws need to be removed to replace
>the
>logic board.
>
>Both prices include delivery by Air Mail.
>
>We do not have the CPU in stock at the moment but do have a small number of

>logic boards in stock. Two varients of the logic board exist - some very
>early with the female socket at the lower right hand corner whilst later and
>most models have the pins on the logic board and the socket on the RF Board.
>
>
Thanks for all the detailed info.!
C-ya

1871. Re: Trunktracker - be first on the block or wait for the next generation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: halifax_@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <3321eb9d.1044552@nntp.netcruiser>
Source record: 167115

On Wed, 05 Mar 1997 21:18:15 -0800, Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net> wrote:

>Ralph Richard Cook wrote:
> >
> > I've seen the Monitoring Times article on the TrunkTrackers coming
> > out, and read some messages here about possible other radios coming
> > out later, perhaps able to handle other systems.
> >
> > I'm not a real scanner fanatic, I may be interested in one of these
> > radios, but I can wait a few months if better ones may be coming down
> > the pike.
> >
> > Anyone heard any rumors etc. about _other_ upcoming radios that may
>be
> > better than the TrunkTrackers? Would the TrunkTrackers somehow be
> > upgradeable later?
>
>If you'd rather 'upgrade' a PRO-2006 or BC760XLT then there
>will be product availble to add to those radios in the form of
>an accessory 'box' with LCD display and keypad for alpha-numeric
>data entry.
>
>This box will not tie up your Pentium to do trunking unless
>you wish to observe (or dump) trunked data to your PC screen
>via an RS-232 port for analysis and logging rather than store
>it in the 'boxes' memory and review it on the LCD display.
>
>One of the modes the 'box' will allow is a combination of
>normal scanning and 'trunking' combined, sort of like check the
>trunking control channel periodically (like a priority scan) and
>then run through the normal bank of channels in memory. Useful in
>cites like Omaha Nebraska which only had one municipal trunking
>system last time I checked.
>
>We're also working on the other 'trunking' formats and also PL
>tone decode and DTMF decode in the same box. A Morse read feature
>has only been talked about so far ...
>
>I would list an URL but we're in the process of upgrading the
>site with new images of product and so on ...
>
>To the critics (arron5 et al) I make mention of this for several
>reasons not the least of which I don't want to be accused by Uniden
>of 'reverse engineering' their product and then copying their product

>with minor software changes.
>
>Jim
This sounds great!!
When can we expect to see them ??

1872. Pro 64 mod possible? maybe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Just Me <i@like.racing>
Message-ID: <01bd4fdc$674de700$a20fa2d1@robb>
Source record: 167116

I recently saw a suggestion on a news group that the reason RS was blowin out the Pro-64 was because it maybe modifiable. Does anyone know if there is any truth to this. Boy that would be great. If not does anyone know exactly why they are doing it?

rbarrett@thegrid.net

Just me

1873. For Sale pro 39 Handheld full 800mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eftv6$g5s@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 167117

selling a pro 39 scanner like new full 800 mhz no gap's
200 ch hyperscan great cond like a pro 43 in looks...
comes with manual,ant shipped us mail priorty 175.00
email me thanks

1874. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoThankYouSpammers@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <#7MsMH#T9GA.233@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 167118

In article <35079e6f.1038603@news>, efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu (Eric F. Richards) wrote:
>dac_nospam@compuserve.com (Don Curtis) wrote:
>
>> In article <19980306004400.TAA14111@ladder02.news.aol.com>,
> jvillafane@aol.com (JVillafane) wrote:
>> >the only law broken here was nothing got done about the conversation that
> newt
>> >gingrich was talking about he bitch and moam an got this new law pass. but
> if
>> >that was a police officer
>> >that heard a conversation about illigal activity they would find that person
>> >and arrest him or her under the saying conspiracy to comit a crime and aint
>> >that the truth and nothing but the truth.
>> >
>> >
>> NO...it's not the truth. Cops can't just listen...they need a court order.
>>
>> Don
>
>Don,
>
>Can you cite a single instance where such a court order has been
>denied?
>
>Eric

Eric,
One other thing I forgot to mention in my reply to you....

Do you really think cops have nothing better to do than sit and listen to a scanner set to cell frequencies and hope they hear something valuable and then try to figure out who said it...and what to do about it?

Nope...if they do get a court order, they go to the cell phone provider and set up to record conversations to/from the cell phone of interest only. And only for a few days (the life of the court order...typically 3 days).

Don

1875. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Buster Cherry <bch435@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <350B91BC.769E@mindspring.com>
Source record: 167119
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Knopp wrote:
>
> In article <350A24DE.B5A0BC98@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:
>
> > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > >
> > > In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> > > >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
> > > >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
> > > >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
> > > >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.
> > >
> > > If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
> > > same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
> > > (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> > > voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> > > rooted problem.
> > >
> > > Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
> > > that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
> > >
> > Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
> > you nuts? Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as
>
> No...using your RADIO to listen to communications that are meant to be
> heard by third parties isn't a equal comparison to looking into other
> people's windows. Using a illegal modified scanner in order to eavesdrop
> on conversations you aren't supposed to be hearing...IS though.

You are incorrect. When a corded telephone is employed in communication with another, the hardline used to establish and maintain the connection between you and the second party is yours by ownership. It is a closed circuit on which a hardware wire tap would be required to eavesdrop, and such a device of course would constitute an invasion of privacy. In the case of cordless or cellular telephones, private circuits are not used to establish and hold the connections. The public airwaves are utilized and it becomes the sole responsibility of the user to guarantee his own privacy. The airwaves are a public trust upon which licenses for usage but not ownership are provided by the FCC. Bearing this in mind, radio frequencies and the communications propagated by them are not and cannot be private. They become public domain and interception is lawful.

Your nonsensical analogy simply doesn't fly. Peering through someone's window involves you invading someone's personal domain in a physical

sense. That is illegal without permission from the owner of the domain. Listening to a cellular or cordless telephone conversation on the other hand involves the interception of signals which pass through your own domain. They are in effect given to you, as no effort is made to prevent them from entering the space which belongs to you. Additionally considering the fact that the medium of transmission is one of public ownership, you cannot require that receivers or their owners be prohibited from intercepting them. Metaphorically this would be no different than demanding that pedestrians walking down the street not hear what you and a friend discuss as you stand on the sidewalk. If you require privacy, either speak in tongues or find a vacant alley.

Encryption is the answer to the cellular and cordless phone privacy issue. By use of scrambling, the public's right to intercept the signal themselves will not be violated. The parties involved in the communication are satisfied because their transmissions are rendered unintelligible to potential listeners. The only reason that scanner manufacturers are presently forced to block these frequencies is because a wealthy and influential cellular industry has seen fit to push such regulations into congress. Less money is spent nudging a bill into law than through upgrading millions of cellular telephones, towers and equipment installations.

> > long as we did not repeat it. It is time to go back to that. This
>
> You can listen to whatever is on your radio. Things change though when you
> make attempts to illegally intercept things that wasn't meant for your
> ears. It's called an "invasion of privacy".

As made clear above, this excuse simply isn't logical. While I may not intend that the public to know there is $500,000 dollars in a suitcase buried in my back yard, I cannot argue that my privacy on that issue has been violated when I state the fact in a public newsgroup. The government cannot post top secret documents on every corkboard in public libraries across America and then demand that inquisitive citizens not look at them. As such, you cannot propagate your private conversations through a public medium and insist that members of the public not listen to them.

> > doesn't get the Democratic scum of the hook, however, since they
> > recorded and leaked a cell phone call to the media. This was illegal all
> > along.
>
> Yeah...maybe we can hook a wire to your phone lines....as "long as I
> don't repeat it"?

If you physically attached a hardware wire tap to his telephone line, which is his property, then you would be committing a crime. What does this have to do with your castigating cellular/cordless interception?

I find it laughable that simple common sense is apparently above your level of coherence. This isn't a moral issue, my friend. The matter

at hand deals with personal communications being conducted in a way that renders them public -- by BROADCASTING them. You are correct in that the communications are private. But exposure of private things makes them public, and you cannot change that.

1876. 120xlt mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Itchins <esc@trump.net.au>
Message-ID: <350BAA5B.49F5@trump.net.au>
Source record: 167120

I have just purchased a Uniden Bearcat 120XLT scanner and I would like to know how to modify it to receive the 800 mhz band.

1877. Re: Pro-2026 (need manual)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <350bb045.10003545@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 167121

On 14 Mar 1998 22:51:20 GMT, tramd300@aol.com (TRAMD300) wrote:

>Looking for an owner/operator manual for this unit.
>Does anyone have an extra one or can send me a copy?
>Thanks in advance...

The manual can still be ordered through Radio Shack.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

1878. UBC3000 Discriminator Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matthew Bonser <mb@dove.mtx.net.au>
Message-ID: <01bd5000$f342b820$231e0fcb@mtx.net.au.dove.net.au>
Source record: 167122
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone have information on where to tap the Discriminator on the
Uniden UBC 3000 Handheld scanner??

Any help appreciated

Cheers.

Matt

P.S. Private email returns are fine.

1879. Re Newton Gangreenich(author of facism now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: DortorsAreGreedyBastards@NoInsurance.net
Message-ID: <350bb5ad.5283318@news1.lig.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 167123

Hi this Bob Barker just friendly reminding all of you to not forget to have you Republican fascist spade or neutered. Heavens now as hell bent on (procreating) these ass hole holy rollers are we (USA the part that's still Free) do not need them duplicating themselves anymore than they already have.

1880. Re: Interference from computer hard drive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: DortorsAreGreedyBastards@NoInsurance.net
Message-ID: <350cb82c.5921847@news1.lig.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 167124

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 16:36:34 -0500, jnooney@albany.net wrote:

>I recently installed a new hard drive in my computer. It works great but
>the problem is that since it's installation it locks up my scanner on
>any frequency in the 46MHz range. It also interferes with my fire
>monitor and pager (46.50). The interference is so bad that the monitor
>won't even trip when our FD's tones transmitted if the computer is on.
>This happens anywhere in the house so moving the computer or my radios
>is useless. I have tried using a choke on the power lines to my radios
>but that didn't work. Any suggestions?
>
>Joe
Same shit happens to my 235 trunk tracker when I bought a new mmx
system with monitor. Ii my monitor that if its on , usually doing
boring old work, I sometimes just like to see what's going on in the
neighbor hood 46-49mhz if ya now what I mean. Any other freq range no
problem. Old 230xlt did not have this problem. Hey I love this radio
for its the most useful scanner to be produce since the local blue
meanies switched to our tax sucking 50.000.000 $ 800 trunked system in
1988-89. Now I know everything their up to and the crooks too. This
is what the founding fathers wanted the people to know and what the
government does not know about our personal life won't hurt them in
the slightest. Nuff said whew!!!

1881. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315114001.GAA16260@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167125

>Subject: Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts
>From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
>Date: Sat, Mar 14, 1998 23:39 EST
>Message-id: <350B5B69.6141@usa.net>
>
>Have you ever heard of "freedom of speech"?

So what?I still don't see what the problem is.

>
>G.R. Triever wrote:
>> So what's the problem?
>
>

1882. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315114101.GAA17085@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167126

>Subject: Re: STOP IT N O W
>From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
>Date: Sat, Mar 14, 1998 23:26 EST
>Message-id: <350B5717.3168@usa.net>
>
>WELL SAID!!
>
>I have tried to tell this to the trouble makers with NO
>result of ending. How sad!

You filthy hypocrite.

1883. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315114501.GAA16423@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167127

>Subject: Re: STOP IT N O W
>From: *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
>Date: Sat, Mar 14, 1998 23:30 EST
>Message-id: <350B596F.7F03@usa.net>
>
. YOU
>TOTALLY side-stepped the question, as you have done
>for the last TWO years!

You are a filthy hypocrite. YOU have never contributed a single, cogent on-topic response in that same time. You have posted thousands of messages and how that ridiculous barrage of tripe have never even mentioned the word "scanner." Your biggest single contribution was to amend someone's misspelling of "trunk tracker" or some such thing. You are a liar of the worst sort.

1884. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315114801.GAA17346@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167128

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><jmackey@usa.net>
>Date: Sat, Mar 14, 1998 22:49 EST
>Message-id: <350B4FAD.7712@usa.net>
>
>Funny, YOU are the one who NEVER posts on-topic messages
>& can NEVER take part in technical. Rather, you can only
>make your little stories up on occasion!
>
>
If he has posted one literate, on-topic post about scanning then his
contribution far, far outnumbers yours, you lowlife, lying dog.
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1885. Re: Pro 64 mod possible? maybe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315123401.HAA18763@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167129

Radio shack is blowing the 64's out because they never sold. Take a good look at the radio-it dosen't have the features a $300.00 would normally have, ie "hold" mode during a search. RS gets around this by giving you 40 monitor memories, but somewhat goofy to use during a search. I used to work for the Shack, and we were never able to sell one-I think in part mainly because our customers tended to be older citizens who were still using crystal scanners, and second because the styling wasn't traditional. A good radio, find mine is plent sensitive for the monitoring I do.
Sigintman

1886. Re: Old bearcat scanner repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Alan, VE3NNM" <nomail@nosite.com>
Message-ID: <6egj56$er7$1@newsbell.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 167130

mcneely@mcneely.physics.brandeis.edu (Matthew McNeely) wrote:
>
> I have an old bearcat 100 hand held scanner and I am trying to have it fixed or
> repair it myself I can't get the scematics from uniden they also don't repair
> them and I have tried sams they don't cover this model. I read a while back
> that electra was back around and repairing the old units does anyone know if
> that is true? or where one could get this old unit repaired or the scematics
> for it??
> Any info would be helpfull.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Matt
>
You might want to read the Bearcat Repair FAQ at:

http://www.paranoia.com/~filipg/HTML/REPAIR/F_BearcatRepair.html

1887. great scanner info at: http://www.webzone.net/wiseguy/scanlist.htm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiseguy@mindless.com
Message-ID: <350bad3a.36421013@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 167131

Check out:

http://www.webzone.net/wiseguy/scanlist.htm

for freq's for OK, and MO
Bearcat MODs
Phone Evesdropping tips

1888. Clinton's visit to S.Africa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: keen.in.SA
Message-ID: <350bd18b.700331@news.pix.za>
Source record: 167132
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Clinton is to visit Mandela and friends here in S.Africa in the near future. A Galaxy (I think!) arrived a few days ago with the communications equipment.

Where do we start looking for the frequenies both in the air and on the ground?
Will Air Force 1 use normal Atlantic routings and frequencies? Will it fly direct from the States or via Europe or Central or Southern America?

Thanks for any help and pointers.

1889. Re: mobile phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: highpkts@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315132501.IAA22362@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 167133

to all: lets get one thing settled.....it is NOT illegal to listen to ANYTHING that your scanner picks up(even mobile/cellular phone conversations).Radio waves are not and CAN NOT be controlled (not yet anyway!)My RS2022 was modified BEFORE the law in '94 ? went into effect. So its "talkers" remorse,as far as I'm concerned! If you dont want your words airborn---then use a land line.Our parents & grandparents never complained,now did they!A sneaky neighbor once spotted my dipole,pimped on me to the police & THEY told her the afor-mentioned----so there! ;)
personally,we stopped using a cordless phone years ago. THINK before you dial,baby!

1890. Re: Clinton's visit to S.Africa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gelmor Yestigh <remtox@promal.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5016$e8116a80$4d9192ce@default>
Source record: 167134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

keen.in.SA wrote in article <350bd18b.700331@news.pix.za>...

> Where do we start looking for the frequenies both in the air and on
> the ground?

In the air you will need freqhawks and on the ground you will need hertzhounds. You begin looking in the area of anticipated density saturation.

1891. Buying a Used Scanner Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6eglr7$68p@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
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BUYING A USED SCANNER RADIO

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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Abstract

This article discusses the purchase of used scanner radios and includes these topics:

1. Motivation for buying a used scanner
2. A used scanner may be a broken scanner - where to get it fixed
3. Evolution of the scanner
4. Obtaining crystals
5. Keyboard programmable scanners

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises, but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

Anybody with enough money can buy a brand new scanner, but you can save lots of money if you get a good deal on a used scanner. Hamfests are probably the best place to find used radios, but you must be familiar with the equipment. Hamfests are repleat with older radios you won't see in today's catalogs.

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor receivers of various brands in my collection. I purchase most of my receivers at hamfests or horsetrade with other

radio hobbyists.

A Used Scanner May be a Broken Scanner

Getting a bargain is not without some risk. I have had sellers look me square in the eye and tell me their radio worked fine -- when it really didn't.

Buying a used portable scanner is riskier than buying a mobile or base model. Portable scanners are subject to more physical abuse and many have been dropped. If a radio has been dropped, the laws of probability dictate that the first point of impact was probably a corner, so be sure to examine each corner for evidence of trauma.

Scanners used in mobile service are subject to vibration, dust, and temperature extremes. This shouldn't dissuade you from buying a used mobile scanner, but be aware of possible complications.

You should have some recourse if the radio you buy turns out to be defective. For hints on fixing older Bearcat base scanners, see "Tips for Fixing Bearcat Scanners," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in March 1996 Monitoring Times magazine.

If you can't fix the radio yourself, you can pay to have the manufacturer or a service clinic repair it for you. Radio Shack repairs scanners, and Uniden can repair newer Bearcat models but often refuses to service older models, claiming they are "unrepairable" and carving the letter "U" on the cabinet.

G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts and crystals for several older models. They usually don't repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation, (317)326-4419, is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 251 N. 300 W. Greenfield, IN 46140-8496.

Evolution of the Scanner

It helps to understand some scanner history before shopping for a used scanner. You will likely see radios from many vintages at a hamfest, and should avoid buying early units unless you are a scanner collector.

One of the earliest ancestors to the scanner was the converter. Manufactured by Tompkins (Tuneaverter), Petersen, Bearcat (Lil Tiger), Midland, and others, converters were made to operate in conjunction with AM radios. Then came wide band monitor receivers, in both tunable and crystal control models, like the Radio Shack PRO-2B. Truthfully, converters and tuneable FM receivers are interesting but don't work well by today's standards.

While tuneable receivers were in vogue, solid state technologies supplanted tubes. Better performing, narrow band crystal controlled units, like the Sonar FR-105, followed. These units did not scan, rather channel selection was accomplished using a simple rotary switch. Sonar even made a 24 channel unit, model FR-2513, in which crystals were held in a rotary "turret."

The earliest scanners, like the 1968 vintage Bearcat BCH, BCL, and BCU models, did not provide individual channel lockout capability. Electra didn't use the term "scanner" and instead called these innovative radios "business receivers." Other models, like the SBE Sentinel, employed a "Channel 1 Bypass" switch so a user could lockout channel 1.

The first scanners came in single band models, followed by multiband models. As two-way radio users started to populate the 450 - 470 MHz band, consumers were forced to pay a premium for UHF scanner coverage. Some multiband scanners, like the Electra's Bearcat III, required an optional circuit board for each band.

There were scanner mutations, designs which never evolved -- odd combinations of AM broadcast receivers with VHF-FM receive capability, like the flamboyant turquoise Sonar Sentry FR-103 portables, Electra's Jolly Roger, and GE's Surveyor series (see US patent 4,011,515, granted 3/8/77). Lafayette Radio Electronics offered a few CB transceivers with VHF receiver capability. These poor performers didn't interest consumers of that era and you should avoid these models unless you are a scanner collector.

The first programmable (crystal-less) scanners were difficult to program. Users had to look up frequencies in a code book and tediously program the information into the scanner in binary form. Some models, like the Tennelec MCP-1 (see US patent 3,961,261, granted 6/1/76), Bearcat BC-101 (see US patent 4,179,662, granted 8/4/78), and Radio Shack COMP 100, resembled Altair or PDP-8 computers, with a row of 16 or so toggle switches. Instead of toggle switches, the Regency WHAMO-10 was programmed by breaking teeth from metal combs. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. The GRE-manufactured SBE Optiscan (and its Sears clone) required poking or covering a series of holes in

plastic cards which were then inserted into a slot on the front panel.

Keyboard Programmable Scanners

Both Bearcat and Regency, as well as Radio Shack offer some good models. I would avoid the Bearcat 100, and older scanners made by AOR, JIL, Fox, Tennelec, and Robyn.

Scanner features often differ not only by model but by manufacturer. For instance, most Radio Shack and Bearcat programmables allow enable/disable of the delay function on a per-channel basis. Older Regency units permit the delay to be enabled/disabled only globally, that is, for all the channels at one time.

All the older Radio Shack scanners were made by General Research Electronics (GRE). Uniden began making scanner models for Radio Shack in the late 1980s, and now supplies about half the Radio Shack scanners. The older GRE-made models scan a bit slowly and have a higher level of synthesizer noise. Most have too much hysteresis in the operation of the squelch control, but this can be fixed completely by replacing one resistor. Good, detailed shop manuals are available for Radio Shack units for $5 - $12.

In the name of cost cutting, some models have done away with the concept of a "channel bank", i.e. the ability to select/deselect a group of channels at a time. The bank concept was a good one. It may be inconvenient to operate a 30 channel scanner without banks (e.g. Regency MX3000, HX1000) if you operate the way many scanner hobbyists do.

If you want to buy an American-made scanner, you will have to buy an old model. Until the mid 1980s, rivals Regency and Electra (Bearcat) built most of the scanners in their Indiana and Puerto Rican factories. Uniden, a large Japanese electronics company, purchased the scanner product lines of both competitors and moved production to Asia.

My favorite VHF/UHF receivers are the the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2005 and PRO-2006, and the ICOM R7000, R7100, and R8500. The ICOM models are more "communications receiver" than a conventional scanner.

For portable use, I prefer Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT and older Radio Shack PRO-43.

Obtaining Crystals

If you do purchase a crystal controlled scanner or monitor receiver, you will probably want to buy more crystals to

cover local frequencies.

Scanner crystals may be ordered from your local Radio Shack store or from one of the companies below. Be sure to specify the operating frequency you want and the brand and model of scanner.

Some companies may ask you to send a schematic of the scanner or require more detailed information, like series or parallel resonance, load capacitance, etc.

Electra Corporation stocks crystals for the Bearcat scanners:

Electra Corporation
11915 E. Washington St.
Cumberland, IN 46229
Phone 317-894-3229

Crystals for Bearcat and other models are available from:

American Crystal Co.
1623 Central Ave.
Kansas City, KS 66102
tel. 913-342-5493

Bomar Crystal Company
201 Blackford Ave.
Middlesex, NJ 08846
tel. 908-356-7787

Cal Crystal Lab Inc.
1142 N. Gilbert St.
Anaheim, CA 92801
tel. 714-991-1580

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

G & G Communications
9247 Glenwood Drive
LeRoy, NY 14482.
tel. 716-768-8151

Jan Crystals
Box #-6017
Fort Myers, FL 33911
tel. 813-936-2397

Monitor Crystal Svc
124 W Walnut St Watseka, IL 60970
tel. 815-432-5296

Short product summaries for over 70 scanner models appear in
a separate article, entitled "Scanner Radio Review Briefs."
For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, May 1995.

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REPAIR TIPS: BEARCAT SCANNER RADIOS

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Introduction

The original Bearcat scanner line was manufactured by
Electra Company, a division of Masco Corp of Indiana. In
the mid 1980s, Uniden, a Japanese company, bought out the
Bearcat scanner line and Uniden's first Bearcat scanner was
the BC800XLT model.

Most of the models discussed in this article are
base/mobile units made by Electra during the 1970s and
1980s although some of the capacitor failures occur in the
Uniden BC800XLT, too.

Electra stamped all of its scanners with a manufacturing
date code on the rear of the cabinet. The code is comprised
of a single character (C = Cumberland, Indiana, P = Puerto
Rico), followed by four digits denoting year and week the
radio was built. For example, "P8422" denotes the radio was
made in the Puerto Rico factory during the 22nd week of
1984.

One way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine the
4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most

recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 11915 E. Washington St., Cumberland, IN 46229. Phone 317-894-3229.

To order a user manual for an Electra/Bearcat scanner from Uniden, call (800)235-3874 extension 2553.

Some schematic diagrams may be obtained from Uniden/Bearcat's parts department, (800)297-1023. Uniden currently charges a flat rate of $54 for scanner repairs. They will repair and return "out of warranty" items without an estimate unless the repair charges exceed the flat rate charges.

The phone number for repair is (800)297-1023, too. I recommend you call repair before sending the broken scanner. Items for repair via UPS (include receipt if still under warranty) are usually sent to:

Uniden America Corp.
4700 Amon Carter Blvd.
P.O. Box 95002
Fort Worth, TX 76155

If Uniden doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

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Common Construction

Most of the classic, metal-cased Bearcat base/mobile models were built using two printed circuit boards:

1. a "radio board" containing the synthesizer, RF, IF, and audio stages, and
2. a "feature board" containing the microprocessor controller and memory circuitry which gave each model its own personality.

Although there are various vintage radios boards, they all have similar circuitry.

Bad Solder Joints Common

Before addressing specific symptoms, circuit boards in the malfunctioning scanner should be inspected for poor solder joints.

The Electra/Bearcat BC350, BC300, BC250, BC220, BC20/20, BC211, BC210, and BC210XL models were hand assembled, and every one I've serviced had several connections that were either soldered poorly, or not soldered at all.

Resoldering joints on the ribbon cable connecting the RF and keyboard logic circuit boards in a BC250 attenuated the microprocessor/synthesizer hash noise noticeably.

A Bearcat 20/20 was experiencing periodic loss of memory on some, but not all channels. When the problem occurred, the frequencies on some channels would be completely changed. On other channels, the frequency would still be intact, but the channel would be locked out, and the delay toggled from "on" to "off". Some channels were not affected.

The 2 "AA" memory backup batteries, and their holder, tested good. Much time was spent tracing logic, heating and cooling components, and making voltage measurements.

One of the secondary leads from the power transformer was connected to the main circuit board through a hole drilled through foil traces on both the top and bottom sides of the board. A close examination revealed that this lead had been soldered only on the top of the board - the bottom side had never been soldered.

Soldering the lead on both sides of the board solved the memory loss problem.

Symptom: Blank Display

The BC300 scanner, and several other Bearcat models, employ a switching type power supply stage to generate plus and minus voltages in excess of 20 volts DC. When this switcher fails to function, the display goes blank, but the squelch control appears to work, and white noise can be heard in the speaker.

In almost a dozen of the BC300 and BC800XLT scanners I've fixed, C98, a capacitor in series with the primary of the switching transformer failed, causing the output of the supply to drop below the level needed to power the display. The switching transformer is mounted on the RF circuit board, and is much, much smaller than the main power transformer, which is usually fastened to the metal

chassis. The 22uF/16V capacitor used for C98 in early BC300s was marginal, and was replaced with a 47uF/25V capacitor in later units.

Jim Craig replaced a 22uF/35V C98 capacitor to repair his BC210XW.

Paul Grohe replaced a failed C98 with a low ESR (equivalent series resistance), high frequency, switching regulator grade capacitor, e.g. a Panasonic HF series capacitor. He also recommends adding a 0.1 ceramic capacitor in parallel with C98.

I replaced the 22 uF capacitor in the switching power supply stage of a BC210XL which caused the same symptom. Other capacitors in the switcher stage have failed. C114, a 4.7 uF/35V tantalum capacitor failed in at least one BC250, causing the display to blank.

A more sinister problem affects the switcher in earlier models. The switching supply stage in the BC250 and original BC210 is driven by a clock signal derived from a custom Exar NC57902 divider integrated circuit (designated IC6 in the BC250 scanner). I've seen this divider IC fail in several BC250s, causing a blank display (except for a decimal point in the BC250's rightmost digit). This custom IC is no longer available from Uniden.

Failure of IC9, the 9 volt NJM78M09A regulator in a BC800XLT is another cause of a blank display.

Symptom: Invalid Frequency Displayed

A common Bearcat 250 malady is manifested by an invalid frequency displayed on the readout. This condition is temporarily "cured" by unplugging the AC line cord from the wall, then replugging it. This condition is symptomatic of a power supply problem in which Q204, a Texas Instruments TIP-29 located on the feature circuit board, fails.

A Philips ECG291 will work as a substitute for the TIP-29. Don't try a Radio Shack substitute, it hasn't worked. See Martin Toomajian's article, "Bearcat 250 Erratic Display Cure", in January 1987 Monitoring Times.

A similar problem in the Bearcat 20/20 was discussed previously in the section on bad solder joints.

Symptom: Squelch Won't Eliminate White Noise

Most Uniden/Bearcat base/mobile scanners feature an AUTO squelch position, actuated by rotating the squelch knob fully counter clockwise. The BC350 used a separate pushbutton switch for this purpose. These scanners use a

flimsy potentiometer (designated R81 in BC300s) internally mounted on the RF circuit board, to set the level of signal required to open the squelch when in the AUTO position. This pot also has an effect on the squelch action in the non-AUTO mode, and determines at which point the squelch knob must be positioned in order to silence the radio.

Although the potentiometer is adjusted at the factory, changes in component values due to aging often necessitate readjustment of this internal pot. Misadjustment of this pot has been the cause of "no squelch" complaints in two BC300s and a BC250 I fixed.

Another squelch failure is due to a blown transistor that acts as the electronic switch in the squelch circuit. I replaced this transistor in only one BC300, so I don't know if this is a common problem.

Symptom: Scanner Completely Dead

In Bearcat scanners using an internal power supply (e.g., BC350, BC250, etc.), the main power transformer is connected directly to the AC line. Since the on/off switch is on the secondary side of the transformer, current flows in the primary as long as the AC line cord is plugged into an active AC outlet. These transformers contain an internal circuit breaker, not visible without unwinding (destroying) the transformer. The internal breaker is known to fail prematurely in a batch of Bearcat power transformers.

If your scanner is completely dead, check the primary of this transformer for an open circuit condition.

Symptom: Keyboard Bounce

After much use, the Chromerics keyboards in Bearcat scanners start to wear out. The first sign of trouble is usually keyboard bounce on the most frequently used key, e.g., the MANUAL key. Replacement keyboards are usually available from UNIDEN, but replacement requires dexterity, as one must take care not to tear the flat, flexible strip connecting the keyboard to the logic board.

Symptom: Keyboard Completely Unresponsive

The keyboard matrix is "scanned" by the microprocessor. Another problem is when none of the keys seems to function; the receiver just keeps scanning in spite of key depressions. I found this condition in a BC210XL scanner owned by a heavy smoker. Perhaps nicotine smoke was to blame, as the resistance between two input port pins on the microprocessor was down to about 1000 ohms, fooling the

microprocessor into believing that a key was stuck in the "down" position. Scraping the circuit board between the two pins with an X-Acto knife fixed the problem.

Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT Portable
Loss of Audio and Dial Lamp

If you can program frequencies into your BC200XLT but there is no audio and the green backlight no longer functions, a tiny transistor may have failed.

Check for a defective PNP surface mount transistor, Q201 (2SB815B6-YDY). Q201 is used as a switch to furnish 8 VDC to several stages of the BC200XLT. Its main purpose is to switch off power hungry stages of the BC200XLT when the CPU thinks the NiCd voltage has fallen below a threshhold. That's an attempt to limit the current drain on weak NiCds to avoid permanent damage.

Q201 is located on the foil side of the "Micom" board, adjacent to the black multi-pin connector which mates the Micom and main boards together.

Q201 can be destroyed by a few different causes, primarily, by something in the scanner drawing too much current through it. In one case, capacitor C36 shorted. It's a 220 uF 10v electrolytic, located on the component side of the main board, connected from pin 8 of the audio IC (IC2 NJM386SL) to ground. Capacitor C55 shorted in another BC200XLT. In a pinch you bypass Q201 by soldering a short piece of bare wire between the collector and emitter, but you must first fix the component which caused Q201 to fail.

BC9000XLT: Loss of Sensitivity

John Ward has fixed two BC9000XLTs which suffered from "low sensitivity." He fixed the solder joint where the antenna jack connects to the circuit board. In both cases the tab from the board was on the opposite side of the jack from where the little blob of solder applied at the factory was located.

It was an intermittent problem that depended upon the position of the antenna cable - if the weight of the cable placed tension on the jack in one direction contact was made and the radio worked fine. If the cable placed tension on the jack in the opposite direction contact was lost and so was reception. The gap was barely noticeable.

Other Problems

Complaints of low audio output and occasional microphonics in three Uniden/Bearcat 800XLTs were caused by a bad 47 ufd

electrolytic capacitor in series between the external speaker jack and audio amplifier.

Andy Domonkos reports he often uses a tape recorder connected to a Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. RL-1, the carrier activated relay inside the BC890XLT wore out. Andy found the identical relay sold at Radio Shack (part #275-232) and says the BC9000XLT uses the same relay, too.

Replacement Bulbs for BC760XLT

The Uniden BC760XLT's SCAN, MAN, PRI, and HOLD buttons are illuminated by "grain of wheat" type incandescent bulbs. Gary Saffer reports that the bulbs and buttons are located on a small printed circuit board which sits behind the radio's face plate. Gary unsoldered the burned out bulbs in his radio and replaced them with 12 volt Radio Shack bulbs (#272-1092c). They should last a long time when powered by the 8 VDC supplied by the BC760XLT.

Open Resistor in BC140

Robert Casey fixed his deaf, 16 channel Bearcat BC140 scanner. A 10 ohm resistor had opened that fed a circuit that generates 22V for the varactor diode tuner circuits. Without the 22V, there was no tuning of the local oscillator and front end, and no reception. What he did was compare voltages to a second working BC140.

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the 700 and R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz. |

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

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25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

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25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

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30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

The best source for crystals is: |

International Crystal Mfg Co. |
11 N. Lee Ave |
Oklahoma City, OK 73102 |
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426 |

You need not bother with calculating the crystal | fundamental frequency. Merely supply International with | the exact receiver model number, printed on the rear label, | and the frequency you want to monitor. They will perform | the necessary calculations. |

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760
email: weber@citizen.infi.net

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model	UHF	VHF-high	VHF-low
SM-301	X	X	X
SM-302	X	X	
SM-303	X	X	
SM-304	X	X	

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) / 10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant

max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
but views expressed in this article are his own.

This introduction is intended for people new to the
scanning hobby and is oriented to scanning in the USA.
High level overviews of the following topics are presented:

Why Scanning?
Is Scanning Legal?
What Scanner Should I Buy?
What is a CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature?
How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?
Scanner Antennas
Coaxial Cable Feedlines
Where Can I Buy A Scanner?
Modifying Your Scanner
Scanner Repair Shops
Where Can I Obtain Frequency Information?
Do Your Own Frequency Detective Work
How Can I Use Equipment to Uncover New Frequencies?
Scanner Clubs and Mailing Lists

Why Scanning?

Every day and night, scanner hobbyists are entertained by
what they overhear on their radios. Police cars, fire
engines, ambulances, airplanes, armored cars, trains,

taxis, and buses are all equipped with radios and you can listen to them. You can monitor the local sheriff and fire departments to hear about events "as they happen," before the news reporters hear about them. Hostage dramas, bank robberies, car crashes, chemical spills, neighbor and domestic disputes, tornado sightings are all fair game. In a single afternoon, you can hear a high speed police chase, Drug Enforcement agents on a sting operation, and undercover FBI agents as they stakeout a suspect.

How about listening to a presidential candidate discuss strategy with his advisor from a 415 MHz radiophone in Air Force 1, or a team of G-men protect him while transmitting in the 167 MHz range?

Baby monitor intercoms are actually transmitters and you can hear them between 49.67 and 49.99 MHz.

Stay ahead of road conditions by listening to highway road crews, snow plows, and traffic helicopter pilots. Many midwesterners monitor the state police and and county sheriff to learn of approaching tornados long before warnings are broadcast on TV and commercial radio. Take your scanner to sporting events and listen to race car drivers, football coaches, etc., in the 151, 154, and 468 MHz ranges.

Monitor the everyday hustle and bustle of businesses, from cable TV repair crews tracking down pirate descrambler boxes, to security guards at your nuclear power plant or mall security guards chasing a shoplifter.

Is Scanning Legal?

In the United States, scanning from your home or at work is perfectly legal in most situations. The Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986 made it illegal to listen to mobile phones, common carrier paging, and a few other types of communication. Public law 103-414, signed Oct. 25, 1994, amended the law (Title 18 USC, Part I, chapter 119, sections 25110 and 2511) and outlaws listening to cordless phones, too, but many scanners cover these frequencies.

It is illegal for companies to sell or import into the USA recently manufactured scanners which cover or can be easily modified to cover the cellular phone frequencies, but sales by private individuals will still be allowed.

The rules define "readily altered by the user" as "clipping the leads of, or installing, a simple component such as a diode, resistor and/or jumper wire; replacing a plug-in semiconductor chip; or programming a semiconductor chip

using special access codes or an external device, such as a personal computer."

Speaking of privacy, federal law also requires you to keep what you hear to yourself and not use the information you hear on your scanner for personal gain.

Be aware that several states have laws pertaining to scanning while in your car. Indiana restricts some portable scanners. A few states have enacted their own laws against listening to cordless phones. You can find out about these restrictions in a paperback book, Listeners Lawbook, compiled by Frank Terranella, Esq. available for $9.95 + shipping from Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902.

What Scanner Should I Buy?

Radio Shack and Uniden (maker of Bearcat, Regency, and Cobra brands) offer a wide choice of scanners. Radio Shack scanners are actually manufactured by both GRE (General Research Electronics) and by Uniden. Personally, I don't recommend Trident nor many of the AOR brand scanners, although the AR8000 and AR3000 have good reputations and the AR5000 works well.

Programmable (synthesized) units have replaced crystal controlled models as they don't require crystals and usually have a keypad that permits you to store frequencies into channels. Programmables are now so cheap it doesn't make sense to buy a crystal unit as your main scanner unless you get it for under $45 or so.

You can get a battery operated hand held scanner, a bigger "base" scanner which is powered from an AC outlet, or a mobile scanner which connects to your auto's electrical system. There are tradeoffs -- base and mobile scanners have larger displays and almost always provide more audio than portables, and some portables are more prone to interference when connected to outdoor antennas than base models. But when severe weather knocks out the power in your home, there's nothing like having a battery operated scanner to monitor the power utility and police frequencies!

Make sure your first scanner has a "search" feature, which allows it to search all the frequencies between two frequency limits of your choosing. Beware of low cost programmables which can't search. Some of the newer models, like the Uniden SportCat and Radio Shack PRO-2046, allow searching between limits, but the limits are factory programmed and cannot be altered.

Get a model which covers the 800 MHz band. Usage of the 800 - 950 MHz band is growing fast and you will miss out on the action unless your scanner covers this band.

If you're not sure whether you'll like scanning, don't want to spend much money, a 50 channel scanner will do. In general, the more channels and banks, the better.

Most of the action takes place on frequencies between 30 and 1000 MHz, so don't be misled by scanner models boasting coverage from 3 to 2000 MHz. There's currently not much to monitor in the 1000 - 2000 MHz range.

If you are interested in receiving short wave, that is, signals in the 3 - 30 MHz range, it's best to get a short wave radio specifically designed for that purpose. Although some scanners receive the short wave band, their performance in that range is often second rate. The $2000 Icom R8500 and AOR AR5000 models are exceptions.

Deluxe scanners can be controlled and/or downloaded by a personal computer, a feature which appeals to a small but growing number of scanner owners.

Almost all low and mid-priced scanners are prone to receiving images -- receiving the same signal erroneously on two or more frequencies. With a few exceptions, images are unwelcome due to the interference they cause, e.g., hearing aircraft transmissions while the scanner is tuned to the local police frequency. Premium quality scanners use "up conversion" circuitry, a scheme which greatly reduces, but does not eliminate, image reception.

Currently, the more popular scanners include the discontinued Radio Shack PRO-2006 base/mobiles, the Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT (a/k/a BC205XLT), BC220XLT, BC230XLT, and Radio Shack PRO-43 and PRO-60 portables. A number of owners report problems with the Icom R1 portable and the older Uniden/Bearcat 8500XLT base and 2500XLT portable. The Uniden BC9000XLT base and BC3000XLT portable work very well and are my current favorites.

Looking for value? At $180 discount price, the 100 channel Uniden/Bearcat BC860XLT base is a good value and available at most Wal-Mart stores. The RELM HS200 portable performs very well is an excellent value at its $250 street price.

Considered by many as the best scanner ever made, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2006 was replaced by the 1000 channel PRO-2035, which was replaced by the PRO-2042. The portable Radio Shack PRO-64 and PRO-60 are good performers. All five models employ up conversion and are made for Radio Shack by GRE (General Research Electronics).

CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature

Upscale scanners can be optioned with a subaudible tone decoding squelch circuit. There are two types: CTCSS (Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System) and DCS (Digital Coded Squelch). In simple terms, this feature lets your scanner ignore signals you don't want to hear.

Most land mobile two way radios, except trunked systems, transmit either CTCSS or DCS signals subaudibly along with the voice information. U.S. military field radios employ wider deviation and a 150 Hz CTCSS tone, not supported by most scanners or CTCSS decoders.

There are over 40 different CTCSS codes and you can program a specific CTCSS or DCS code into each memory channel. Using a CTCSS or DCS decoder permits your scanner to open the squelch only if the transmission has a code which matches the code you program.

CTCSS and DCS decoding offers several advantages:

1. Ignore unwanted signals on shared frequencies: It is common for several users to share the same frequency, e.g., my county sheriff uses the same frequency as Chicago Police, located about 60 miles away. I want to hear my sheriff's transmissions but don't want the scanner to stop on or listen to Chicago Police transmissions. This is especially a problem when radio propagation is good, e.g., during a "band opening," when reception range is temporarily increased.

2. Combat intermodulation interference: Helps keep out intermod and image interference from strong pagers and other signals which are not transmitted with a matching code.

3. Ignore scrambled transmissions: Many federal law enforcement agencies (FBI, Secret Service, etc) and some local police agencies employ digital voice scrambling, which sounds like white noise and is annoying to hear. The CTCSS or DCS code is sent only when the station is transmitting unscrambled, or "in the clear." You can program federal frequencies along with the proper code into your decoder-equipped scanner so you won't have to listen to the scrambled mess and only hear their transmissions when they are unscrambled.

CTCSS also goes by various tradenames: Motorola's PL (Private Line), GE's Channel Guard, and RCA's Quiet Channel. Motorola uses the tradename DPL (Digital Private Line) for its digital coded squelch.

How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?

There are a few ways to determine the CTCSS or DCS code transmitted by a station:

1. Use an outboard CTCSS/DCS reader which must be attached to the discriminator output circuitry inside the scanner. The reader has an LCD or LED display which indicates the code when a station transmits. I use a CSI model CD-1 Communications Decoder Unit, an an excellent reader which sells new for about $200. (Connect Systems Inc., Ventura, CA, 800-545-1349, www.connectsystems.com).
2. Many of the ScannerMaster guides, as well as scanner club newsletters, print the CTCSS codes used by transmitting stations.
3. On some scanners equipped with the CTCSS squelch, you can program into memory the frequency of interest. Then you "tune" slowly through all the different CTCSS and/or DCS codes until the squelch opens and you hear the dispatcher talking. This is a slow process and the station has to keep transmitting during it.
4. A slow, brute force method is to program the same frequency but a different CTCSS code into several channels and see where your scanner stops.
5. In some cases, I've actually examined the walkie-talkies I want to monitor and found the CTCSS code printed on a label on or inside the radio.

Scanner Antennas

All scanners come with a built in antenna, permitting reception up to about 20 miles or so.

Portable scanners are supplied with a helical (spring shaped) antenna, covered by rubber. The rubberized antennas furnished with current models are too stiff and place stress on the antenna jack. Older scanners to be supplied with more flexible antennas. I prefer these alternative antennas for use with portable scanners:

1. The Icom FA-1433B dual band flex antenna, a thin and very flexible rubber antenna, is slightly longer than a stock heliflex but provides better performance.
2. The Austin Condor is a 12" long rubberized antenna available for about $30. While considerably longer than the stock antenna and the FA-1443B, the Condor is very flexible and provides VHF-high band reception superior to both. It is not designed to cover the VHF-low band, but will allow reception there at least as good as shorter antennas.
3. The "Thin-Stick" is an 18 inch telescoping antenna for extended range. It is made in USA by Smiley Antenna

Co., Inc. and is designed to cover both the 2 meter and 220 MHz bands, but its variable length means it can be adjusted for optimum performance on other bands. What makes the Thin-Stick different from an ordinary telescoping antenna is the spring between the antenna and the connector portions. The spring absorbs most of the impact if the antenna collides with an object. The street price is about $17 and it is available from Amateur Electronic Supply, Milwaukee and other retailers.

Outdoor antennas, like the Channel Master 5094A or Antenna Specialists AV-801 (recently discontinued), can extend reliable reception to 50 miles or more, depending on terrain. If you do use an outdoor antenna, be sure to disconnect and ground it during storms and when not in use to avoid a lightning hazard. Discone and ground plane type antennas can be more prone to cause scanner damage due to static charge buildup because they are not at "DC ground."

Coaxial Cable Feedlines

If your antenna installation requires more than 50 feet of feedline, use RG213/U or high quality RG8/U coaxial cable. RG213/U, e.g., Belden type 8267, has a non-contaminating jacket and will last longer. Each has an outer diameter of about 13/32". Similarly sized Belden 9913 cable and clones have lower attenuation but are difficult to bend, require special connectors, and can accumulate moisture inside because they are hollow.

If you must use a small diameter cable for long runs, use RG6/U. Avoid RG58/U (7/32" OD) due to its losses at high frequencies. RG8/X (1/4" OD) is suitable for short patch cords.

Where Can I Buy A Scanner?

Almost every community has at least one Radio Shack store, and you can find scanners there. Be sure it is on sale, as Radio Shack list prices are high and their scanners are offered at reduced prices by mail order discounters.

Discount chain stores like Wal-Mart, Best Buy, K-Mart, Service Merchandise, and Circuit City sell scanners, but carry just a few models. Department stores, like Sears Roebuck and Montgomery Wards, sometimes offer low end scanners, although at high prices.

The best buys on new scanners are from reputable mail order radio dealers, for example:

- Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (704)837-9200. Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155. Web page is http://www.grove.net

- National Electronics (formerly National Tower Company), PO Box 15417, Shawnee Mission, KS 66215. Telephone (800)762-5049, (913)888-8864. Web page is www.sound.net/~ne/

- The Ham Station, 220 N. Fulton Ave., Evansville, IN 47719-0522. Telephone (800)729-4373, (812)422-0231.

- Scanner World (Albany, NY). Telephone (518)436-9606.

- Amateur Electronics Supply (Milwaukee, WI). Telephone (800)558-0411. Web page is www.aesham.com

Beware of inflated "shipping and handling" charges and be sure to include these when comparison shopping.

Used scanners may be found at hamfests, flea markets, garage sales, or listed in the classified advertisement section of your newspaper.

Modifying Your Scanner

The term "mod" is often used as shorthand for "modification." If you are handy with a soldering iron, you may be interested in modifying ("modding") your scanner to add features or enhance its performance. Be warned this usually voids your warranty and current models are difficult to service due to the small, delicate surface mount components. By federal regulation, new scanner models cannot be easily modified to tune the cellular phone bands.

The term "mod" has been narrowly used by some people to mean a change which permits a scanner to receive cellular phone frequencies. This definition is far too restrictive as there are several ways one could modify a scanner, e.g., changes to improve audio quality, adding an S-meter, expanding the number of channels, changing the earphone jack to accept stereo headphones, etc.

Modification article files can be copied from several ftp | sites including the /pub/hamradio/mods directory at:

garfield.catt.ncsu.edu
oak.oakland.edu (IP address 141.210.10.117)

Modification articles posted on Usenet seem to have a life of their own. Frequently, they are plagiarized from the Internet and compiled by book, CDROM, and magazine publishers, sometimes reworded, then sold. Hobbyists then

copy the modifications from the books, CDROMs, and magazines back onto the Internet or BBSs (bulletin board systems)!

Grove Enterprises and other companies advertise a warranted, modification for fee service.

For information on "virtual downconverter" modifications, see Steve Donnell's article in January 1995 RCMA Scanner Journal or February 1996 Monitoring Times. Reprints of articles from Monitoring Times are available for $3.00 each plus a self-addressed stamped envelope from:

Grove Enterprises,
7540 Highway 64 West,
Brasstown,
NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (704)837-9200.
Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155.

I don't get any part of this reprint fee.

Scanner Repair Shops

Is your scanner broken? Aside from sending the scanner back to the manufacturer for repair, here is one company which repairs scanners:

- G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) - (www.iinc.com/ggcomm or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com) This family owned company repairs scanners and pagers and stocks parts for several older models. G & G cannot usually repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. G & G sells and sometimes buys old scanners and parts, too. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482.

Repair tips for Bearcat and Radio Shack scanners are discussed in two other FAQ articles.

Where Can I Obtain Frequency Information?

To avoid chaos, the FCC licenses two-way radio users and assigns them specific frequencies. Groups of frequencies are allocated to specific types of users, so you won't usually find fire departments using the same frequencies as taxi drivers, for example.

Scanner enthusiasts can obtain frequency information from several sources, including books, government microfiche records, or other listeners.

Books: The most convenient source of fire, police, and local government frequencies is Gene Hughes' Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional volumes by Hollins

Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and larger book stores. The newest editions contain abbreviated business listings, too, although callsigns and other details are listed only for local government and public safety licensees.

I also recommend the book, Monitor America, published by SMB Publishing (now known as Scanner Master Publishing), and available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. A 1100 page 3rd edition is now available. Monitor America contains several pages of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, federal government, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. It contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Uniden has published several regional directories using the "Betty Bearcat" name, although there are much better directories available from Scanner Master (Newton Highlands, MA, tel. (508)655-6300) for some regions.

The most readily available source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Commercial Magazines: Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times (tel. 704-837-9200, www.grove.net) and the sensationalistic Popular Communications, (tel. 516-681-2922). National Scanning (NatScan) is a national scanner magazine published bimonthly and is affiliated with Uniden's Bearcat Radio Club. Early issues disappointed experienced scanner hobbyists, but it now has a good column on scanner modifications and has greatly improved its coverage of east coast frequencies since merging with NESN (North East Scanner News). The best scanner frequency

lists are often found in club publications, not commercial magazines, and are discussed later.

The Scanner Club is the name of a bimonthly magazine published by Les Mattson. It is a successor to the Northeast Scanning News and is the official publication of The Scanner Club, a not-for-profit club organization. TSC's main strength is local frequency information, including CTCSS codes. Sample issues are $4 each. A yearly membership costs $24.95 and includes 6 issues. Write to The Scanner Club, PO Box 62, Gibbstown, NJ 08027 for more information.

Government Records: Every year, the US Government sells FCC license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS). The high cost of buying government records limits their appeal to hardcore enthusiasts. You can write for a catalog of FCC Master Frequency Database items to the NTIS, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161.

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For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

suburbs: 5 mile range (100 sq. mi. area)
rural areas: 10 or more miles (400 sq. mi. area)
dense urban area: 1 - 2 mile range

Longer ranges for additional charge - call for pricing.

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Do Your Own Frequency Detective Work

When you try listening to a frequency for the first time, you'll want to know who you're hearing.

Although FCC rules require radio systems to identify their operations with their assigned call letters either automatically or verbally, most ignore the regulation.

This often makes it difficult to know who is transmitting. Moreover, many radios are now being placed in service illegally, without first obtaining the required FCC license.

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You can examine the FCC license on premise. I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the mall security office or company guard shack. You can examine the labels on radio equipment. Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret. Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement, however.

How Can I Use Equipment
to Uncover New Frequencies?

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. A few models, like the ICOM R7000/R7100, and R1, and older Bearcat 250 and Regency K500, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

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Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

Are There Any Scanner Clubs or Mailing List?

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Peter Laws administers an electronic mail list read by over 700 hobbyists devoted to scanners and scanning. It's called "scan-l" and for more information, read:

http://www.wildstar.net/~plaws/scan/scan-l.txt

Clay Irving <clay@panix.com> administers a scanner electronic mailing list, called "scanning." To subscribe, send an Email message to: majordomo@lists.panix.com

In the body of the Email message, put: subscribe scanning

All Ohio Scanner Club

A smaller club is the All Ohio Scanner Club. Its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, is about 60 pages

long. Although concentrating on Ohio and the Northeastern states, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of good product reviews and scanning tips.

Annual dues are $18.50 and more information is available from:

Dave Marshall, Managing Editor
All Ohio Scanner Club,
50 Villa Road,
Springfield, OH 45503.

Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association

The Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA) is the foremost club for scanner radio hobbyists in the northern Illinois area. CARMA was formed from the Chicago chapter of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), and we have been meeting since the early 1980s.

Many CARMA members are active in ham radio and GMRS, but the club is devoted to scanning and scanners.

Meetings are held on Saturdays, many at area restaurants, about 6 times a year. Although lunch starts at noon, the meetings begin officially at 1 PM and often run until about 4 PM. You must purchase a lunch since we get the room for free. Meetings consist of a quick review of club business, sometimes a special presentation, and a "round table" discussion/question & answer session. Large quantities of information and frequency lists are often distributed in the form of free handouts. Members often sell radio equipment at the meetings, too.

In addition to regular meetings, there are two CARMA picnic/field days during which members meet at a park, erect antennas, eat, and operate scanners from battery power. CARMA members take organized tours of various communications facilities in the area.

Club meeting dates and times are published in the CARMA newsletter, published 6 times a year. You can obtain an electronic subscription to the CARMA Newsletter. For more info, see:

http://www.TheRamp.net/shabec/carma.htm

The club's mailing address is:

CARMA
P.O. Box 2681
Glenview, IL 60025

Some CARMA members participate on the CARMA computer bulletin board, run by Will Sperling. There is a $15 fee | for 200 hours use of the BBS. If you have a modem and terminal or computer, you can reach the CARMA BBS by calling (630)852-1292.

All meetings are held on Saturdays at locations announced in advance. Meetings are usually held at:

- the Destiny Restaurant, on Rand Road, in Des Plaines,

- Philly's in the shopping center at the corner Rt. 83 and 53rd St. in Willowbrook,

- The Great Escape, on Irving Park Road, Schiller Park

and at other restaurants.

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I am often asked, "How do you find these frequencies?"
This article answers the question in various sections:

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Books

The most convenient source of fire and police frequencies
is the Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional
volumes by Hollins Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and

larger book stores for under $13. Police Call Plus is basically a computer printout of FCC license information in the fire, police, local government, and conservation services in two lists: by licensee name within state, and by frequency. A few pages of local airport and nonsensitive federal government frequencies are included. Selected business frequencies are listed, too, but without callsigns and other details.

I highly recommend Richard Barnett's 1992 book, Monitor America, published by Scanner Master Corp. A 3rd edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. It is crammed full of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, national park, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. The information was compiled mainly from members of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now defunt. Monitor America contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call Plus, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Scanner Master also publishes regional frequency guides for Illinois, Florida, Virginia, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and other states.

Aeronautical frequencies are covered in the Aeronautical Frequency Directory, written by Bob Coburn, W1JJO. Although most of the information is about civilian aviation, Bob included sections on military mid-air refueling and CAP. The 401 page third edition is available from Official Scanner Guides (P.O. Box 525-NS, Londonderry, NH 03053). The same publisher sells the Maritime Frequency Directory and frequency guides for several New England states. Some of these books are available through Radio Shack, too.

The longstanding source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range. Since the US government no longer offers frequency information for its own stations, and has never published sensitive frequencies, most of the information in Kneitel's book has been collected from listeners over the years. It

is certainly not complete, nor 100% accurate, but is a good book for this difficult to obtain information.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

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http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm .

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Web Sites

If you have access to the World Wide Web, you can visit dozens of sites with local frequency lists. You can look up civilian aero frequencies for specific airports at: http://www.airnav.com/airports/.

Federal Radio Stations - Not Licensed by FCC

Since federal government radio stations are not licensed by the FCC, they are not listed in FCC microfiche. In 1981, a group of 60 radio hobbyists split a $1300 fee, and obtained 80 microfiche cards of 'sanitized' information about federal government radio stations under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). (See "The Government Giveth, the Government Taketh Away", by Richard Prelinger, in Monitoring Times, July 1982.)

Only 12 of the 21 information fields for each station were furnished. Fields like "Remarks", which indicate the exact usage of a channel (e.g. "Sky Marshall's Net"), and "Bureau", indicating agency subdivision (e.g. TAC within the USAF), were withheld. These 80 pages of microfiche were sold by Grove Enterprises for $25, but are no longer available from that source. Private entrepreneurs have been known to ask $125 or more for a set! In a step backward, the US Government insists it will no longer release this type of information - it is now 'classified'. (See "AFIO and the FOIA", by Bob Grove, in Monitoring Times, September 1982.)

For a reason unknown to this author, the government released a 1984 vintage set of frequencies allocated to the FAA. Perhaps this was a mistake, because the information is marked 'unclassified', but all fields are furnished, including some which indicate security related usage. Grove sold this set of 33 microfiche cards for about $13.

Two way radio equipment formerly used by the armed forces often appears for sale at hamfests. Less often, Secret Service and FBI radios appear there from time to time, too. When you see such equipment, look over the radio for a frequency label and write down the frequencies stamped on the crystals or channel elements. Make note of any service or property tags which specify the agency or military base which used the equipment.

Radio Clubs

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Since the early 1960s, I had been an amateur radio operator, and belonged to amateur radio clubs, but I never realized there were any scanner clubs! In 1983, I joined the world's largest scanner club, the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now out of business. There are several regional scanner clubs, spun off from the former RCMA, which hold regular meetings.

Another club which prints sensitive federal frequencies is the All Ohio Scanner Club. I enjoy its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, which is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of product reviews and scanning tips.

More information is available on the WWW page http://aosc.rpmdp.com and from:

All Ohio Scanner Club
50 Villa Road
Springfield, OH 45503

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Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

What Makes Station Identification Difficult?

In most instances, FCC rules require radio users to identify their operations with FCC assigned call letters. Police and fire departments, especially those with trained radio dispatchers, seem particularly conscientious about station identification. Like commercial broadcasters, many of these stations identify on the hour and the half hour.

Some repeater stations have Morse code identification circuits which transmit call letters on a periodic basis, insuring compliance with FCC rules.

On the other hand, over 75% the industrial radio stations monitored within the last year ignore the FCC regulation, making it difficult for a listener to identify a station. Some stations may operate for years using the nondescriptive "base to mobile 2" or "Joe to base" protocol. One rung up the hierarchy are stations that identify using something like "Acme base to 107", giving the listener a clue for his log. If call letters are given, they are often rendered unintelligible by operators who fail to enunciate. The failure to identify is more likely due to sloppiness, rather than any attempt to hide station identity.

While not regulated by the FCC, federal government radio stations vary in the extent to which they identify their transmissions. Some federal stations do not have call letters. A nearby paging transmitter periodically transmits a voice recording announcing, "This is the Army Joliet Ammunition Plant." What more could a listener ask for?

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy. I use two modified Radio Shack CTR-75 recorders, a discontinued model.

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the office or doing something else. When call letters are mumbled, I can play and replay the tape until I hear and understand them.

If you don't have a VOX recorder, consider a device like the NiteLogger II tape recorder controller, made by Benjamin Michael Industries. It connects simply between scanner and recorder and contains sound activation circuitry to trigger the recorder.

The following examples illustrate techniques I've used to derive new frequency information.

Examine the FCC License on Premise

I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the Bell Labs security office and the guard shack at Waste Management's Greene Valley Landfill in Naperville.

Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment

Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find Dymo or P-Touch tape labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

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- At the annual Glenview Naval Air Station open house, I examined a military manpack radio being used by dispensary paramedics. The radio's tuning dial was set at 34.15 MHz.

- The Illinois Army National Guard displayed two armored personnel carriers at the local county fair, each equipped with VHF-FM and HF-SSB transceivers.

In addition to a tuning control (VFO), the VHF-FM radio had a set of channel select pushbuttons, much like those in a car radio. I asked a guardsman a few questions about the radio, and he demonstrated the channel preset feature. A panel above the channel pushbuttons was labeled with the frequencies: 32.055, 34.45, 35.35, 40.55, and 40.60 MHz.

- An Army National Guard UH1 helicopter was displayed at the Marseilles armory "open house". The public was

permitted to climb aboard, and observe the instrumentation and radio gear. A channel plate on the instrument cluster listed over a dozen frequencies.

Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement. In New Jersey, a radio technician/hobbyist called to service a transmitter in a county building, noticed a new unattended repeater installation in the same room. Being curious about what frequency this repeater was on, he opened the access door to copy the frequencies from the radio's crystals. It turns out that this radio belonged to the US Secret Service, and opening the access door could have activated a "tamper alarm"!

The tech was skating on thin ice. He had nobody's permission to tamper with that equipment.

Another source of frequency information is as close as your nearest Radio Shack store. Some Radio Shack stores make a local frequency list available to assist their scanner customers. Be sure to ask. Stores located in shopping malls almost always know the mall security frequencies. I often check the frequencies programmed into the floor model scanners, too.

Examine the Antenna to Determine Frequency Band

You can often determine a transmitter's frequency band by the size and type of antenna used.

The Police Call Plus book contains sketches of antennas. Antenna catalogs are crammed full with antenna pictures and specifications and they are usually free. Contact Antenna Specialists (216-349-8400), Cushcraft (603-627-7877), Tessco (800-472-7373), Maxrad, Larsen Electronics (800-426-1656), and other companies in the land mobile equipment business.

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Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, another spectrum analyzer connected to a receiver IF stage, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example

While scanning the industrial frequencies in the 150 MHz range, a van driver was overheard communicating with "base" while driving around my town. The stations involved never used FCC call signs -- this would have made life a lot easier for me, and legal for them! (one may use FCC license microfiche, described earlier, to identify stations using call letters.) Transmissions were short and infrequent, so it was decided to tape record all transmissions on this frequency for several days to determine the station's identity.

During daylight hours, a modified Regency K500 scanner was left tuned to the target frequency, connected to a cheap tape recorder through a home built interface. Using a carrier operated relay, the tape interface supplied power to the recorder only during radio transmissions, so a day's worth of traffic could be compressed into a 45 minute tape.

Each day, the tape was played back and notes on names, locations, and activities mentioned during the day's transmissions were taken. The van driver appeared to be making daily stops at a local bank and two shopping malls. A Walgreen's store seemed to be the only stop at one mall. A few times, "base" ordered the van "back to the Training Center." There were frequent references to "guests checking out", "dropping a guest off", and "instructor[s] missing a class". At times, "base" spoke with "security", who must have been using a walkie-talkie as his signals weren't strong enough to hear.

Was this a hotel? Calls to the three local hotels revealed that none provides shuttle bus service to the shopping malls. A call to the Walgreen's, inquiring about bus service to the store, drew another blank. During my shopping trips, I began to pay closer attention to vans with antennas driving through the parking lots.

I was leaving the mall one day, when a week's effort paid off. A maroon and white van, equipped with a VHF-Hi

antenna, was dropping shoppers off at Walgreen's. A sign on the van's door read:

XYZ Central Training Center (XYZ is a pseudonym for the actual licensee name.)
Lisle, Illinois

I watched the driver pick up a microphone, and listened to him on my portable scanner checking back with his "base".

All the pieces fit: the "guests", the "classes", the "instructors". Mystery solved; I had been monitoring the customer training center for a large computer manufacturer. The training center has hotel rooms and dining facilities to accommodate students from out of state. As a convenience, shuttle van service is provided to local shopping malls.

Summary

Through books, government records, and radio clubs, scanner listeners can make use of frequency information compiled by others. Two-way radio users often fail to identify their transmissions properly, making it more difficult for listeners to know who they are monitoring. By examining radio equipment labeling, and monitoring and taping transmissions, scanner enthusiasts can unearth new information.

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Introduction

Radio Shack has been selling scanners and monitor receivers
under the Realistic and Radio Shack labels for over 30
years. Most of them were manufactured by General Research
Electronics of Tokyo, though many newer models are
manufactured by Uniden.

The date of manufacture is usually printed on a gummed
label on the scanner as well as the cardboard box. A code
of 12A5, means the scanner was made in the 12th month of
1975, 1985, or 1995, for example.

There's another way to date Radio Shack scanners
manufactured by Uniden. The first digit of the long serial
number is usually the last digit of the year of
manufacture.

Another way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine
the 4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most
recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

Service manuals for most Radio Shack scanners sold through mid-1997 may be ordered through your local Radio Shack store.

If Radio Shack doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

Parts lists for recent and many older models are available on line at: http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/2849.html. Parts may be ordered through Tandy National Parts, telephone (800)442-2425 or (817)870-5600, or through your local Radio Shack store

G & G Communications (telephone (716)768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts for several older models, especially Electra/Bearcat and Regency brands, but they don't sell manuals or schematics. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

GRE-Built Base Models: Dim Backlight

The backlight in many base models, including the PRO-2022, PRO-2004, and PRO-2005/6 is implemented by an electroluminescent panel, which grows dim with use.

The EL panel used in the PRO-2005 and PRO-2006 is designated EL-501, and is identified by Radio Shack part #10800050. A new EL panel can be ordered through your Tandy National parts (see above) or local Radio Shack store and sent to your home. Radio Shack no longer sells replacement EL panels for the PRO-2004.

Replacing the backlight is an operation which requires care and patience. Purchase a service manual, and study the exploded parts diagrams as you read the following steps.

Top and bottom cabinet pieces must be removed, then the speaker unplugged from the main board. The front panel assembly must be removed from the chassis by removing 4 flat head screws, 2 on each side. You need not disconnect all the wiring harnesses, though you might have to unplug one so it won't get in the way of a hot soldering iron.

Unsolder the bare ground wire soldered to a large shield on the back of the front panel, located near the back of the squelch control. Two ground braids must be temporarily disconnected by removing the screws which fasten them to the chassis. After removing the volume and squelch knobs, you must remove 8 small screws which fasten the plastic

front panel to the diplay board.

The old EL panel is fastened by a bead of glue and two foil type leads soldered to the display board. It's easier to cut the two leads from the old EL panel before unsoldering. A sharp knife should be used cut away the glue. The old EL panel can then be slid gently out from behind the LCD display.

The new EL panel can be installed by reversing the process, though I found that it is not necessary to glue the new panel. The two foil leads must be soldered using a minimum of heat. Reassemble the pieces in reverse order of disassembly.

GRE-Built Portables: Worn Out Keypads

The keypad on late model GRE-made Radio Shack portables, e.g., PRO-39 and PRO-43, can become unreliable after prolonged use. The best repair is to replace the rubber keypad instead of trying to restore contacts using chemicals. A replacement rubber keypad may be ordered inexpensively through Tandy National Parts or your local Radio Shack Store.

PRO-43: Loss of Audio

Early PRO-43s were built with a 200 mW speaker (mfr's part #EAS-3P123A). The voice coils in some of these speakers have opened, resulting in lack of audio output, though audio is still available from the earphone jack. A more capable 500 mW speaker is available through Tandy as replacement (EAS-3P127).

PRO-43: Freezup

If you attempt to lock out all 20 channels in a memory bank, then scan only that bank, your PRO-43 will freeze up and be placed into a catatonic state. Use the procedure documented in the PRO-43 user manual to fully reset the scanner. This will "break the trance," but all the memory channels will be cleared.

PRO-2004: Dead

If your PRO-2004 is completely dead, check R235, a 1 ohm, 1 watt resistor mounted vertically on the main board.

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The squelch control in some FM monitor receivers is difficult to use because of too much hysteresis. The American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language defines hysteresis as the:

o "Failure of a property changed by an external agent to return to its original value when the cause of the change is removed."

It's like having play in a car's steering wheel, or backlash in a gear set. Too much hysteresis in a squelch circuit forces one to keep the squelch at a tighter setting, missing weaker signals when scanning or searching. The squelch hysteresis problem was first addressed in a 1984 article about the Radio Shack PRO-24 crystal controlled scanner.

Why do engineers design these circuits with any hysteresis? Basically, hysteresis prevents weak signals from "popping" the squelch open and closed rapidly, which would be very annoying to the listener. A squelch circuit with hysteresis requires a stronger signal to open the squelch than it does to keep it open.

Models cursed with too much hysteresis include the Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT and 760XLT, Radio Shack PRO-2003, PRO-2004, and others. Don't despair, the fix is simple for most radios. I've successfully reduced the squelch hysteresis by replacing a single resistor.

Hysteresis is usually implemented by providing feedback from the squelch gate input to output, through a resistor. The higher the resistor value, the less feedback there is, and less hysteresis. My modification involves replacing the "stock" resistor with a higher value resistor, as identified in the table below.

This technique does not apply to some of the newer Uniden models, because the squelch hysteresis is partially determined by firmware inside the processor IC.

This article cannot provide step-by-step instructions for each radio. I always encourage radio hobbyists to purchase the service manuals for their equipment. The most useful sections of the manual are the schematics and printed circuit diagrams. Good manuals will also describe the theory of operation and alignment procedures, and contain a complete parts list.

If your radio has too much hysteresis, and is not listed in the table, study the service manual. Motorola MC3357, MC3359, and MC3361 integrated circuits, which contain IF and squelch circuitry, are popular in scanners. In these receivers, look for the hysteresis resistor to be connected to these ICs.

Notes

1. The author cannot furnish modification information for other radios.

2. Don't attempt this, or any other internal modification, unless you are skilled in electronic servicing.

3. Make sure your receiver is disconnected from any power source before opening the cabinet.

Table 1. Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers

Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers		
Receiver Model No.	Res-istor Value	Stock Comments
Radio Shack PRO-24	R35	33K replace with 220K. Located between pins 12 and 14 of MC3357 (IC1)
Radio Shack PRO-2002	R197	47K try 220K.
Radio Shack PRO-2004	R148	47K remove R148 or replace with 220K.

	On linear board,
	between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC2)
Radio Shack PRO-2006	R152 33K try 100K or higher.
Radio Shack PRO-2022	R91 33K replace 33K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	on IC-1 MC3361
Radio Shack PRO-2035	100K replace 100K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC-2)
Electra/Bearcat 220	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 20/20	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 250	R66 2.2M may be ok as is
Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT	R58 22K replace with 6.8K
	or other value.
	(select value for
	the particular radio.)
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT	R91 860K replace with 2.2M.
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Plectron P1	R81 180K may be ok as is
Plectron 700	R96 180K replace with 560K
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Abstract

This article contains product review summaries for more than 70 old and new scanner radios and monitor receivers.

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises, but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor receivers of various brands in my collection. This article describes a few of the FM receivers in my collection, and other models I've tested. It is not meant to be complete.

For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass, Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass, Monitoring Times, May 1995.

I have published full length reviews and modifications of these scanner models in Monitoring Times magazine:

Mar 1986 - Uniden/Bearcat BC800XLT
Mar 1987 - Radio Shack PRO-2004

Oct 1990 - Radio Shack PRO-2006
Jan 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-2035 vs. Radio Shack PRO-2006
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Mar 1995 - Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT
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Jul 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-2037
Aug 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT
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Oct 1996 - Radio Shack PRO-2046 mobile
Dec 1996 - AOR AR5000
Jan 1997 - ICOM R8500
Feb 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-2045
Mar 1997 - ICOM IC-R10
Apr 1997 - RELM HS-200 portable
May 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BCT7 virtual downconversion mod.
Jul 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BC235XLT portable Trunktracker
Aug 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-64 portable
Sep 1997 - Stridsberg Engineering receiver multicoupler,
G/Wiz board for EDACS trunked scanning
Oct 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-67
Nov 1997 - Sporty's JD-100 Air Scan
Dec 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BC895XLT Trunktracker |
Mar 1997 - RELM MS-200 mobile
Apr 1997 - RCA RP-6150 portable |

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AOR

AR2700: 1995 vintage. 500 channel portable covering 500 kHz to 1300 MHz. Lots of good features, e.g., 10 linkable search banks, lighted keypad, per-channel attenuator, S-meter, battery meter, optional voice recorder and speech inversion descrambler. Global rescan and pause delays, but no auto store, data skip, nor battery saver. Internally generated noise results in broad birdies on AR2700 tested. Insensitive carrier operated (vs. noise operated) squelch stays closed on signals unless they are moderately strong,

causing scanner to skip transmissions of interest. IFs are 287.55/749.25, 58.05, 10.7/0.455 MHz. See "The AOR AR-2700 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October and November 1995.

AR5000: 1996 vintage. approx. 30 kHz - 2600 MHz coverage super receiver. Good sensitivity throughout. AM, SSB, CW, FM detectors. Frequency readout to 1 Hz. More features than any other radio. DTMF reader and RS-232 interface included. Multiple settings for IF and AF selectivity, attenuator, AGC, deemphasis, etc. DB9 RS232C connector. Negatives include low contrast LCD display and difficult user interface. NFM squelch closes slowly, causing noise burst at end of each NFM transmission. Electromechanical relays click at various frequency boundaries, including 400 MHz, producing a clickety-clack noise -- annoying while scanning banks of mixed band frequencies. Great radio, otherwise. See "AOR's AR5000 All-in-One Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, December 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

ICOM

R-10: late 1996 vintage (serial number 01048 tested). Shirt pocket size multimode is powered by 4 AA penlight cells. Covers 0.5 to 1300 MHz (minus cellular). NFM, WFM, USB, LSB, AM, and CW detectors included. IF bandwidths are fixed. No 30 kHz bandwidth for satellite or FM military monitoring. Battery saver circuit, with selectable duty cycle. Single VFO and 1000 memory channels. There are 900 memory channels divided into 18 banks of 50 channels each. Another bank of 100 channels used to hold unique frequencies found during an auto store operation. 20 pairs of search limits. Up to 100 frequencies may be locked out during a search and stored in a final bank of 100 channels which is cleared before subsequent auto store searches. Each channel can be programmed with the detector mode (e.g., AM, USB), a tuning step size, an attenuator enable flag, and an 8 character label. CI-V computer interface requires extra cost hardware. 7 segment S-meter. Noise blanker. Good sensitivity. Lighted keypad and display, but keystroke sequences are cumbersome.

Good radio hardware in a handy sized package, but scanning performance unimpressive. Very slow memory scanning at only 6 channels/second. Searches at about 16 steps/second, with little or no worthwhile improvement using the "Signal Navigator" feature in the R10 I tested. Rescan delay cannot be disabled. Can only scan one memory bank or all banks, not a combination of banks. No squelch for SSB or CW modes. See "ICOM IC-R10 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring

Times, March 1997, for review which includes quantitative test results.

R-7000: 1986 vintage. At about $1000, this was once the top VHF/UHF receiver. 99 channel, multi mode coverage from 25-2000 MHz with a small gap at 1000-1025 MHz. Memory can be expanded to 198 channels by adding simple switch to pin 19 of memory IC8. Tuning knob lets you tune through parts of the spectrum much easier than using the SEARCH mode on conventional scanners. Selectable USB/LSB allows reception of new amplitude compandored sideband (ACSB) stations. S-meter doubles as discriminator meter to aid tuning. Useful search and store feature, reminiscent of the the Bearcat 250, searches between 2 limits and automatically stores new frequencies into channels 80-99. Audio and control interface for tape recorder. Noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Searches and scans slowly but can be sped up to about 12 cps by adding a resistor. Too big for permanent mobile use, but too nice to leave alone in the car. If you don't want to spend $1000, get a Radio Shack PRO-2004/5/6 instead.

R-7100: 1992 vintage. At about $1300, this is the Cadillac of VHF/UHF receivers. 900 channel, multi mode continuous coverage from 25-2000 MHz. The radio RF/IF/AF portions of the R7100 are similar to the older R7000, but the R7100 is constructed using surface mount parts. Both the R7000 and R7100 are much more immune to intermod than the Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT and the portable PRO-43. The firmware in the R7100 is much more sophisticated. 9 banks of 100 channels. Further, you can associate each channel with 1 of 10 groups. Many possible ways to scan. 10 pairs of search limits. Search and store ("memory write") scan mode lets you store 100 frequencies instead of the 20 in R7000. Another R7100 improvement is that you can program up to 100 channels for the R7100 to skip while searching. R7100 has 2 VFOs ("windows"). Both the R7000 and R7100 scan slowly compared with PRO-2004 and PRO-2006, and that's a drawback. Both the R7100 and R7000 employ a noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Scanning a mixture of VHF and UHF frequencies serenades the ICOM user with a very annoying clickety-clack, clickety-clack! For Baseband Audio out, I mounted an RCA jack on the back of the R7100A and connected it via shielded cable to the junction of resistors R228 and R230 on the Main Unit. This point is located in the vicinity of IC15 and X3 on the schematic.

R8500: 1996 vintage. 100 kHz - 2000 MHz coverage. 20 banks of 40 channels although bank sizes can be changed. 100 Auto store and 100 Skip memories but that can be increased by

reallocating channels from the conventional scan banks. Fixed and programmable step sizes. Relays clickey-clack while scanning across band boundaries. Triple conversion, First IF is 48.8, 778.7, or 266.7 MHz, depending on band. Second and third IFs are 10.7 and 0.455 MHz. Weak to moderate cellular images starting near 1106 MHz. Rugged construction. External power supply. DB25 RS232C connector. Audio peak filter. Ok scanning and great searching performance. See "ICOM R8500 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, January 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

UNIDEN/Bearcat and Electra/Bearcat

Bearcat III (Electra): 1976 vintage. 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Requires optional front-end circuit board for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands, but only 2 boards can be installed within the radio at the same time. Two crystal filters. No aircraft band coverage nor rescan delay. Front mount speaker sounds good. Strong local oscillator radiation often causes interference with other scanners in the same house.

Bearcat IV (Electra): 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Newer version of Bearcat III but contains front-end circuitry for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. Better selectivity than Bearcat III or 12 due to having three instead of two 10.8 MHz IF filters. No aircraft band coverage. Front mount speaker sounds good. No rescan delay.

Bearcat 5 (Electra): 1979 vintage. Eight channel economy base model covering VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. No track tuning. Black plastic cabinet.

Bearcat 6 (Electra): Six channel VHF-low and VHF-high bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 8 (Electra): Eight channel VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 12 (Electra): 1979 vintage. One of the last decent crystal controlled scanners. 10 channels. Variable scan speed up to 20 ch/sec. Single delay on/off switch. Front mount speaker sounds good. Manual contains schematic. Single conversion, 10.8 MHz IF. Selectivity is poorer than programmable models, like the 300, allowing adjacent channel interference. Covers VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands but no aircraft band coverage. Crystal positions must be arranged by band.

Bearcat 15 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Actually made for Electra by competitor GRE (General Research Electronics). The only Bearcat crystal controlled base/mobile scanner offering 118 - 136 MHz AM aircraft band. 10 channels.

BC101 (Electra): 1975 vintage. First Bearcat synthesized unit. 16 channels, no priority. Frequency programmed in binary by setting toggle switches on front panel after looking up code in code book. No frequency readout. Uses custom IC for CPU, now discontinued, so factory authorized service is no longer available. I have four of these units. DC operation requires optional mobile power supply.

BC100 (Electra): First programmable portable scanner. Be prepared for at least one repair in the first year. Early units, with threaded antenna connector, have high frequency of repair, particularly LCD readout, keyboard, and battery holder. No battery backup. Poor case design in early units caused battery to disconnect from radio, resetting microprocessor and clearing memories. No priority channel or aircraft band. Some people swear by the BC100, others swear at them.

BC210 (Electra): 1979 vintage. First Bearcat scanner with a keyboard and numeric display. LED readout. See US patents 4,092,594, granted 5/30/78 and 4,114,103, granted 9/12/78 for further insight.

BC220 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 20 channels. Reasonable number of features but 20 channels doesn't seem enough. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC20/20 (Electra): 1981 vintage. Similar to BC220 but with 40 channels and different CPU circuitry. A maximum of 20 channels can be scanned at one time. Reasonable number of features. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC250 (Electra): 1976 vintage. 50 channel model, rich in features, but lacks aircraft band and 144-146 MHz. Search and Store feature extremely useful for finding federal frequencies. Clock. High frequency of repair. Power transistors not heat sinked adequately, causing heat damage to surrounding components and circuit board. Failure of Q204 on the feature board known to cause odd display readings. Digital circuitry very sensitive to glitches caused by static and AC line spikes. Avoid 1978 or earlier vintage units. All BC250s use custom ICs (e.g., IC6, a divider chip, mfd. by Exar), which are now discontinued, so factory service is no longer available from Uniden.

BC260 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Super heavy duty metal cabinetry and lit controls, aimed at mobile use for firemen, police, etc. Few frills, only 16 channels, no aircraft, but generous coverage of federal bands omitted in the older Bearcat scanners. Good sensitivity. Lots of audio. Good internal construction. Backlit keyboard allows operation in the dark, but the keyboards on some units require high pressure to operate. Brightness control for display and keyboard, but multiplexor circuitry for vacuum fluorescent display produces audible whine which may be annoying in a quiet room. Backlighting may fail in some units due to poor contact on connector used to fasten light panel to front circuit board. 9 volt regulator transistor Q28 (TIP29) may fail, causing blank display while leaving audio intact. Method of connecting an external speaker is awkward.

BC300 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 50 channel top of the line scanner. Service Search feature contains 11 ROM banks of preprogrammed channels See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. Switching power supply failure noted in early units due to insufficient capacitance - component value was changed in newer units. Schematics show at least 100 components changed between earliest and later units. Preset squelch pot, mounted internally on circuit board, misadjusted in new units - adjustment usually required after burn-in period. Good sensitivity. Built in clock. I leave it on 24 hours a day. This is a favorite. See US patent 4,409,688, granted 11/11/83 for further insight.

BC350 (Electra): 1981 vintage. 50 channels in 5 banks. Includes aircraft. Used to be Bearcat's top of the line, overpriced scanner but never very popular. Dual use keyboard and display allowed 8 text characters to be associated with each channel, a feature clumsily implemented, and awkward to use. Units plagued with various hardware problems including bad memory ICs and short life power transformers. Firmware bugs without cures. The BC300 is a much better scanner than the BC350, and at a lower price.

BC760XLT (Uniden): Also sold as BC950XLT through Scanner World. Small, mobile scanner supplied with mounting bracket and wall wart AC power supply. Some of the keys are backlit. 100 channels in 5 banks. Service search. Earlier version has Motorola type antenna jack and AA battery backup. Later version has BNC antenna jack and internal lithium battery. Can be fitted with optional CTCSS decoder. Hyper sensitive and easily overloaded by strong signals, especially when used with outdoor antenna in base applications. Conventional 10.8 MHz IF prone to images. Television audio heard in some places.

BC800XLT (Uniden): 1985 vintage. 40 channels in two banks. Covers 806-912 MHz, as well as of vhf, uhf, and aircraft bands. Receives 10 meter fm and all of 6 meters, as well as federal portions of vhf and uhf bands. Fewer birdies on vhf-lo band than other scanners. Scans and searches very fast. Clean, robust audio output. Extremely sensitive, but very prone to overload by strong signals when connected to outdoor antenna. Too much play (hysteresis) in squelch adjustment - can be improved by changing one resistor. Positive terminal in memory backup battery holder installed backwards in early units, allowing memory loss when scanner unplugged from AC outlet. Tunes in increments of 12.5 KHz on 800 MHz band, whereas cellular telephones are on 30 KHz channels. See "The Bearcat 800XLT ... an Owner's Report," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1986.

BC860XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. 100 channel table top unit. Can lock out 10 channels during search. Good performer except for images. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC860XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, May 1995.

BC890XLT (Uniden): Same as Radio Shack PRO-2036. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Scans and searches fast. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IF -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod, especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

BC895XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Base with 300 channels in 10 banks. Covers military air band, but other frequency coverage is limited compared with the BC9000XLT. Predetermined AM and NFM modes not selectable. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. Weather alert siren. Built-in CTCSS decoder and tone finder. A query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Test unit scans 85 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Triple conversion, 380.8 or 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz IFs. 800 MHz images in commercial and military air bands attenuated over 35 dB. For technical test results and a review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC895XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1997.

BC9000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. High quality base using up-conversion. 500 channels in twenty banks. Up to 250 channels can be programmed with alpha labels. Tuning knob.

Selectable AM, NFM, WFM modes. Optional CTCSS decoder. Very fast scan and search. Can lock out 50 channels during search. Delay and attenuator independently programmable for each channel. Effective Auto Store feature stores unique frequencies. Good RF section, but not as robust as PRO-2004/5/6. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, 0.455 MHz. One urban user, located within a couple of blocks of several high power transmitters, reports severe desense problems. For a full review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC9000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1995. For tips and modification information, see my column in June 1996 Monitoring Times. See US patents 4,947,456, granted 8/7/90, 5,163,161, granted 11/10/92 and 5,212,817, granted 5/18/93 for further insights into fast scanning and searching implementation.

BC100XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Very good 100 channel portable with 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Generous coverage of conventional bands, including commercial aircraft, but no 800 MHz. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on 550 mAH NiCd battery pack.

BC200XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Also sold as BC205XLT through Scanner World. Very good 200 channel version of BC100XLT portable scanner but includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on NiCd battery pack.

BC220XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Very good 200 portable scanner which is a smaller successor to the BC200XLT. Includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Service Search, including WX. Up to 10 frequencies can be locked out during conventional search, 20 frequencies from Service Search. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs, with images 21.6 MHz away. 4 cell BP-120 internal NiCd battery pack. Marketed as BC230XLT with two BP-120 battery packs and CRX-120 dual charger. See "The BC220XLT/BC230XLT Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1996.

BC230XLT (Uniden): See BC220XLT.

BC235XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Portable with 300 channels in 10 banks. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. A query feature

identifies duplicate memory channels. Very fast scan and search rates. Scans 64 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Service search. Data skip. Triple conversion, 254.4, 10.85, 0.45 MHz IFs. Excellent image rejection and intermod immunity. Fairly good audio. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC235XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, July 1997 or an on-line version at | http://www.grove.net/~grove for a review which includes quantitative test results.

BC2500XLT (Uniden): 400 channel portable with tuning knob. Plagued by intermod and images. Early units drained batteries quickly even while turned off.

BC3000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Excellent 400 channel portable with 20 banks. Up conversion. Very fast scan, search, and intelligent Auto Store. Mode, attenuator, and delay settings programmable for each channel. 50 frequencies can be locked out during search. Larger speaker than PRO-26 produces better, crisper audio. NiCd pack provides about 5 hours between charges. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1995 and "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

Regency

TMR series: First generation crystal scanners. Come in all varieties of band coverage. Models with both UHF and VHF bands must use separate antennas for each band (disadvantage in mobile installations, but can be overcome by connecting two front ends via a capacitor). Not sensitive enough to cover the entire 30 - 50 MHz range in a single model. There three versions of VHF-low band coverage depending on the part of the 30 - 50 MHz band covered (LL, LM. and LH). TMR scanners use unsocketed incandescent bulbs for channel indicators which require periodic replacement. Easy to crystal: Radio Shack crystals work well. TMRs usually $2 and up at hamfests, often in poor condition. Don't pay more than $50, even if mint. Front ends must be tuned for selected portions within the bands for best sensitivity. Wide IF selectivity troublesome in urban/suburban areas. Primitive digital scanning circuitry may become confused at times. but power off/on restores sanity. Replace aging capacitors in the scanning circuits. You can find a TMR8H eight channel high band unit most often.

TME series: The base versions of the TMR models. Both the TME and TMR models share many common circuits but the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common TME model is the TME8 H/LM eight channel dual

band scanner in a metal cabinet with wood coloring.

ACTR series: Replaced the Regency TMR units. By the time Regency made the ACTR units, they no longer offered different models for different parts of the 30 - 50 MHz band. Look for the later ACT series, e.g., ACTR-106 (10 channel tri band) or ACTR20/6 (20 channel tri band), used light emitting diodes for channel indicators instead of incandescent bulbs. Available in 1 to 20 channel models - most are multi band receivers. Somewhat wide selectivity. Not all that bad a deal if cheap.

ACTE series: The base versions of the ACTR series. The ACTE and ACTR circuitry is similar, although the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common ACTE model is the ACTE8 H/L eight channel dual band scanner in a black metal cabinet.

WHAMO-10: Regency's first synthesized scanner. Appearance more like a crystal scanner, with a single LED per channel. User has to break off teeth on a metal 'comb' for each channel according to a code book. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. External frequency control unit DFS-5K optional. UHF VCO reference oscillator drifts on some units. Soldered sheet metal shields around some circuitry make access to some components difficult for servicing. Comb sockets prone to bad connections after moderate use. Not recommended due to maintenance difficulties.

K500: Nice wood-like cabinet. 40 channel model with every feature Regency could dream of in one scanner, except aircraft band. Idle tone bypass feature for mobile phone stations works about 50% of the time. Weather alert feature. Service Search in several banks. Search and Store facility not implemented as well as BC250, but better than none. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Can be programmed out of band. Reasonable performance, but sensitivity could be better. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

K100: Bare bones version of the K500. 10 channels, no priority feature. Same wood-like cabinet and reasonable performance as K500. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

M400: 30 channel replacement for K500. Service Search, but no aircraft. Easily programmable out of band. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Backlit keyboard good for night viewing and mobile use but generates RFI into nearby SW receivers. A favorite.

MX3000: 30 channel replacement for M400, but basic features only. Nice lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers. Easily programmable out of band, but no aircraft. All 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Good first scanner.

M100: 10 channel unit. Same as MX3000 except different color and fewer channels. Nicely lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers.

HX1000: Good, fairly rugged, 30 channel handheld synthesized unit. Generous out of band coverage but no AM aircraft coverage. Built by Azden. Very sensitive on UHF, but annoying audio hiss leaks through speaker when squelched. Belt clip chintzy, but can be directly replaced with better clip from Kenwood TR2600A. Like the MX3000, all 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Low discount price makes this best choice for programmable portable.

HX650/H604: 6 channel crystal portable. Likely made by Sanyo. Same as Fannon and Bearcat Thin Scan units, (except that Bearcat has 10.8 MHz IF frequency, and is harder to get crystals for), but scans faster. Small size and common crystals (available at Radio Shack), make this 1st choice for bare bones portable scanner.

Z60: base/mobile sporting 60 channels, but 10 of them are for FM broadcast only. Built in alarm clock, priority, and memory which requires no battery backup. Covers 30 - 50, 88 -108, 118-136, 144-174, 440-512 MHz. Notice that it's not spec'd to cover some important federal bands: 136 - 144 and 406 - 440.

RCA |

RP-6150: 1997 vintage. No frills, good performing portable. | 200 channels in 10 banks. No military aircraft frequency | coverage. Triple conversion and a flexible battery | arrangement. Lacks duplicate channel detection, search | skip, and empty channel lockout features of newer designs. | Our sample isn't super sensitive at 470 - 512 MHz and has | some intermod around the VHF railroad channels but is | generally more resistant to image problems than the | BC230XLT. For technical test results and a review, see "The | RCA RP-6150 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring | Times, April 1998. |

RELM

HS200: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel portable. 10 banks. Built-in CTCSS and DCS decoder. Lighted keypad. Duplicate channel detection. 100 frequencies can be locked

out from search. Very good audio and strong front end. Excellent internal shielding. Global rescan delay. Covers CB. Fixed modes and step sizes. IFs are 280.2 and 0.45 MHz, and perhaps one in between. See "The RELM HS-200 | Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

MS200: 1998 vintage. Made in USA. 200 channel mobile with | alpha labels. CTCSS and DCS decoding squelch. Programmable | via PC using supplied software. Low contrast, LCD display. | Keypad backlit for night programming. Rear panel tape audio | jack. Test unit had lots of intermod on VHF-high band. IFs | are 280 and 0.45 MHz. See "The RELM MS-200 Scanner," by Bob | Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1998, for a review | which includes quantitative test results. |

Radio Shack

PRO-2004: 1986 vintage. Top of the line, wide band scanner for 1987. After a diode is cut, enjoy continuous coverage from 25-520 and 760-1300 MHz, AM, NBFM, and WBFM. Has 300 channels in 10 banks of 30, backed up by conventional 9 volt alkaline battery. Any channel can be designated the priority channel. Scans and searches fast. Lots of well designed features, like 10 pairs of search limits, Lockout Review, default search increment and emission mode. Sound Squelch allows skipping dead carriers during search or scan. Metal cabinet, good internal construction and shielding, but no mobile mounting bracket or DC power cord. Soft touch membrane keyboard. Good sensitivity and selectivity. Very good radio. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2004 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, February 1987, and Monitoring Times, March 1987.

PRO-2005: 1989 vintage. Essentially a size reduced PRO-2004 with surface mount components and 400 channels. Some people think the small knobs, smaller display, and plastic cabinet are a setback from the 2004. The smaller size, real rubber keyboard, and vertical front panel make it easer to use mobile, although the keyboard is not backlit. More sensitive than the PRO-2004 but 800 MHz signals leak through into the commercial aero band. Highly recommended. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2005 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, June 1989, and RCMA Journal, August 1989.

PRO-2006: 1990 vintage. Essentially the same as PRO-2005 but scans faster. Probably the best scanner made to date. Highly recommended. See "The Realistic PRO-2006," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1990.

PRO-2035: 1995 vintage wide coverage base made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Poor dynamic range. 10 linkable search banks. Dumb Auto Store feature stores the same frequencies over and over. Wastes time scanning empty channels. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2035 - How Does It Compare With the PRO-2006?," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, January 1995.

PRO-2040: late 1995 vintage 100 channel base made by Uniden. Fair performance, but minimal image rejection. Local oscillator harmonics account for spurious responses, e.g., reception of cellular telephone calls in the 460 MHz UHF-high band. Scans over 40 channels/sec. Can lock out up to 50 channels from search. "Soft" on/off power switching via keypad. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2040," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1995.

PRO-2042: 1996 version of the wide coverage PRO-2035 base with improved firmware and amber display. Made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. NFM selectivity is still a problem but improved over PRO-2035. 10 linkable search banks. Smart Auto Store feature stores the unique frequencies. Can lock out up to 200 frequencies from search. Query facility indicates if and in what channel a frequency is programmed. Scan skips over empty channels automatically. Can sort memories by frequency within a given bank. IFs are 609 - 612, 58.05, and 10.7/0.455 MHz. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Overall, a top grade scanner and second only to Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2042," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1996.

PRO-2045: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel base/mobile made for Radio Shack by Uniden. Tuning/channel selector knob. 10 banks, selectable attenuator, and rescan delay. CTCSS-capable with optional board. Great Auto Store. Weather alert. Scans and searches fast. Can lock out 50 frequencies during search. Step sizes fixed but AM and NFM modes are selectable. IFs are 380.7, 10.7, and 0.455 MHz. Images on VHF-high band despite high 1st IF. Some intermod on review unit. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2045," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2046: 1996 vintage 100 channel mobile made by Uniden with fairly good performance. Descendent of the BC760XLT but no CTCSS option available. Ten banks of ten channels. Scans memory at about 34 channels/sec. Service search, direct search, and band search. Preset search limits by band and user cannot program the search limits. Image rejection is minimal, as one would expect from a scanner

with IFs of 10.85 and 0.450 MHz. 10 Monitor memory channels. Can lock out up to 20 channels from a search. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2046," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-34: Portable scanner with 200 channels and 800 MHz coverage. Ten "monitor" channels. Operates from AA cells. Slow scanning, low audio output, and chintzy plastic case detract from an otherwise good performance. No decent leather case available from Radio Shack. If you need a portable with 800 MHz, get a Bearcat 200XLT. If you can't get a 200XLT, get a PRO-34.

PRO-2021: Base/mobile scanner. 200 channels in 10 banks, LCD display and raised rubber keys. Lots of memory but scans too slowly and lacks 800 MHz. Ten "monitor" channels. Radio Shack seemed to have an overstock of 2021s as they were on sale for such a long time. Close out price dipped to about $200, which made it a nice scanner for beginners.

PRO-2022: Base/mobile scanner. Like the PRO-2021 but includes the 800 MHz band. Somewhat prone to intermod in the 460 MHz range. Cellular images throughout the 847.6 - 869 MHz range. See September 1996 Monitoring Times for modifications.

PRO-2036: Same as Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Scans and searches fast. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod, especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2037: 1994 vintage. Triple conversion all plastic base scanner made by GRE. Home version of the PRO-62 portable but with more intermod. 200 channels in 10 banks, one search bank, selectable AM and FM. Uses up conversion circuitry but inadequate front end filtering still allows images, though not as bad as in 10.7 or 10.8 MHz IF circuits. Crisp, respectable audio given the top mounted speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2037," by Bob Parnass, in July 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2001: Early, single bank 16 channel programmable. Reasonable coverage of the 3 traditional bands, minus aircraft band. LED digital display as well as an LED per channel. Mechanical lockout switch for each channel. Delay is either on or off for all channels at a time. High synthesizer noise level. Troublesome plated through holes

on digital board in some units renders radio virtually unfixable. Could never get mine to work more than a few days in a row; always another bad connection. Some owners have no trouble.

PRO-52: 8 channel VHF-Lo/Hi base unit. No UHF band or provision for mobile operation. Good little scanner despite limited frequency coverage and Spartan lack of frills. Crisp squelch action and good audio, helped by a front mounted, vertical speaker.

PRO-2003: Radio Shack's 1986 top of line. 50 channels + 10 FM commercial broadcast band channels. Includes aircraft. Good frequency coverage and functionality, but at a high price. Poor human engineering: difficult to read keyboard makes the PRO-2003 hard to operate unless in a well lit room. Keyboard label coloring improved on newer units. Rather slow scan rate and high price. Although there are provisions for 12VDC operation, the cabinet shape and lack of mounting bracket makes mobile operation impractical. Scan rate only 8 channels/sec vs. 15/sec in Regency and Bearcat. Causes RFI: Plastic case permits scanner to radiate signals into nearby receivers.

PRO-43: Very good portable made by GRE. First Radio Shack portable with up conversion, and 222 MHz ham and 225 - 400 MHz military air band coverage. 200 channels, single search range. Small, convenient size. Muffled audio. Speakers in early units known to fail and more powerful speakers were used in later units. 800 MHz band coverage fully restorable in early units by removing diode. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range.

PRO-60: 1995 vintage. Very good portable made by GRE. 200 channels, single search range. Similar features and same IFs as the PRO-43 it replaced but the PRO-60 has wider frequency coverage and crisper audio. Covers 75 MHz and commercial FM broadcast bands. Improved Direct search can be stepped manually in single steps. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Railfans take note -- the PRO-60 and PRO-43 are subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range. Draws 100 mA while scanning. See "The Radio Shack PRO-60 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, September 1995.

PRO-26: 1995 vintage. (Not to be confused with a simple 1985 crystal controlled portable bearing the same model number.) Very good portable made by for Radio Shack by Uniden. 200 channels, very fast scan/search. Good display. Covers all TV channels, but spectrum adjacent to cellular phone band is censored which prevents monitoring parts of some trunked

systems (e.g., IL State Police district 4). Up to 50 frequencies can be skipped during search. Limited image rejection causes 929 MHz paging interference in 170 MHz range. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, and 5.5/0.455 MHz. Audio suffers from small speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

PRO-62: 1994 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Similar to PRO-43 but no military air band, different upper frequency limit, and slightly different IFs. Selectable AM/NFM modes. Better intermod immunity than PRO-43. See "The Radio Shack PRO-62," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1995.

PRO-64: 1997 vintage. Good portable 400 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-62 and has many more features. Selectable AM/NFM modes but fixed step sizes. 10 search banks which can be cascaded. Auto store saves unique frequencies found during a search. Frequencies can be loaded using a computer but optional interface kit not yet available. Can recharge Radio Shack's optional, monolithic NiCd pack, but not AA cells within the scanner. IFs are 257.5, 21.4, and 0.455 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-64," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-67: 1997 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-51 and has better image rejection and super fast scanning. Service Search lacks police frequencies. Fixed AM/NFM modes and step sizes. Can lock out up to 20 frequencies during a search. Can recharge AA cells within the scanner. Frequencies adjacent to the cellular phone bands censored so our PRO-67 will not receive 868.9625 or 823.9625 MHz. Intermediate Frequencies are 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-67," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-30: 16 channel programmable portable with aircraft band. Good frequency coverage. Extra controls on top allow control of SCAN, MANUAL, and PRIORITY functions while worn on belt. Good belt clip. Low audio output. Plastic case prone to break at BNC antenna connector under severe use, vs. metal frame in Regency HX1000. High price, no discounts or sales yet. I had 6 or 7 PRO30s, having to return them several times during the 1 year warranty, although other owners have had little or no trouble. Troubles included oscillation in IF stage, no UHF band reception, case broken around base of antenna connector, etc.

PRO-24: 1983 vintage. Only 4 channels in this crystal controlled portable. Covers the three basic bands, but no aircraft. Easy to obtain batteries and crystals. Characteristic Radio Shack squelch problem, fixable by changing one resistor. All-plastic case larger than Bearcat Thin Scan and clones. See "The Radio Shack PRO-24 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, excerpted in the "Technical Topics" column, RCMA Newsletter, February 1984.

SPORTYS

JD-100: 1997 vintage. Limited 20 channel scanner which covers civil and military air bands only. Good audio. Large display shows frequency only out to 2 digits. Slow scanning and odd keystroke sequences. No key press confirmation beep. Cannot lock out channels from memory scan. Powered by AA batteries. Battery saver circuit. See "Sportys JD-100 Air Scan," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, November 1997.

Craig (division of Pioneer)

4530: Japanese 10 channel crystal controlled 3 band unit. Also available under Plectron name but in different cabinet. No aircraft band. Deluxe features like priority, trimmer capacitors for netting each channel, front panel speaker, and rugged metal cabinet make this unit a winner. Channel lockout slide switches have finite life. Replacing burned out incandescent channel lamps not fun. Grab a 4530 if you find one in good condition.

Sonar

Sonar made several crystal controlled scanners and channelized monitor receivers which shared the same RF circuitry. Each radio was housed in the same size metal case and worked on both 120 VAC and 12 VDC. The models differed in the number of channels, the band coverage, and whether individual channels could be locked out.

Although they used a 10.7 MHz first IF, Sonar radios require parallel resonant crystals different from the common series resonant crystals used in Regency and Radio Shack scanners. Some Radio Shack crystals will work in Sonar units, but more often they oscillate a few kHz off frequency and are unsuitable unless changes are made to the oscillator circuitry. Therefore, beginners should avoid these radios. Typical Sonar squelch has long time constant causing a long noise burst at the end of each transmission.

FR-104, FR-105: 6 channel monitor receivers covering 25 - 50 MHz or 150 - 175 MHz. Manual channel selection, i.e., no scanning. Early models are identified by an 11 pin connector on the rear and they could be used with an

optional NiCd battery pack and charger which bolted to the rear panel. Later models used Cinch Jones connectors with flat contacts. Optional tone decoder board.

FR-2512, FR-2513: 24 channel versions of the FR-104 and FR-105 monitor receivers. Manual channel selection, i.e., no scanning.

FR-2514, FR-2515: 8 channel scanners. Channel 1 priority. Recommend you avoid these models as there is no way to lockout a channel from the scan sequence.

FR-2526, FR-2526, FR-2528: 10 channel scanners covering various combinations of 3 bands. Each channel could be locked out. Channel 1 priority.

Model	#chan-nels	VHF low	VHF high	UHF scans?	lock-outs?
FR104	6	X		no	
FR105	6	X		no	
FR2512	24	X		no	
FR2513	24	X		no	
FR2514	8	X		yes	no
FR2515	8	X		yes	no
FR2516	10	X		yes	yes
FR2517	10	X		yes	yes
FR2525	10	X		yes	yes
FR2526	10	X	X	yes	yes
FR2527	10	X	X	yes	yes
FR2528	10	X	X	yes	yes

Table 1. Summary of Sonar base/mobile monitor and scanner receivers

Tennelec

Manufactured the first synthesized scanners. See US patents 3,961,261 and 3,962,644, granted 6/1/76 and 6/8/76 respectively. Company went out of business several years ago. Schematics and parts difficult to obtain. Radios reputed to be poor performers. Got my MS-2 and MCP-1 basket cases for free and sometimes regret taking them. Not worth fixing unless you have access to DTL/RTL chips and circuit diagrams.

Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their transistor Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by portable pagers, and are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough

condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola Alert crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. These radios are fixed channel units and do not scan. They can be powered form 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord.

The audio quality on a Plectron P1 or 700 series is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity and intermod immunity is outstanding if aligned properly. Better image rejection than most scanners (see article by Bob Parnass in Monitoring Times, January 1996 for comparison). The Plectron 500 series is less desirable. The Motorola Alert monitors are pretty good, although the audio lacks bass.

No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, and there were versions optimized for each portion of the band. There were different "split" models to cover segments of VHF-hi band, too. Although UHF versions were made, they are somewhat rare.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency. Too, the P1 and R700 require different crystals.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

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1899. today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: maxinnis@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316143800.JAA05067@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166793

true tale written by a time magazine writer about the death of her favorite mailing list because of loudmouths... insert rec.radio.scanner for mailing list and mackey, cheeks or other favorite loudmouth for the guy mentioned in the story.

March 12, 1998 Death of a Mailing List by Liz Charnock

For several years I subscribed to the Brave Combo mailing list. It's populated by a cross-section of humanity so diverse that if you saw it in a petri dish, you'd run screaming from the lab. Brave Combo is a polka band, and our list was the smartest, funniest, kindest, weirdest list in the world. I'd claim biggest, too, but I'm not as big a liar as most Texans. If I could use only one word to describe our list, I'd say friendly. Sure, there were occasional differences of opinion, but tolerance and genuine kindness resolved most differences. Then one day a stranger came to town. Spring of '97, a new poster -- we'll call him Frank -- joined the list. He was a little more prolific than is usual for newbies, but he seemed to really dig the band and the music, and he was eager to interact with the regulars. How did that go over? If you subscribe to a mailing list, you know that regulars prefer that newbies take it easy in their initial postings. The new kid at school is supposed to be humble, not run for class president. Maybe that's why when Frank made a minor political comment, it called forth a fairly sharp rebuke from an old-timer. The list split into two camps. Camp #1 thought that Frank should be allowed to say whatever he wanted on the list, it wasn't a big deal, etc. Camp #2 said that the list was only for topics pertaining to Brave Combo, that political and religious discussions didn't belong there. A normal newbie would probably have laid low for a while, everyone would have chilled, and life would have gone on as usual. Did I say normal newbie? Frank demanded that his accusers give him exact, cut-and-pasted quotations of his alleged inappropriate remarks, then followed them up with more of the same. You've subscribed to lists. You know what happened next. Invective, uppercase shouting, lots and lots of postings and bilious disagreements. Frank decided there were deep political messages woven into the fabric of many of Brave Combo's songs, esp. the Mystery Spot Polka. Several people tried to explain what Mystery Spots were, but to no avail. Voices of reason were raised and then promptly shouted down. Ever seen one of those old "Twilight Zone" episodes where the whole town (except for one sane person whom they stone to death) goes vigilante, and neighbors pour into the street ready to accuse everybody else? Worst of all, as soon as you said/posted something nasty you'd clap your imaginary hand over your mouth and think, "I can't believe I said that." What happened to the happy lads and lasses who liked to form a giant circle and do the Chicken Dance? It's easy, a year later, to see who was really to blame: AOL. Before you dismiss this, go back, back, back in time to the spring of 1997. Kazillions of aggravated users who couldn't log on. So much mail pouring in that it backed up the servers. Frank thought his

messages were being censored because they didn't appear immediately. Things were bad, and they got way worse. Pressure came, pressure won. Censorship started. As fast as our listmaster blocked one address, Frank would create another. Finally a combination of filters and fatigue silenced him. Silence fell blessedly over the list, but somehow nothing was quite as it had been before. The spontaneity was gone. People didn't post the first weird thing that sprang to mind anymore. The goofy nicknames no longer seemed funny; now they were silly affectations. We were faster to criticize others. Took umbrage at perceived slights. People left. Almost a year went by. I think Frank put a reminder on his calendar: "March, 1998: Pester the hell out of the Brave Combo List". Pretty much everybody who had ever posted a message to the list was in Frank's address book, and he started writing to us on the same tired old topics as before. This time, since the mail wasn't going to the list, our brave listmaster couldn't save us, and for every piece of mail we got, he got 20. Frank REALLY resented being prevented from posting. This time we knew better than to post messages saying "Leave us the hell alone, Frank!" That just encouraged him. How did I cope? Delete, delete, delete. Date: Sun, 01 Mar 1998 20:48:34 -0500From: David C Subject: pulling the plugbravecombo and bravecombo-digest are going down, at least for a while. all of you who want to communicate with each other or with me feel free to mail me with any ideas or observations. Franklin K has created such a weird and hostile ruckus that it's no longer worth the trouble it takes to fight him. If we get hassled in meatspace we can get help, even call the cops. But there is no defense or redress on the Net, at least none that we've found. Who's the cyber sheriff? Do we need one? Yeah, I think we do. Because someone murdered our list. And that's not right. </PCN_ACTOR

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Max Innis

1900. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: formerly@known-as.3MTA3
Message-ID: <350e2cd4.7011423@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166794
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Have YOU ever heard of shutting your pie-hole ?

-John_Mackey- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Have you ever heard of "freedom of speech"?
>
>
>G.R. Triever wrote:
>> So what's the problem?

1901. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: formerly@known-as.3MTA3
Message-ID: <350d2c75.6916930@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166795
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 20:33:49 -0800, *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
wrote:

>iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
>> At this point, how do we know who is "the real John Mackey"; and, the
>> two versions of Windows and of Netscape could be run from the same PC, could
>> they not?
>
>Look at the headers, watch the "nntp posting host" and the "path". THAT
>will tell a lot. (That is how we caught Bill Cheek doing the
>message canceling!)

And that's how we proved some of your lunacy postings were truly yours even when
you followed them up with comments like: "The following is a forgery".

You are retarded.

1902. Re: Good Bye John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: formerly@known-as.3MTA3
Message-ID: <350f2d92.7201928@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>I decided to slap you back on my Shit List again.

It's about goddamn time, you instigating ass wipe.

I was getting tired of correcting the retard.

1903. PCR1000 BandScope commands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf5oj@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <350d3eff.380183@news.iamerica.net>
Source record: 166797

Additional PCR1000 commands can be found at:
www.ibelings.com/pcr1000.html |or| 208.133.53.38/pcr1000.html

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Icom PCR1000 Band Scope commands.

The basic command to turn the bandscope function On is:

ME00001200501000125000 + CR + LF

The command breaks down this way:

ME00001 20050100012500
ME00001 is the prefix. It's always the same.

ME00001 20 050100012500
20 is the number of samples. It must be a 2 digit HEX number
represented in ASCII. Add leading 0 if necessary. Calculate
this number by dividing the Scope Bandwidth by the step size. For
example in the +- 200 Khz span the total bandwidth is 400 Khz. If the
step size is 12.5 khz then 400/12.5 is 32 or 20 Hex. If you get a non
integer answer for the initial division then increment the sample
number by 1 or 2. You can arbitrarily set the sample higher
(SLIGHTLY)
to allow the display to be moved inward from the edges of the scope
display.

ME0000120 05 0100012500
05 is a sample rate value that detiremines how fast the
scope is swept and in the Icom software is either 05 or 28. This is
interpreted as a hex number and must be 2 digits. The practical
values
for this runs from 01 (very fast and resource intensive) to about
70 (very slow and nearly useless). Putting 00 here is not valid.
In the Icom software the number of samples detiremine this
value. Sample numbers above 10 hex use 05 and those 10 Hex or lower
use 28 Hex.

ME000012005 01 00012500
01 This is the On/Off characters. If they are 00 then
the bandscope is OFF. If they are 01 the bandscope is ON

ME00001200501 00 012500
00 is a padding value and must be there.

ME0000120050100 012500
012500 is the step size expressed in HERTZ. It must

be 6 digits long, padded with LEADING ZEROS. Examples are 001000 for 1000 hertz (1 Khz), 030000 for 30 Khz and 100000 for 100 Khz. The bandscope accepts values down to at least 10 hertz but the Icom software displays a LIMIT warning at 1 Khz and at 100 Khz. You must limit how small the step size is (for a given scope width in (Khz) to prevent the number of samples from getting too large.
Eg. (Bandwidth/step) CANNOT exceed FF hex or 255 decimal.

The Band Scope commands appear to be insensitive to mode and bandwidth settings except for the fact that it doesn't work in USB, LSB or CW.

Typical Band Scope Commands:

ME00001C8050100001000 +- 100 Khz @ 1 Khz
ME0000164050100001000 +- 50
ME0000132050100001000 +- 25

ME00001A0050100002500 +- 200 Khz @ 2.5 Khz
ME0000150050100002500 +- 100
ME0000128050100002500 +- 50
ME0000114050100002500 +- 25

ME0000150050100005000 +- 200 Khz @ 5.0 Khz
ME0000128050100005000 +- 100
ME0000114050100005000 +- 50
ME000010A280100005000 +- 25

ME0000140050100006250 +- 200 Khz @ 6.25 Khz
ME0000120050100006250 +- 100
ME0000110280100006250 +- 50
ME0000108280100006250 +- 25

ME000012E050100009000 +- 200 Khz @ 9.0 Khz
ME0000118050100009000 +- 100
ME000010C280100009000 +- 50
ME0000106280100009000 +- 25

ME0000128050100010000 +- 200 Khz @ 10.0 Khz
ME0000114050100010000 +- 100
ME000010A280100010000 +- 50
ME0000106280100010000 +- 25

ME0000120050100012500 +- 200 Khz @ 12.5 Khz
ME0000110280100012500 +- 100
ME0000110280100012500 +- 50
ME0000108280100012500 +- 25

ME0000114050100020000 +- 200 Khz @ 20.0 Khz
ME000010A280100020000 +- 100
ME0000106280100020000 +- 50
ME0000104280100020000 +- 25

ME0000110280100025000 +- 200 Khz @ 25.0 Khz
ME0000108280100025000 +- 100

ME0000104280100025000 +- 50
ME0000100280100025000 +- 25

ME000010E280100030000 +- 200 Khz @ 30.0 Khz
ME0000108280100030000 +- 100
ME0000104280100030000 +- 50
ME0000100280100030000 +- 25

ME0000108280100050000 +- 200 Khz @ 50.0 Khz
ME0000104280100050000 +- 100
ME0000100280100050000 +- 50 Note 00 sample size This is invalid!

ME0000104280100100000 +- 200 Khz @ 100.0 Khz
ME0000100280100100000 +- 100 Invalid
ME0000100280100100000 +- 50 Invalid

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The data is returned in 38 byte packets. The LAST digit of the packet

is discarded in calculations making the usable packet length 37
digits.
The packets begin with the Letters NE1 followed by the 2 digit hex
packet number. The Packet numbers run from 00 to F0.
The available packet numbers are NE100, NE110, NE120, NE130, NE140,
NE150, NE160, NE170, NE180, NE190, NE1A0, NE1B0, NE1C0, NE1D0,
NE1E0 and NE1F0.

NOTE that ONLY the 4th digit in this prefix changes.

Having 16 packets holding 16 levels allows a Maximum of 255 (numbered
01 to FF..00 is invalid) samples.

The packet prefix is followed by 32 bytes that contain signal level
information for EACH sample (16 per packet).

Each byte pair is a hex number (in ascii) that can run from 00 to FF.
The
Bytes in packet NE180 represent the first 16 samples UP from and
including the displayed frequency (in ascending order). The bytes in
packet NE170 represent the 16 samples BELOW the displayed frequency in
descending order. For example the following:

NE18020202020202020202020202020202020

NE1 80 20202020202020202020202020202020
NE1 is the fixed prefix

NE1 80 20202020202020202020202020202020
80 is the packet number. Second digit ALWAYS 0

NE180 20 20202020202020202020202020202020
20 is the sample signal level (20 Hex) at the displayed
frequency

NE18020 20 20202020202020202020202020202020
This is the next sample level UP from the displayed freq

The next 14 values represent the next 14 sample levels. If less
samples
are needed, the higher samples are set to 00. If more then 16
sanple levels are needed Up from the center freq, then the next packet
NE190 hold the values.

For the following:
NE17000000000000000001111111111111111

NE1 70000000000000000001111111111111111
NE1 is the fixed prefix

NE1 70 00000000000000000001111111111111111
70 is the packet number. Packet 70 is the first packet BELOW the
center frequency.

NE17000000000000000000111111111111111 11
11 This is the first sample level
BELOW the center frequency.

NE170000000000000000000111111111111 11 11
11 This is the next LOWER sample
level and so on. In these examples, only 16 (10 Hex) samples were
specified. 8 samples are provided here below center freq and the
corresponding 8 above center freq would be in the NE180 packet.

If more then the 32 samples that can be displayed with NE170 and NE180
were specified then additional packets would be sent. For example if
48(decimal) samples were specified then the following packets would be

returned: NE160 would have 8 samples (in the UPPER 8)
NE170 would have 16 samples
NE180 would have 16 samples
NE190 would have 8 samples (in the LOWER 8)

Note that they are sent in ascending order from NE160 to NE190.
A rough indication of the number of packets needed for a given sample
size is (Number of samples)/16 plus 1.

Sample in order sent (This is a continous string):
NE160000000000000000000000030180FA61F14
NE1701F2B0C0F7E030C2B85088E080F2B4314
NE1801B8E181830085FEC6603083001143003
NE190010301010127010000000000000000000

When Band Scope is first turned ON or is turned OFF, ALL 16 packets
are returned with samples set to 00 (except packet 80).

de Clifton J. Turner Jr. KF5OJ
kf5oj@iamerica.net

1904. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: nunya@bizness.pal
Message-ID: <19980316.102320.870326.NETNEWS@WVNVM.WVNET.EDU>
Source record: 166798

If we suck, it's only because your mama taught us.

1905. Re: Listening to phones while on airplanes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: famwiley@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316160901.LAA16107@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166799
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>Except for Delta and a few other carriers, use of a

>scanner onboard is a violation of the the airlines (and FAA) rules.

which FAR's govern the use of scanners? I thought so

kevin

1906. Re: New chat room

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A.T. Domonkos" <domonkos@erols.com>
Message-ID: <350D5451.7801B569@erols.com>
Source record: 166800
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

Sounds interesting; it this 9PM nightly?

Andy

jason wrote:

> Come check out the new chat room for scanner users on Irc.dalnet
> #scanning. We have been on for around 2 mths now and have grown to over
> 30 visitors and have an average of about 6 ppl on per night. We can grow
> larger but only by spreading the word and eveyone dropping in for a
> vist.
>
> We have been chatting about who has what scanners, What is the best hand
> held scanner, What's the best base scanner, What you like to scan,
> Trading pictures of each other and there scanners. Lots of other things
> you could only dream of doing on a newsgroup.
>
> So stop by Irc.dalnet #scanning. We usually try to get on around (9:00pm
> central time and stay on till we are tired of typing.)
> See you tonight at (9:00pm on Irc.dalnet #scanning)

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My Sony FD-7 Digital Photo Webpage: http://www.erols.com/domonkos

While there, follow links to my Astro Photo Pages...
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1907. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Home to roost <sc5ar@herts.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.91.980316144318.10537D-100000@altair.herts.ac.uk>
Source record: 166801
Cross-posted to: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998, Identity Crisis wrote:

> Lindsay Hillier wrote:
> >
> > SCREW YOU 'YA JERK!!!! WHY'D YOU POST SOMETHIN' IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM
> > WITH IT?????????? JERKS LIKE YOU MAKE THE WORD A MISERABLE PLACE TO
> > LIVE.
> >
>
> I totally agree the word would be a better place without all this
> voilence and agressive sentences clogging up the paragaph as a hole.

I am with you on this one Richy Rich, although a little confused about the word 'voilence' as I believed this to be a rare form of doily making. Should this be in the above paragraph then it is a feat that should be lauded, and not the person castigated against. I find this also in the word 'agressive' which I belive must be a mistype as no one has performed the South American ritual 'El aghress' for some time, so for this person to be an agressive, ie one who performs the ritual, would be rather hard. Aside from this I am in total agreement.

Sarah
>
>
>
> > TheHamGuy wrote:
> >
> > > TAKE YOUR FUCKING FUEDS TO E-MAIL YOU ASS HOLES!!!
> >
> > --
> > MZ□
>
> --
> Richard the Knight who says "Give me your nose !!!"
> http://www.mite.co.uk/weasel/richard
>
> Who can solve my riddle ?
>
> The begining of eternity, the end of space and time
> The begining of every end and the end of every ryme.
>
>

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RSPCB SAYS

Blondness IS a disability - be understanding of blonds

Speak slowly and in short words. make allowances.

DON'T BE COLOUR PREJUDICED

Blonds are people too!

****
****

1908. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Identity Crisis <rw8cj@herts.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <350D3C6C.5DC6@herts.ac.uk>
Source record: 166802
Cross-posted to: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

OK, I can't spell either, but making the word a better place to live was
just something I had to try.

Home to roost wrote:
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> > >
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> > >
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> > voilence and agressive sentences clogging up the paragaph as a hole.
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> making. Should this be in the above paragraph then it is a feat that
> should be lauded, and not the person castigated against. I find this
> also in the word 'agressive' which I belive must be a mistype as no one
> has performed the South American ritual 'El aghress' for some time, so
> for this person to be an agressive, ie one who performs the ritual, would
> be rather hard. Aside from this I am in total agreement.
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> Sarah
> >
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> >
> > > TheHamGuy wrote:
> > >
> > > > TAKE YOUR FUCKING FUEDS TO E-MAIL YOU ASS HOLES!!!
> > >
> > > --
> > > MZï¿½
> >

1909. Re: How Can I Make My Tape Recorder Into Extra-Long-Record Device?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC5YWX <jboros@highfiber.com>
Message-ID: <350D5F3C.706D8DB6@highfiber.com>
Source record: 166803
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

It can be done, but to pull this off would require some type of tachometer feedback loop and a driver circuit on the motor. Then set the loop for half speed (It probably would not be stable much below this). The circuit will give it the needed power to start up, but will regulate the speed.

-Jim

Bill Cheek wrote:

> You'll find this venture to be almost impossible
> unless you're a mechanic and a machinist. So we
> take a look at the alternatives......
>
> First is to electrically slow down the motor.
> Except that won't work. You won't get it appreciably
> slowed by lowering the voltage/current because
> torque drops off faster than speed.....and any slowdown
> at all means the tape will fail to start up, probably
> at a most inopportune time.

1910. Re: Could this be a death-blow to the scanning hobby ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <6ejnedlgj2@quasar.dimensional.com>
Source record: 166804

Don Curtis <NoThankYouSpammers@compuserve.com> wrote:
[...]
>>> NO...it's not the truth. Cops can't just listen...they need a court order.
>>>
>>> Don
>>
>>Don,
>>
>>Can you cite a single instance where such a court order has been
>>denied?
>>
>>Eric

> Eric,
> One other thing I forgot to mention in my reply to you....

> Do you really think cops have nothing better to do than sit and listen
> to a scanner set to cell frequencies and hope they hear something valuable and
> then try to figure out who said it...and what to do about it?

> Nope...if they do get a court order, they go to the cell phone
> provider and set up to record conversations to/from the cell phone of interest
> only. And only for a few days (the life of the court order...typically 3
> days).

> Don

Hi, Don,

I never got your email so I've no idea what the rest of your message said.

Without wandering too far off-topic (if possible at this point) I was going
to suggest that certain agencies have rubber-stamp authority. I'd be _very_
surprised if any request has been denied when certain agencies claim that
a threat to "national security" exists. I'm _not_ talking about your
average city police force.

Please email me again -- this is way off topic at this point! :-)

Eric
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Eric F. Richards
efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
"The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
- Dilbert

1911. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jumpin' Jack Flash <JJdotFlash@no.spam.asu.edu>
Message-ID: <350D6E4D.600A@no.spam.asu.edu>
Source record: 166805

Hey Dennis,

The best thing is to use a kill file. If webtv software doesn't offer one, complain to them, not the group. Unfortunately, all you have done here is to give those following the flame wars another thread to follow, and those of us who have grown tired of it another thread to add to our kill files. Once you start using your kill file, this group looks pretty much normal again. By the way, I'd suggest you also use a kill file on authors, especially Mackey. When I was following this crap, it was obvious that Mackey was creating most of the problems, although Cheek does add fuel to Mackey's fires. But, this is an open forum. It is up to you to "STOP IT N O W." It is not their responsibility to control what you choose to read. *I* made them go away in my domain, and if they bug you that much, you should too.

Happy scanning.

Dennis Lassetter wrote:
>
> By God I am tired of this ongoing crap about Bill Cheek and John Mackey.
> Enough is enough. People get a bait of this after so long. Its not funny
> anymore. Just goes to show how childish some people are. Quit making
> bigger fools out of yourselves than you already are. Thank you.
>
> DENNIS in GA.

1912. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <6ejn52lgj1@quasar.dimensional.com>
Source record: 166806
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In rec.radio.scanner iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:
> In article <6ebne4$1da$1@quasar.dimensional.com>,
> "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com> wrote:
>>
>> ... we really are at the mercy of what the FCC believes -- or is told to
>> believe -- is fair. The law is no longer on our side.

> It has occurred to me that you never see any bumper stickers that say" I
> OWN A SCANNER AND I VOTE!" The best political effort for the hobby may have
> been Bob Grove's testimony to Congress, and he had to support the case for
> scanners by pointing at gun owners as being more of a threat to society. There
> seems to be no political clout for scanner owners.

How 'bout "I OWN A SCANNER AND I CONTRIBUTE!"
You might get more attention that way. (Contributing, that is.)

>> On the other hand, someone else will go out there, tune his TV to channel
>> 70, get a "sensitive" message, and another law will be passed that will
>> do no good...
>> Or even worse, one of these weenies will discuss something sensitive -- as
>> in national security -- over his cellphone which will be picked up by the
>> "wrong" embassy, and will wonder why his precious law didn't protect him.
>>

> Isn't the intercept of Jimmy Carter on HF as he was flying back from Haiti
> during the Cedras crisis an example of compromise of sensitive information
> related to national security? I don't remember there being any suggestion of
> legislative remedy after it happened.

I guess the point I was making is that politicians seem to believe that
legislation can change physics.

> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

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Eric F. Richards
efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
"The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
- Dilbert

1913. Re: Antenna Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <350D65A0.159A911F@vnet.com>
Source record: 166807

BATWANGER wrote:
> I put up an outside antenna, a new radio shack Omni-directional 20-042 page
> 57 current catalog, covers 25- 1300 , Well I have a Bc9000xlt In my work
> room, hooked it up and it seems to work really good. Ok so i tried
> hooking up my trust Pro 51 7a3 version(you know what that means
> right?) and it scans right thru the 800-900 freqs. with out Picking up
> any thing. Strange??? when I put the factory rubber ducky or the Radio
> shack extendable antenna back on it it picks up all the 800-900 stuff?
> Does this mean I have a problem with the Antenna or that the pro 51
> just does not like outside antennas, The new antenna is right outside the
> window, 20 foot mast cable is 40 ft long. new cable and bnc and type f
> connections. It is pointed kinda westward. Any body have any thoughts???

Hi Dave,
Did you try the BC9000 on available 800Mhz freqs to see how well
they were coming through? I'm thinking two things :

1) Your cable is severly attenuating upper UHF freqs so that
they just aren't making it to the receiver

2) The 51 is double conversion and very sensitive. This will
make it highly sensitive to signals...especially if you
hook it up externally. All those strong signls are simply
overloading the poor little sucker such that it is desensing
and therefore pretty deaf.

So what kind of cable are you using? RG-58? RG-6? RG-8? Different
cables will attenuate(weaken) signals differently. And the longer the
cable run, the more attenuation will occur. 40 ft isn't that long
but you're getting into the area where you have to start worrying
about length vs. cable quality.
My guess is that if you are in a "rural-ish" locale, #1 is your
problem. If you're in an "urban-ish" area, #2 is the culprit.

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

1914. Phoenix question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ricklew@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <6ejpoa$og5@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 166808

Hi, All,
Has anyone in the Phoenix area found the frequency for KNXV-
TV15's news operations?
This inquiring mind wants to know!--Rick
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--Rick Lewis

1915. Re: Phoenix PD-FD to go digital

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ricklew@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <6ejq1j$pda@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 166809

Thanks for the heads-up on the Phoenix digital moves.
Originally, I had heard that an 800 mHz trunked system was coming in
by 1997, and that 70 frequencies had been applied for; (that was in
1995).
So while this may be bad news for scanner owners, it also is three
years later than I'd heard originally.
The article says it'll be tougher to hear on a scanner.
Well, "impossible" *is* tougher, but still impossible to monitor!--Rick
--
--Rick Lewis

1916. Re: APCO Project 25 - Standards for Public Safety Digital Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6ejtedqrq1@uni.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 166810

That's probably an understatement 8*) My guess is, a few relatively small, one-tower towns with relatively few topographical perversities and low traffic volume will be enticed to switch over in the next few years to give the project some measure of credibility. These users will no doubt play around with the 'features' - digital included, and will *probably* find themselves back on 12.5 KHz analog before long. ...And their experiences will heighten the reluctance of other departments to join in the experiment. For all the hype, my gut feeling is that most agencies are watching APCO-25 with some fear and trepidation.

Scratch beneath the surface, and I think you'll find APCO-25 is being pushed most heavily by the radio manufacturers (hardware and firmware), who stand to make a LOT of bucks, both in initial sales and in upgrades and maintenance (and gawd knows, there's going to be a hell of a lot of maintenance to `keep' these systems digital-grade). The biggest fluff in the sales-pitch is political, and has little if anything to do with finding solutions that best meet the needs of the guys in the field.

Having a dozen mutual aid/incident tactical freqs programmed into wide-band, synthesized radios may not be 21'st century, but it'll work reliably, and that's what most agencies want/need. Hell, the incandescent light bulb probably isn't 20'th century, but most of us wouldn't trade 'em in for glowing mood-crystals 8*)

Chuck Meyer (chuckm@zocalo.com) wrote:
: It looks like it may be a while before this stuff gets into common use.

: You might want to look into an APCO 25-compatible communication analyser
: test set. This will be quite expensive.
: -- Chuck

1917. Emergency Alerting System mystery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: johng@comm.mot.com
Message-ID: <johng-ya02408000R1603981322230001@news.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 166811
Cross-posted to: comp.dcom.telecom.tech,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

The "Emergency Alerting System" is the replacement for the Emergency Broadcast System. This system is used by federal, state or local authorities to alert the public to severe weather, disasters, etc. A compatible system is also used by the Nation Weather Service to provide selective digital alerting via their 162 MHz VHF "weather radio" transmitters.

The technical standards for this service are provided in Part 11 of the FCC rules. The standards mandate a data signal at 520.83 bps using 2083.3 Hz mark and 1562.5 Hz space frequencies for the audio frequency shift keyed signal.

My question: Does anybody have any idea of the reason for using such an unusual data rate and choice of mark and space frequencies?

If you take the frequencies and scale to a 600 bps data rate you end up with 2400 Hz mark and 1800 Hz space. I suspected that this coincided with a standard CCITT or Bell data standard, but this doesn't appear to be the case. If this had matched an industry standard, this would have allowed a designer to use a standard modem chip set with a different clock freq. Keeping the data rate non-standard would have added a minor element of security to the system.

There must be some reason for such a bizarre choice on the part of the system designers. Can anyone shed any light on how this data rate and mark/space frequencies were picked?

--
John Gilbert
johng@comm.mot.com

1918. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6ejq2g$kue@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 166812
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

James G. Lindsey (lindsey@gower.net) writes:
> Has anyone had experience with either puchasing an unblocked device in
> Canada in person and bringing it back to the U.S. or making a mail
> order purchase ? If these devices are available in Mexico - same
> question ?
>
You can buy unblocked Icom, Bearcat Uniden etc... scanners in Canada
The only company selling blocked scanners is Radio Shack who thinks
USA laws apply in Canada...

However there have been posts on this NG about US Customs seizing
these devices at the border...

Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

"Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

1919. FS Standard HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6ejsfu$m09$1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 166813

Standard C528A 2 meter /440 with quick desk charger for 250 dollars.mgdforty@webtv.net

1920. Another question for Bill

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjh@oberon.ark.com
Message-ID: <350d7a51.1515307@news.ark.com>
Source record: 166814

I have two handheld scanners PRO-37 & BC 200XLT the latter in poor health. Curiosity had me prod the antenna contacts with DVM and the BC200 XLT yielded 1.87 volts ?? The PRO-37 zero vdc Also my PRO 2006 base produced zero volts at the bnc terminals. Does a reading at the bnc connector indicate an ailing scanner or is this normal for the BC line?

1921. Re: APCO Project 25 - Standards for Public Safety Digital Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: johng@comm.mot.com
Message-ID: <johng-ya02408000R1603981315120001@news.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 166815

In article <chuckm-1403982234070001@157.22.200.2>, chuckm@zocalo.com (Chuck Meyer) wrote:

> In article <3502EC9B.7B31@ix.netcom.com>, Douglas Larson <"Douglas
> Larson"@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
> > for information about APCO's Project 25, visit the APCO website.
> >
> > http://www.apcointl.org/project25/information.html#top
> >
> > How will Project 25 affect our hobby?
> >
> > Will we be "allowed" to own scanner radios compatible with project 25?
> It looks like it may be a while before this stuff gets into common use.
>
> You might want to look into an APCO 25-compatible communication analyser
> test set. This will be quite expensive.
> -- Chuck

It is called a Motorola R2670. It runs about $25,000.

--
John Gilbert
johng@comm.mot.com

1922. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <350D805A.DCE@home.here>
Source record: 166816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

> >If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
> >same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
> >(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> >voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> >rooted problem.
>
Does anyone know of a mod for my binoculars to allow them to see thru
window shades and draperies?

1923. Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tired_of_spam@this_address.com
Message-ID: <350d8721.27448133@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 166817

I've never seen these guys actually post anything about scanning. Do they know anything technical? Maybe it's all a big mistake and they really mean to be in comp.periphs.scanners.

Unbelieveable.

1924. Re: Help - Dead Scan Key on AR1000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: MatthewBradwell@computerserve.com
Message-ID: <35085cdf.1897768@news.compuserve.com>
Source record: 166818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk

On Mon, 09 Mar 1998 21:27:59 GMT, pjdd@eye-2000.com wrote:

> My scan key has stopped working. Does anybody know of a way to
>get the ar1000 to start up in scan mode? Is there some sequence of
>keys etc., that will put it in scan mode? Basically, I'm looking for
any
>way to circumvent the problem of not having a scan key.
>
> Exact version of my ar1000 is "Fair Mate HP-2000" if that helps.
>
>Thanks,
> David
>
> For email reply switch "eye" to "i".

The carbon tends to come off the back of the keypad when damp.

I fixed one of these by painting the back of the keys with silver
conducting paint as sold for repairing heated rear windows in cars.
Been working fine for a couple of years now.
--
MatthewBradwell

1925. Re: Scantenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toscano <toscano2@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ek3ra$mh@dfw-ixnews2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166819

In article <350cf161.140476082@news.global.co.za>,
tim@micro-delta.com (Tim Jackson) wrote:
>I just received my new Scantenna this morning and spent a coupla hours
>putting it up on a pole outside.
>
>It seems to work well although it's way too early to tell yet and I
>haven't been able to compare it to my discone yet.
>
>One thing I did notice though, and which disappointed me somewhat, is
>the poor quality of the whole antenna. It looks like it's been made the
>way those really cheap and nasty TV antennas from the far east are made.
>
>I can't help wondering how many days it's gonna take before all kinds of
>weird electro-chemical effects start happening between the various
>pieces.
>
>Does anyone else have any comment on this antenna?

I've had mine up for almost a year and love it.

1926. Re: Scantenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316213301.QAA00906@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166820

>In article <350cf161.140476082@news.global.co.za>,
> tim@micro-delta.com (Tim Jackson) wrote:

>>One thing I did notice though, and which disappointed me somewhat, is
>>the poor quality of the whole antenna. It looks like it's been made the
>>way those really cheap and nasty TV antennas from the far east are made.

It really isn't any different than any other antenna that you can buy these days. If it were made any better, it would not be any more effective or last any longer....

I've had mine for at least three years (in my attic). It works damn well for me and I recommend it highly.

1927. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbc <sbc@connectnet.com>
Message-ID: <350E4824.6D54@connectnet.com>
Source record: 166821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Rev. C. U. Fry <stderr@mailexcite.com> wrote:
> >Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
> >you nuts?
>
> Eavesdropping on someone's telephone call is the same form of voyeurism
> as peering in their windows (except that one allows you to hide in your
> home with your drapes closed while the other requires that you must be
> peeking through your drapes).
>
> >Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as
> >long as we did not repeat it.
>
> Wire-tapping someone's telephone has been illegal for quite a long
> time. Now ask yourself how listening to a phone conversation
> via a scanner is different from wire-tapping that party's phone.
> Your intent is the same - to spy on your neighbor.
>
> You can attempt to justify your obsession of electronic "peeping tom"
> but it doesn't change the fact that you're committing a federal crime.
> It's just a pity that we need such a federal law in place of what
> should be a moral obligation to respect the privacy of your neighbors.
>
> If you want the EPCA repealed, then you should also fight for allowing
> unlimited wire-tapping without court intervention.
>
> Jeff KH2PZ
Jeff,

I am glad to see that the FCC is still giving out licenses to idiots.

YOUR GOVERNMENT RE: NSA monitors most if not all phone voice and data
traffic from the U.S. to overseas locations, and GCHQ which is the
Britist equavalent of the NSA, monitors OUR domestic phone traffic, and
then turns over the good stuff to the NSA. This is to avoid breaking the
laws about domestic monitoring.

And let's not forget about the nosy people at the phone company who can
listen at random, as well as the FBI. "Oh, doesn't the FBI need a
warrant to do that?" All those "confidential informants" that the FBI
never reveals are really illeagal phone taps.

I could go on, and on, but never ANYTHING on the phone that you would not say in an elevator full of FBI Agnts!!!

1928. Mods For the Pro 26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: hazmat910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316221101.RAA07333@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166822

If Anyone has any good info for mods for the RS Pro-26, please it to me.

John

1929. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: zarlenga@conan.ids.net
Message-ID: <6ek9vd$jb9$5@paperboy.ids.net>
Source record: 166823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
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: as peering in their windows (except that one allows you to hide in your
: home with your drapes closed while the other requires that you must be
: peeking through your drapes).

"Eavesdropping" on someone's OVER THE AIRWAVES call is more like
listening to your neighbor'd music blasting from his car or apart-
ment.

--
-- Mike Zarlenga
finger zarlenga@conan.ids.net for PGP public key

"Too many lies are being told. Too many lives are being ruined."
Kathleen Willey explaining why she's come forward with her
story of sexual assault at the hands of President Clinton

1930. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bj <hollabau@usanetusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bd512c$308b7a60$9cdc96ce@burton-hollabau>
Source record: 166824
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Mr. Clem <not@home.here> wrote in article <350D805A.DCE@home.here>...
> > >If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in
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> > >same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of
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> > >(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> > >voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> > >rooted problem.
> >
> Does anyone know of a mod for my binoculars to allow them to see thru
> window shades and draperies?
>
Take it easy J. Edgar.

1931. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Harris <hwroger@interkan.net>
Message-ID: <6ekain$8a4$1@news.chatlink.com>
Source record: 166825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

If listening on the cell frequencies are such a crime the what is it that they are trying tio hide or keep others from hearing? Is it that those that got caught happen to be CONGRESSMEN or is it the DRUG DEALERS that are really running the airwaves? I for one do not see any harm in listening to the phone calls of anybody be because it's there sometimes I will. I can listen in on any cordless phone most of the mobile phones in the 900mhz range but why is it a crime that only cell frequencies are the ones that the GOVERNMENT is afraid for us to listen in on? So tell me why and I will not do it again.
somebody@somewhere.com wrote in message
<351097ba.321786184@news.visi.net>...
>On 14 Mar 1998 18:12:48 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
>wrote:
>
>Jeffy,
>
>I thought you might just be trolling.
>
>This statement *proves* it!
>
>73
>
>>If you want the EPCA repealed, then you should also fight for allowing
>>unlimited wire-tapping without court intervention.
>>
>>Jeff KH2PZ
>

1932. Re: APCO Project 25 - Standards for Public Safety Digital Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Monitor One <Monitor1@Pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <350DAB5D.5603@Pacbell.net>
Source record: 166826

John Gilbert wrote:
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> In article <chuckm-1403982234070001@157.22.200.2>, chuckm@zocalo.com (Chuck
> Meyer) wrote:
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> It is called a Motorola R2670. It runs about $25,000.
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> --
> John Gilbert
> johng@comm.mot.com

You take Visa or M/C??????
Time to start looking for an xts-3000, my county is switching to Lawnet
with in 2 years.

1933. Re: Scantenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316231000.SAA17677@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166827

I have had mine (RS version) up for about two weeks now, and it works fantastic!! Reguarly receive low band fire-rescue from 50 miles away...NOAA wx from as far east as Altoona, West-Central Ohio, West Virginia, reguarly monitor West Virginia's State Police on 42.100

It is sort of flimsy, but well constructed, and will see plenty of use here.
Sigintman

1934. Re: Emergency Alerting System mystery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dr.dongle@juno.com
Message-ID: <6eki6feii1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166828
Cross-posted to: comp.dcom.telecom.tech,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

In article <johng-ya02408000R1603981322230001@news.cig.mot.com>,
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> There must be some reason for such a bizarre choice on the part of the
> system designers. Can anyone shed any light on how this data rate and
> mark/space frequencies were picked?
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> --
> John Gilbert
> johng@comm.mot.com
>

As I have been given to understand from a radio person I know these rates are
nonstamdard so as to descourage disruption and abuse of the service by
Hackers, of course that wont stop enterprising individuals.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1935. BC210XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Ross <cr94520@navix.net>
Message-ID: <350DB743.F77@navix.net>
Source record: 166829

I need a schematic for this model can anyone help???
Thanks

1936. Re: Forest Service Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jumpin' Jack Flash <"JJdotFlash "@no.spam.asu.edu>
Message-ID: <6eke2k$hc5@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 166830
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

This is directly from the radio channel card which all LNF trucks carry (circa 1991). Each radio has several groups which the operator can select and use. When using repeaters, the calling party will x-mit "This is Jones, calling Smith, on Buck," in which case, he is on CH. 2, hitting the Buck Repeater. They announce which repeater to let the receiving party which know which channel to use.

GROUP ONE - Lincoln National Forest
Chan function trans txgd receive
1 Lincoln Forest 169.125 203.5 169.125
2 Buck Repeater 170.500 100.1 169.125
3 Smokey BearRPT 170.500 107.2 169.125
4 NOP Repeater 170.500 114.2 169.125
5 Wofford RPTR 170.500 123.0 169.125
6 Cathey RPTR 170.500 131.8 169.125
7 Sacramento RPT 170.500 141.3 169.125
8 James RidgeRPT 170.500 151.4 169.125
9 Weed LookoutRP 170.500 162.2 169.125
10 Dark Canyon RP 170.500 173.8 169.125
11 Sitting BullRP 170.500 186.2 169.125
12 Service Direct 168.175 203.5 168.175
13 Service RPTR 171.425 100.0 168.175

GROUP TWO - State and Federal
Chan function trans txgd receive
1 Lincoln Forest 169.125 203.5 169.125
290 BLM Roswell 168.500 168.500
291 " Repeater 167.150 168.500
292 BLM Las Cruces 168.575 168.575
293 " Repeater 166.875 168.575
270 BIA Direct 172.450 172.450
271 " Cienegita RP 170.100 103.5 172.450
272 " Pajarito RPT 170.100 114.8 172.450
273 " Wofford RPTR 170.100 127.3 172.450
40 Mescalero PD 155.055 155.055
41 " Repeater 155.925 155.055
150 NM St. Police 155.550 155.550
151 " Ruidoso RPTR 155.370 127.3 155.550
153 Search & Resc 155.160 155.160
160 Fire Marshall 154.310 154.310
161 State Forestry 159.420 159.420
162 State Forestry 159.330 159.330
163 State Park Svc 153.875 153.875
280 Carlsbad Park 164.425 164.425

281 " Repeater 164.9875 164.425
282 B.Bend/Guadalu 166.375 166.375
283 " Repeater 166.975 166.375

GROUP THREE - Otero County
Chan function trans txgd receive
1 Lincoln Forest 169.125 203.5 169.125
100 Emergency Svcs 153.785 153.785
101 " Long Ridge R 154.085 156.7 153.785
102 " Benson RPTR 154.085 167.9 153.785
103 " Weed RPTR 154.085 100.0 153.785
105 Sheriff Direct 155.670 155.670
106 " Long Ridge R 154.680 156.7 155.670
107 " Benson RPTR 154.680 167.9 155.670
60 Cloudcroft PD 155.115 155.115
61 " Repeater 154.845 127.3 155.115
62 Tularosa PD 155.040 155.040
30 Alamogordo PD 155.760 127.3 155.760
31 Alamo RPTR 154.995 127.3 155.760
32 Alamo PD ch4 155.430 127.3 155.430

GROUP FOUR - Lincoln County
Chan function trans txgd receive
1 Lincoln Forest 169.125 203.5 169.125
70 Sheriff Direct 155.310 155.310
71 " Buck RPTR 156.090 167.9 155.310
72 " Rose RPTR 156.090 127.3 155.310
73 " Capitan RPT 156.090 156.7 155.310
76 County Roads 154.980 154.980
77 " Repeater 154.025 156.7 154.980
50 Ruidoso PD 154.740 127.3 154.740
51 " Repeater 155.415 127.3 154.740
52 Emergency Svc 154.385 156.7 154.385
53 " Repeater 153.830 156.7 154.385
54 Rdso Downs FD 156.015 127.3 156.015
55 " Repeater 155.025 127.3 156.015

GROUP FIVE - Eddie County
Chan function trans txgd receive
1 Lincoln Forest 169.125 203.5 169.125
90 Sheriff Direct 155.070 155.070
91 " Repeater 156.030 127.3 155.070
3 Emergency Svc 154.965 154.965

GROUP SIX - Region 3 Forests
Chan function trans txgd receive
1 Lincoln Forest 169.125 203.5 169.125
200 Gila south 169.175 169.175
201 " Blk Mnt RPT 169.900 100.0 169.175
202 " LookoutMntRP 169.900 107.4 169.175
203 Gila north 169.975 169.975

204 " Eagle Pk RPT 168.7375 100.0 169.975
205 " BearwallowRP 168.7375 107.4 169.975
206 " Mangas MtnRP 168.7375 114.8 169.975
210 Cibola NF 171.450 171.450
211 Cibola RPTR 172.350 171.450
212 Santa Fe NF 172.300 172.300
213 SFNF RPTR 171.550 172.300
220 Apache NF 169.875 169.875
221 " Repeater 170.475 103.5 169.875
222 Sitgreaves NF 169.950 169.950
223 " Repeater 170.575 167.9 169.950
230 Carson NF 169.175 169.175
231 " Repeater 169.975 169.175
232 Coconino NF 172.300 172.300
233 " Repeater 171.425 172.300
240 Kiabab north 169.900 169.900
241 Kiabab south 170.550 170.550
242 Prescott NF 168.175 168.175
243 " Repeater 168.775 151.4 168.175
250 Tonto NF 164.825 110.9 164.825
251 " Repeater 164.125 110.9 164.825
252 Coronado NF 169.600 169.600
253 " Repeater 170.525 169.600

GROUP SEVEN - Fire Frequencies
Chan function trans txgd receive
1 Lincoln Forest 169.125 203.5 169.125
300 BIFC Tac 1 168.050 168.050
301 BIFC Tac 2 168.200 168.200
302 BIFC Tac 3 168.600 168.600
303 BIFC travel 168.350 168.350
304 BIFC gnd-air 170.500 170.500
305 BIFC National 163.100 163.100

scsando@wazoo.com wrote:
>
> Does anybody happen to know any forest service frequencies used in the
> Lincoln National Forest in southern New Mexico?
>
> Thanks,
> Shaun
> scsando@wazoo.com

1937. FS: RS PRO-46

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gregg Fleishman <fleishman@mindsprng.com>
Message-ID: <6ekf0a$2b8@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 166831
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Radio Shack PRO-46 Handheld Scanner w/ cell mod. Very good condition w/ rubber duck antenna.

$120.00 - Shipped UPS GroundTrac - Prepaid

fleishman@mindspring.com

1938. [Fwd: Re: What is 220.210 Mhz in SE Michigan?]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Monitor One <Monitor1@Pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <350DBB4D.A0F@Pacbell.net>
Source record: 166832

Monitor One wrote:
>
> F. Barry Mulligan wrote:
> >
> > Jethro <ewb@voyager.net> asked about:
> > > ... weird stuff on 220.210 Mhz. There is a tone every fifteen seconds
> > > or so, and every once in while there is some garbled speech.
> >
> > The actual frequency would have been 220.2075 or 220.2125, with a 4 kHz
> > bandwidth. The tight bandwidth and slight mis-tuning might account for the
> > garbling, though specialized modulation techniques are encouraged in this
> > band. The normal assignment is part of a 5 channel trunk:
> > 220.0575, .2075, .3575, .5075, .6575 or
> > 220.0625, .2125, .3625, .5125, .6625 (mobiles are 1 MHz higher)
> > Check the first freq. for each group for an ID or more frequent activity.
> >
> > /* barry /&
>
> What he's saying in a technical matter is what you were probably hearing
> 220 smr freqs. This portion was taken away from amateurs (220-222) a
> couple years ago for business. It is called ACSSB or amplitude
> compandered single side band. It uses side band modulation with a sync
> tone so all the radios on that talkgroup can receive. The reason for
> this unusual type of set up is it uses very little bandwidth and is more
> efficent than other modes. It takes a little listening and time to get
> use to the audio but it is copyable. One major problem is cost of
> equipment. It is in no way cheap. Other technologies are surfacing in
> the 220 smr area like LM or linear modulation.
>
> Stay tuned, hope this helped
>
> Brian

1939. Re: How Can I Make My Tape Recorder Into Extra-Long-Record Device?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <350DEECF.2DA1@ibm.net>
Source record: 166833
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> KC5YWX <jboros@highfiber.com> wrote:
>
> > It can be done, but to pull this off would require some type of tachometer
> > feedback loop and a driver circuit on the motor. Then set the loop for
> > half speed (It probably would not be stable much below this). The circuit
> > will give it the needed power to start up, but will regulate the speed.
>
> Heh heh heh......like I said, the venture would
> be dang near impossible..... or at least not feasible.
>
> <grin>

Could you not just fit a smaller diameter pulley on the drive motor?

Also, most cheap tape recorder motors have a built in regulator of
sorts. It's a centrifugal weight that breaks contact when the motor
starts to turn too quickly. You could increase the weight (blob of
solder?) or loosen the spring (bend it?). In fact, I think they have
small fine speed adjustment screws which could be cranked. It may be
prudent to reduce the voltage going to the motor to help reduce flutter
to tolerable levels if you went this route.

I'm sure this will work.

--
Andy Moss
"Whose woods these are I think I know...."

1940. Re: Is VOX recording possible on a PC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: FX1 <fx1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ekhs0$i01@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166834

You can also get the program WINTONE 2.02 at Cnet under there
www.downloads.com section, search for wintone or go to there web page and
download it there, wish I could tell you but dont remember off my head,
e-mail me back and I'll find it for you. This version has the VOX feature
and also decodes tones into #'s.

FX1

Just Me wrote in message <01bd50a2$72f932a0$1511a2d1@robb>...
>I would like to record the stuff that happens while I am at work but would
>like to do it through my PC. Does anyone know if this is possible and if
>so how. Are there any Programs out there that would make this alil easier?
>
>rbarrett@thegrid.net
>--
>Just me

1941. Wanted...Pro 51 Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim Russell <kbrussell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <350DC9F4.1E359DB7@earthlink.net>
Source record: 166835

If anyone has a Radio Shack Pro 51...please respond to this mail...
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Thanks

1942. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh6hz@anomaly.ideamation.com.NO-SPAM
Message-ID: <6ekj5ldai1@anomaly.ideamation.com>
Source record: 166836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6eehb0$haj@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote:

>Eavesdropping on someone's telephone call is the same form of voyeurism
>as peering in their windows (except that one allows you to hide in your
>home with your drapes closed while the other requires that you must be
>peeking through your drapes).

Not at all.

If you and your girlfriend are "doing it" on a public beach, and I'm
sitting there watching the sunset, is that "voyeurism"?

If you and your girlfriend are "doing it" on the front lawn of your house,
and I happen to see you while I'm walking by, is that "voyeurism?"

If you and your girlfriend are "doing it" in your bedroom with the bay
windows wide open and all the lights on, and I happen to see you while
I'm walking by, is that "voyeurism?"

If you and your girlfriend are "doing it" in your bedroom with the bay
windows closed and all the lights off, and I walk up and peek through
the windows as I'm walking by, is that "voyeurism?"

In the case of the latter, absolutely, but in the case of the former
three, absolutely not.

Using your definition, everyone on the planet should walk around with
their heads looking down at the ground, less they become "voyeurs"
overseeing something you are doing in public.

It is this last point, Jeff, that you seem to be confused about.
A public telephone call, on a public telephone network, is usually
sent over a bounded channel (yes, telephone companies also use
microwave and other unbounded media to relay signals, but that is only
CO to CO, not point-to-point.)

Contrast this to a cellular phone call, which is sent over an
unbounded, 'public' channel.

In other words, using a cell phone to have a conversation is no different
than you and a friend having a conversation in a standing-room-only
Yankee Stadium, and 'expecting' your conversation to be 'private'.

>Wire-tapping someone's telephone has been illegal for quite a long
>time. Now ask yourself how listening to a phone conversation
>via a scanner is different from wire-tapping that party's phone.

>Your intent is the same - to spy on your neighbor.

Intent is irrelevant. The difference is in the medium of transmission. With RBOCs, the phone to your house is a pair of copper. Nobody can "tap" that unless they physically connect to your phone line.

Should you expect people to shut off their radios if you make a 2 meter autopatch phone call? Why do you have an expectation of privacy for a cell call and not one for a 2 meter autopatch call?

>It's just a pity that we need such a federal law in place of what
>should be a moral obligation to respect the privacy of your neighbors.

If you want your privacy respected, don't "do it" in a publically accessible medium. Keep your shades drawn, or conversations encrypted.

>If you want the EPCA repealed, then you should also fight for allowing
>unlimited wire-tapping without court intervention.

Wire-tapping is not the same as listening to broadcast transmissions. Furthermore, wiretaps are used in criminal/civil litigation, where certain protections must exist to protect against abuses by law enforcement authorities. This is a marked difference from people listening to their scanners.

The problem with the EPCA is that it sets a dangerous precident in law-making -- if the government can dictate where you can listen using a radio you can make in your own home, pretty soon they will start telling you WHAT you can listen to.

MD
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-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have
-- with my guns.
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-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

1943. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6ekn15$lu4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166837
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh

In article <6eehb0$haj@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>
> Rev. C. U. Fry <stderr@mailexcite.com> wrote:
> >Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
> >you nuts?
>
> Eavesdropping on someone's telephone call is the same form of voyeurism
> as peering in their windows (except that one allows you to hide in your
> home with your drapes closed while the other requires that you must be
> peeking through your drapes).
>
> >Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as
> >long as we did not repeat it.
>
> Wire-tapping someone's telephone has been illegal for quite a long
> time. Now ask yourself how listening to a phone conversation
> via a scanner is different from wire-tapping that party's phone.
> Your intent is the same - to spy on your neighbor.

A telephone conversation between two hard wired phones stays over phone lines throughout the conversation (except with digital ong distance satelites). A cellular phone is nothing more than an FM radio transmitter. Listening to a radio signal would be similar to standing on a street corner and hearing two people yelling at each other. In both cases, the person listening never intrudes upon anyone else. Until 1986, the federal laws regarding telephone privacy treated radio-telephones in this manner.
I personally do not sit around listening to cell-phones all day. However, I feel I should have the right to intercept any radio signal passing through public airwaves. The cellular-phone industry should not tell customers that their unencrypted FM radio signals are somehow private simply because Congress said so.
> Y

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1944. Re: pro64 computer interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Montalbano <jrmont@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <350E010F.2374@iquest.net>
Source record: 166838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

AgentBlue wrote:
>
> Is Radio Shack EVER going to come out with a computer interface for the
> pro64 and its sister tabletop scanner?? I've seen 3rd party computer
> interfaces on the market but whats the deal? I mean why would they
> mention it in the manual if it would never come out? I guess it's kind
> of useless since it would be only for uploading frequencies. Any info
> would be greatly appreciated!
> Thnks, AgentBlue

Have you tried my PROgramit SW at http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj. Don't be
confused by the discussion of a circuit that is used only in scanners
that do not already have a built-in interface. Look for the special
instructions for the PRO64 on the main page. The PRO64 has very limited
computer control capability (You can only download freqs), so no
program for it is worth $129.95. If you like PROgramit, I ask for a
small registration fee of $12.00

1945. Re: Radio Shack Robots (was: Re: Radio Shack Rip Off)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <mikel@tir.com>
Message-ID: <350DDC42.E7653787@tir.com>
Source record: 166839

I have worked for them for almost 5 years and never made under $50,000 per year......the ones that used to work for us are the ones that could not cut it in the commision world (sour grapes)
oh ya my store mgr and district mgr love me.......

TheHamGuy wrote:

> In article <19980310050901.AAA06341@ladder02.news.aol.com>, n2zxz@aol.com
> (N2ZXZ) writes:
>
>
>
> I used to work for them. Worst experience of my life. If they can't make at
> least a 50% markup (excluding sale merchandise), they won't sell it.
> Overpriced junk. Underpaid help. The reason RS clerks are all brain-dead is
> because that's apparently what Fort Worth wants: robots who won't question
> their policies or do anything besides go through the motions. The "good ones"
> either leave quickly for more lucrative opportunities or are forced out by
> their store managers or district managers, worried that they might end up with
> their jobs.

1946. Re: Radio Shack Robots (was: Re: Radio Shack Rip Off)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <mikel@tir.com>
Message-ID: <350DDB82.C58BEA1B@tir.com>
Source record: 166840

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> their policies or do anything besides go through the motions. The "good ones"
> either leave quickly for more lucrative opportunities or are forced out by
> their store managers or district managers, worried that they might end up with
> their jobs.

1947. FS:Diamond D707 Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron M <monfeli@mail.telis.org>
Message-ID: <350DE14F.9A6A3813@mail.telis.org>
Source record: 166841
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

For Sale,
Brand New Diamond D707 antenna with built in preamp. Comes in origional packaging and information. Works fantastic! Asking $150.00 including shipping in conus.
Ron

1948. Re: PA Systems???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Cook <bcook@juno.com>
Message-ID: <350DE0F6.F94C7D05@juno.com>
Source record: 166842
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Tim Hynde wrote:

> Ben unless someone else here is one up on me, your gonna have to try
> again... PA Systems? Public Address?
> Section of what band?
>
> Tim

Public address systems like they use for school and company announcements. I was thinking that they would be in the 140-150 Mhz area. I was thinking that someone might have a frequency counter that would be able to find out or people that would just happen to know that kind of stuff off hand. Thanks!

-Ben

1949. Need freqs for Fayetteville, NC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hector Quinones <hectorq@foto.infi.net>
Message-ID: <350D3520.633F@foto.infi.net>
Source record: 166843

All,

I need some scanner freqs for the Fayetteville, NC area. Any resources
you can provide will be appreciated.

Hector

1950. Re: Scantenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Reid <reidb@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <350DCF8D.49439D02@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 166844

Tim Jackson wrote:

> I just received my new Scantenna this morning and spent a coupla hours
> putting it up on a pole outside.
>
> It seems to work well although it's way too early to tell yet and I
> haven't been able to compare it to my discone yet.
>
> One thing I did notice though, and which disappointed me somewhat, is
> the poor quality of the whole antenna. It looks like it's been made the
> way those really cheap and nasty TV antennas from the far east are made.
>
> I can't help wondering how many days it's gonna take before all kinds of
> weird electro-chemical effects start happening between the various
> pieces.
>
> Does anyone else have any comment on this antenna?
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I found the scantenna a good performer but it didn't stand up to the elements. It was up for about 4 months and the wind bent it in half, but for the price you can't go wrong. I live in the north country and it was ice/wind that did it in.

-Brian

1951. Radio News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: fireboss@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6ekp1d$e36@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 166845
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

> LMPS -- The Land Mobile Products Sector announced two Illinois contract
> awards for 800 MHz SMARTNET (TM) trunked two- way radio communications
> systems. One system is for the city of Joliet, the other for the
> Illinois Department of Corrections' new super-maximum-security facility
> in Tamms, 35 miles north of Cairo. The $2.9 million Joliet trunked
> system will serve the city's police, fire and public works departments,
> replacing a 15-year-old conventional radio system. The Tamms award is
> for an $800,000 single-site system similar to the trunked radio
> communications systems installed in 1997 at Illinois correctional
> facilities in Pontiac and in Joliet. /Motorola Press Release/

1952. Radio News 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: fireboss@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6ekp38$e3h@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 166846
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

> Motorola Installs ASTRO Digital Radio System for Los Angeles
>
> The Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) is preparing for the demands of
> the 21st Century by installing a state-of-the-art digital, two-way radio
> system to enhance the communications capabilities of the LAPD. The
> decision to install the new system developed as part of the LAPD's long-
> term strategy and blueprint for the department's future. Motorola
> responded to the LAPD's request for proposal with a radio communications
> system with advanced technology that will meet LAPD's vision for the
> future.
>
> The LAPD has negotiated with Motorola to install a new ASTRO(TM) digital
> simulcast radio communications system. This system will include
> extensive citywide computer-driven communications infrastructure
> designed to meet the LAPD's specific requirements and new portable
> radios and software updates for existing radios in the field.
>
> The LAPD has been planning for this system for several years. During
> the late 1980s, it became apparent to the LAPD that the existing
> frequencies used by the Department would not be enough for the future.
> In 1988, they petitioned the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) for
> an additional 38 UHF frequencies.

1953. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: JoeR <talon2@olg.com>
Message-ID: <350DE575.E2FD0333@olg.com>
Source record: 166847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

May I interject? The airwaves belong to the public, and last time I looked, a cellular telephone was nothing more than a radio. The cellular industry put one over on the public, stating that a cell phone was as convenient and secure as a landline. Anyone with any technical knowledge of the subject knows that's a crock. The bottom line is if you don't want me listening to it, then ENCRYPT IT!

1954. Re: APCO Project 25 - Standards for Public Safety Digital Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ekr8cdbe1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 166848

Brent Corbin wrote:
>
> That's probably an understatement 8*) My guess is, a few relatively
> small, one-tower towns with relatively few topographical perversities
> and low traffic volume will be enticed to switch over in the next
> few years to give the project some measure of credibility. These
> users will no doubt play around with the 'features' - digital included,
> and will *probably* find themselves back on 12.5 KHz analog before long.
> ...And their experiences will heighten the reluctance of other departments
> to join in the experiment. For all the hype, my gut feeling is that most
> agencies are watching APCO-25 with some fear and trepidation.
>
> Scratch beneath the surface, and I think you'll find APCO-25 is being
> pushed most heavily by the radio manufacturers (hardware and firmware),
> who stand to make a LOT of bucks, both in initial sales and in upgrades
> and maintenance (and gawd knows, there's going to be a hell of a lot of
> maintenance to `keep' these systems digital-grade). The biggest fluff
> in the sales-pitch is political, and has little if anything to do with
> finding solutions that best meet the needs of the guys in the field.
>
> Having a dozen mutual aid/incident tactical freqs programmed into
> wide-band, synthesized radios may not be 21'st century, but it'll work
> reliably, and that's what most agencies want/need. Hell, the incandescent
> light bulb probably isn't 20'th century, but most of us wouldn't trade 'em
> in for glowing mood-crystals 8*)
>
> Chuck Meyer (chuckm@zocalo.com) wrote:
> : It looks like it may be a while before this stuff gets into common use.
>
> : You might want to look into an APCO 25-compatible communication analyser
> : test set. This will be quite expensive.
> : -- Chuck

What I would like for the state of Indiana, is a state 800 Mhz system.
The state sets up the equipment in each county. No local systems. Lets
you be linked to any part of the state. Put all fire, police, local
government services one one system.

1955. Re: Forest Service Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: scsando@wazoo.com
Message-ID: <350DF26A.552D@wazoo.com>
Source record: 166849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Thanks A Million!

1956. Orange County Trunked System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@REMOVE.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <350DF5E5.2956BE2A@REMOVE.pacbell.net>
Source record: 166850

Does anyone know when Orange County California will be switching to the countywide trunked system, and what type of system and radios will be used?

Jim

1957. For Sale ESN reprogrammer... Cheap Must see!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: DonQ99@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6ekvis$1ep$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166851
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.cellular.gsm,alt.cellular

I have the following forsale...

Parallel port ESN reprogrammer for PC/MAC
fits most phones NEC,Nokia,
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Originally Paid $1,200

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1958. Re: Phoenix question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: njtonv@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6eku7plld1@newsd-144.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 166852

The center audio frequency for broadcast Ch. 15 is 481.750 mHz.

Most TV news comms use 450-451 or
455-456 mHz equipment.

Hope this helps.
njtonv@webtv.net

1959. where to get DJ-X10 in Sydney?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: cavemann@rpi.net.au
Message-ID: <6el1h6$328$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166853

Just wondering if any one knows of a shop here in Sydney that sells the Alinco DJ-x10?

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1960. FS Realistic pro-26 $130.00 Plus UPS shipping

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Merrell <kd6jxy@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <350E0EA1.314464E3@pacbell.net>
Source record: 166854

FS PRO-26

I am posting for a friend not on the net however will hand
communications. Availible pro-26 Scanner receives 25mhz to 1.3GHz Cell
bolcked. Hyper scann 200 channels. from 1 to 10 8 and a half 9. works
perfectectly.
price $130.00 plus UPS shipping.
E-mail the addresses below or just hit reply and we can go from there

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Paul Merrell
kd6jxy@pacbell.net
http://home.pacbell.net/kd6jxy
AOL: paulkd6jxy
JUNO: kd6jxy@juno.com

1961. Forest Service Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Thayer <n7zti@pacinfo.com>
Message-ID: <350E1A2F.71F17A3A@pacinfo.com>
Source record: 166855

I am looking for the Forest Service Frequencies that are used in the
Lane County, Oregon area. Any information would be greatly appreciated.

1962. Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J&J Electronics <techno@cable-box.com>
Message-ID: <350E0E76.3AA9@cable-box.com>
Source record: 166856

Hello All!

I've been looking over the net for the actual owners manual for the
good 'ol Pro-2006 base scanner. I was told y my buddy that I bought it
from, that there was a couple sites with it available in Acrobat.
I've been looking high and low, but can't find it.
YES..I've been to Tandy's support site, but what they have is very
VAGUE.
Thanks in advance for any and all help anyone can provide.

J&J Electronics.
Wholesalers of Cable TV. Descramblers and Converters
http://www.cable-box.com/

1963. Re: Broadcasting scanner over Internet: is it legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big Daddy <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6ennls$ivd@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 166857

I once had an idea of plugging in an old scanner into our company's hold music input, so it would play LAPD transmissions.....but thought somewhere, someone would get offended....most probably wouldn't "get it"

Karl Dahlquist
karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com
http://vistagroupusa.com/burbank.htm

1964. BC235 & antenna comments...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: MacUser@Penn.com
Message-ID: <MacUser-ya023580001603982251040001@news2.penn.com>
Source record: 166858
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Summary: New BC235 works great, but antenna seems suspect...

I had recently sold my bc200xlt to upgrade to a 235 trunktracker. The bc-235XLT arrived this AM. Had time to program it before I left the office and test drive it on my trip today and home. I put my old 100xlt on the seat next to it for comparison. First impressions:

Good news: It was easy to program, even the trunked channels. It picked up most strong signals first (before the 100xlt), which I attribute to the scan speed. The trunk tracking works perfect in State College, the place I went today and (conveniently) the only place in the immediate area using a trunked system.

Bad news. Is is harder to read, the characters on the display are smaller. It seems to have less volume than the older handhelds. Last but not least, it did not seem to be as sensitive to marginal signals, and important issue in the rural area I travel. It completely missed some signals caught by the 100.

Question: Have you seen anything one way or the other on the antenna performance? After a while, I tried swapping antennas, and the 235 performance improved dramatically! (The 100 performance dropped off accordingly.) Is the antenna on the 235 tuned specifically for the 800 mhz range at the cost of reception in some other areas (which would make sense since it is marketed as a trunk tracker)? Maybe the old 100 antenna is better tuned to a broad range of signals; at least it certainly seemed to perform better with the 100 antenna.

- Dave

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Dave Shaffer
MacUser@Penn.com

1965. Re: How Can I Make My Tape Recorder Into Extra-Long-Record Device?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve@swssec.com
Message-ID: <350c6d08.35052381@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 166893
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 15 Mar 1998 21:42:44 GMT, radioman@localnet.com (Mr. Raymond A. Miller) wrote:

>Does anyone know if there is a way to take a standard voice activated >cassette recorder and retrofit it into one of the 8 or 10 hour long >ones that are advertised in the radio magazines regularly?

To do it properly involves some machine work.

You could use an old VCR with a long tape and get 8 hours on the audio track. Might be able to find a wrecked VCR at a hamfest where video is screwed up but audio is OK.

Regards ..... Steve

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"In God we trust, all others we monitor"
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1966. Pro 26 questions (cellular, antenna, and others)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@albany.net
Message-ID: <350c461b.636714@news.albany.net>
Source record: 166894

Hi. I just bought a Pro 26, and read mixed reviews. Is it any good?
I only paid $199.00. Now, I just found out that one can use IF
frequencies to listen to cell calls, and it works! But, I already
ordered a full coverage logic board from Javaition (sp?) Will the
reception be better when I get the board using the correct frequencies
as opposed to the IF frequencies? Also, I just noticed my computer
interferes big time when it's on. Would using an outside antenna be
an option I should consider? Thank you for your replies.

Do cemetery workers prefer the graveyard shift?

Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
Jroulier@albany.net

1967. Re: MDT prelims.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <350C6F31.25BC@c-com.net>
Source record: 166895

Jose Cuervo wrote:
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> Neal Fildes wrote:
>
> > Jack wrote in message <350A1A45.1DF6@bellsouth.net>...
> > >Victor Axiotis wrote:
> > >>
> > >> >I have found police mdt transmissions in the 470mhz and 850mhz range
> > >> I have heard that MDT1234 does not work with the MDT's that operate in
> > the
> > >> 400 mhz range.
> > >> Are you saying otherwise.
> > >I think you are confusing trunker.exe with mdtw1234. I'm quite sure it
> > >works
> > >with mdts on 400mhz, my favorite pd is there!
> >
> > well, mdt1234 works on 400 mhz, as does the mdt.exe that goes WITH trunker
> > (in the beta site),
> > and for motorola, Trunker can do tracking in 400 mhz systems. try THAT with
> > your Uniden TrunkTracker...
> > in fact, a trunker for EDACS is due out SHORTLY - already in test by
> > trunking enthusiasts in 10 cities!
> >
> > nrf
>
> Thats all good and great, is there or will there be any program to do other
> forms of MDT transmisson? Like 19200 baud etc... If there is point me in the
> right direction.
Sure if some one takes his or her good time to research the format of
19200, or even 9600 baud mdts and sit down and write (wirte) a program
to do the decoding. But the fellow who wrote the original MDT program
must be off into better things. He had to do a great amount of work
to get the program where it is today.

1968. WTB AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: skak@sover.net
Message-ID: <350c710e.100028261@news.sover.net>
Source record: 166896

Looking for an unblocked or UK version for a fair price (less
than $600)... Thanks Steve WA1WMN

1969. Bc 895XLT Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: intripet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316014000.UAA18262@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166897

Is the Bc895XLT double or triple conversion?

1970. Re: MDT prelims.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack <kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <350C8B3F.78D2@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166898

Neal Fildes wrote:
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> Jack wrote in message <350A1A45.1DF6@bellsouth.net>...
> >Victor Axiotis wrote:
> >>
> >> >I have found police mdt transmissions in the 470mhz and 850mhz range
> >> I have heard that MDT1234 does not work with the MDT's that operate in
> the
> >> 400 mhz range.
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> >with mdts on 400mhz, my favorite pd is there!
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> (in the beta site),
> and for motorola, Trunker can do tracking in 400 mhz systems. try THAT with
> your Uniden TrunkTracker...
> in fact, a trunker for EDACS is due out SHORTLY - already in test by
> trunking enthusiasts in 10 cities!
>
> nrf

Sure, trunker works on 400mhz....kinda...if you want to count it
throwing 800mhz
freqs at you....

1971. Re: MDT prelims./ Where doeas one locate the plans for these?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack <kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <350C8C15.59E@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166899

Mr. Raymond A. Miller wrote:
>
> Hi,
> Can anyone point me (and I suspect lots of others) in the right
> direction for the pland spoken of herein?
> Thganks a lot....
> Regards,
> Ray Miller N2NJK

Everything you want and more at:
http://spectrum.base.org/

1972. Re: Pro-2026 (Need manual) I've got the info. thanks ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tramd300@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316022800.VAA26971@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166900

Thanks for all the great replys...

1973. Re: How Can I Make My Tape Recorder Into Extra-Long-Record Device?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Frasier <keith@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <01bd508c$befc6f20$4a722cc7@keith.nettally.com>
Source record: 166901
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

One option is if you have an old VCR your not useing, you can use the audio input jack on the VCR to get 6 hours (the length of a vcr tape in slow mode) on one tape and the sound quality is good.

Mr. Raymond A. Miller <radioman@localnet.com> wrote in article <6ehhu0ppl1@usenet47.supernews.com>...
> Might be a dumb question / idea but here goes.....
> Does anyone know if there is a way to take a standard voice activated
> cassette recorder and retrofit it into one of the 8 or 10 hour long
> ones that are advertised in the radio magazines regularly?
> If possible, I'dlike to avoid paying $90.00 or whatever it is they
> charge for theirs. Any ideas out there from scanner enthusiasts who
> like to tape stuff to listen to at a later time?
> Thanks and have a great day!\
> Ray Miller N2NJK
>
>

1974. Re: Bc 895XLT Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6ei63t$93l@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 166902
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <19980316014000.UAA18946@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
Intripet <intripet@aol.com> wrote:

>Is the Bc895XLT double or triple conversion?

From the FAQ article SCANNER RADIO REVIEW BRIEFS:

BC895XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage.....
triple conversion 380.8 or 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz IFs....
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1975. Re: How Can I Make My Tape Recorder Into Extra-Long-Record Device?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350c9be2.69824656@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166903

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

radioman@localnet.com (Mr. Raymond A. Miller) wrote:

> Might be a dumb question / idea but here goes.....
> Does anyone know if there is a way to take a standard voice activated
> cassette recorder and retrofit it into one of the 8 or 10 hour long
> ones that are advertised in the radio magazines regularly?
> If possible, I'dlike to avoid paying $90.00 or whatever it is they
> charge for theirs. Any ideas out there from scanner enthusiasts who
> like to tape stuff to listen to at a later time?

It ain't a dumb question, but there are no
real good answers. There are a few choices,
but..... well, to modify a standard cassette
recorder into a long play version means to
gear down the drive system. You'll have to
figure out the drive arrangment in the first
place and study the pulleys and capstans.

Then apply the principle of the bicycle sprocket
where the smaller the drive wheel and the larger
the driven wheel, the slower it goes.

You'll find this venture to be almost impossible
unless you're a mechanic and a machinist. So we
take a look at the alternatives......

First is to electrically slow down the motor.
Except that won't work. You won't get it appreciably
slowed by lowering the voltage/current because
torque drops off faster than speed.....and any slowdown
at all means the tape will fail to start up, probably
at a most inopportune time.

Next is to find a lower voltage drive motor.
This might work since torque would be compensated
and it might go slower than the stock motor. Then
again, it might go faster. Who knows?

Basically, we come to a point where it's determined
that it's fruitless to try to hack the recorder.
Fraught with problems for so little gain.

But there is another approach or two that hold promise.

Like an "Automatic Tape Recorder Switch", that's operated by the SQuelch signal of the receiver. Using the REMOTE function of the recorder, the ATRS will start the recorder when SQuelch breaks and pause it when SQuelch sets. You'll still only get45-90 mins of audio.....but no dead time at all!

I have used one tape for weeks recording seldom used frequencies.....but.... when they are used, it's hot! But even on highly used freqs, you'd be surprised how long it takes to record 45-90 mins of pure audio. So this might be your solution.

The simplest version of an ATRS is an NPN transistor, say a 2N2222A with a 10-k resistor on the base going to the scanner's squelch signal; grounded emitter; and a relay coil in the collector shunted by a diode suppressor, and Vcc of some value tied to the high side of the relay coil and the cathode of the diode. The anode and low side of the coil go to the collector.

Then you bring a 2-wire cable to the COMMON and N.O. contacts of the relay, to go out the scanner to the tape recorder's REMOTE jack. Do NOT ground either of these two wires to the scanner!!!

Vcc for this circuit should be pretty close to the rated coil voltage, (5v or 12v). And there you have it in a nutshell.

Another option is to go more modern with a solid-state recorder, using your computer's sound card and one of the shareware or freeware recorder programs that are floating around. Some of them are "VOX" operated, meaning there is no recording when sound is not present. In this case, you'd tap the scanner's audio at some point ahead of the SQuelch, probably at the input to the audio power amplifier and feed it to a jack on the scanner. Patch this jack to the LINE INPUT of the sound card, and run the software.

One freeware such program is "voxrec.zip" that can be found at my FTP site: ftp://204.210.11.204/intrface/ It works pretty good and there are others out and about. So long as you have plenty of free space on your hard drive, you can record several hours' worth of continuous audio. No free space, and you're back to square one.

Maybe you'll get some input from others, but the above are your choices as I see them. Else buy that

$90 recorder....I guess.

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1976. Re: John Mackey SUXXXXX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350da34b.71721839@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166904

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Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

> OBFD wrote:
>
> > This guy is a JERK!!! I have met him personally, and he is LOUD, ARROGANT,
> > OBNOXIOUS, and can not get LAID for the life of him.
>
> Well if you've met me personally, then who are YOU? (I never forget
> someone I've met!)

Maybe you haven't met HIM. I've scoped you
out several times, Ignats, and you never had
a clue I was watching......

> > Ignore ANYTHING HE SAYS, I DO!!!!!

> Obviously this it NOT true or you wouldn't have wrote about me in your
> message!

He didn't respond to anything you said, dummy.
He said he ignores what you say. And he has,
thus far.

But it is easy to ignore what you say because
you are very ignorant, Hermie-baby.

1977. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <350ca5a1.1535749@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166905

Why the change in the "from" in your e-mail Mackey....??
Trying to weasel out of the hundreds of kill filters you're in?

On Sun, 15 Mar 1998 18:39:38 -0800, *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
wrote:

>Bill-
>
>Would you like me to post the message you wrote on this NG a few months
>ago where you admitted you pulled me out of your killfile so you
>could read my messages & attack me?
>
>
>
>Bill Cheek wrote:
>> the man remembers. Others do, too.
>> Many do. Hundreds do. I just asked them to
>> stay out of this fracas betwixt you and me. There

The CB Guy....on the road again

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

1978. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350ea57a.72281305@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166906

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

-John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

> Would you like me to post the message you wrote on this NG a few months
> ago where you admitted you pulled me out of your killfile so you
> could read my messages & attack me?

Sure. I wish you would. If you don't
edit it, you'll see where it was in direct
response to your inability to stifle your
wretched self. You just wouldn't lock your
jaws, so I took you out of my Shit List for
a while.

Hey even guys like me need to have fun, Herm.
And you are fun, especially when you're all
bent over blowing big, fat snotbubbles.

You are such a slovenly reprobate, Hermie.

1979. John Mackey's Tape Worm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3512aa5c.73532074@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166907

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

LATEST NEWS!!

Seems Johnny Mackey hasn't been feeling all that
well lately. He's been lazy and shiftless,
and no wonder why!!! He had an 18-ft TAPEWORM!

That damn tape worm was so big and stout that
the standard worming medicines wouldn't touch it.
The tapeworm thrived on everything thrown at it.

But fortunately for Mackey, he had a smart doctor.
About two weeks ago, the doc says, "John, come back
tomorrow and bring me one banana and four vanilla
wafers. Desperate, Mackey agreed.

Next day, bandanna and vanilla wafers in hand, the
good fellow Mackey popped into the doc's office bright
and early. The doc had Mackey lay out on the table,
bare-arse up....and casually shoved the bandanna and
four vanilla wafers up where the sun never shines.

Then he told Mackey to come back each day for the
next five days, each day with one bandanna and four
vanilla wafers.

Puzzled, but desperate, Mackey did as the doctor
ordered, and each day got a bandanna and four vanilla
wafers shoved up his monstragonous derriere.

Finally on the 6th day after the same procedure,
the doc ordered Mackey to come back one more day,
but this time with just a banana - no vanilla wafers.

So on the 7th day, Mackey boogied back into the
doc's office and jumped right up on the table.
The doc placed a brick under Mackey's groin area,
and then slipped the bandanna in.

Then he grabbed a 5-lb sledge hammer and held
it up over the brick....and waited.

....and waited.......

After about five minutes, the tapeworm stuck its
head out and bellowed, "Where's my damn vanilla
wafers?" at which time the doctor lowered the sledge.

Whammmmm-o-kaaaa-blammo!

End of tapeworm. Happy Mackey?

This might otherwise be the end of the story,
except if you get to wondering how's come Mackey
snivels and sings soprano these days.....

The sledge hammer hit a little off center.....

1980. Re: Top Ten Reasons Why john Mackey Is The Most Loved Person on The Internet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350fa8a8.73095144@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166908

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
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Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:

> Top Ten Reasons Why John Mackey is the Most Loved
> Personality on the Internet Today

> 9. Has consistently demonstrated the highest intelligence of
> all the rocks on Earth.

Shame! Shame! Shame on you! You've just degraded
all rock on this planet.

> 4. Entered medical history when he became the first person
> known to have his vocal chords in his sphincter.

Lest we forget.....the idiot was born without eyelids,
and to fix him up with something close, the medics
grafted pieces of his circumcision as replacements.
Then when he reached puberty, they grafted in some
pubies for eyelashes.

They still don't know what to do about his 2" overbite;
huge buckteeth; cleft palate; and harelip.

> 1. Voted Most Popular Bitch of Cell Block C five years in a row.

Oh my!

1981. Mackey the Baiter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3511a9ff.73438429@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166909

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

We interrupt our regular programming for this
special Report picked up from the dock workers
down along the Portland, Oregon, waterfront:

Seems last year, our cherished and highly admired
John Mackey wanted to work around boats and water,
so he applied for a job with the fishing fleet.

Surprise - he immediately landed a position as an
Apprentice Baiter, putting anchovies on customers'
hooks and spreading chum on the water around the
fishing holes.

He wasn't bad at the work with the result about
a year later, Mackey was promoted to Journeyman Baiter.
Along with that came a pay raise from minimum wage
to six bucks an hour. Man, was he ever happier than
a cat in a sandbox.

He was so happy that it motivated him to learn all
there was to know about the arts and sciences of
baiting hooks and spreading chum. He got so good that
week, the fine feathered fellow was promoted again....

....from Journeyman Baiter to Master Baiter.

And now we return to our regular programming.

1982. John Mackey's Headaches Cured!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3513abf1.73936560@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166910

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur

NEWS FLASH!!!

It is now well known that Johnny Mackey's 20-yr
span of severe, debilitating migraine headaches
has come to a sudden and dramatic cessation.
But in the words of the immortal Paul Harvey,
here is "the rest of the story".....

Seems that our good man Mackey suffered utterly
horrible headaches for the last twenty years.
He went from doctor to doctor and clinic to
clinic seeking relief that did not come. No one
had any answers; medications had no effect.
Exploratory surgeries offered no clues.

Finally, Mackey heard rumors of a miracle
doctor down in Mexico who could cure headaches.
Spending his life savings on a bus ticket and
travelers checks, Mackey headed down into the
bowels of old Tijuana, Mexico, to see the legendary
miracle doctor.

The doctor went over Mackey with a fine toothed
comb, from head to toe....and after a few days
of rigorous testing, he declared to Mackey that
while he couldn't find the cause of the headaches,
he *could* definitely cure them once and for all.

He explained that somehow the problem was centered
in Mackey's reproductive system and that castration
was the ONLY way out. At about that time, a monstrous
migraine hit Mackey with such force that he readily
agreed to the surgery on the spot. "Anything!"
declared, Mackey, "Anything to relieve this pain!"

Castration was summarily performed on the spot,
and within minutes of coming out from the anesthesia,
Mackey declared that he couldn't remember feeling
so good! The headache was truly gone! What a feeling!

Mackey returned to Oregon, euphoric, elated and so
inspired that he managed to land a job at the county
sewage treatment center on the first try.

Prosperity and happiness looming for the first time in his life, Mackey decided that the first step for his "new life" should be to buy a whole new wardrobe from head to toe.

Shopping in one store, Mackey decided that new underwear were in order, too, so he asked a grizzled old salesman for size 34 BVD's. The salesman, having been around for a long time, looked quizzically at Mackey's humongous midsection and politely suggested that size 54's would be much more appropriate.

Mackey huffily declared that he'd been wearing size 34's for twenty years and there was no damn sense in changing now. The wise old salesman scratched his chin for a moment, and casually replied:

"Well, now son, that may be so, but don't you know that wearing too tight underwear causes headaches?"
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1983. Good Bye John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3514ad2a.74249410@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166911

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hey Mackey, you old degenerate reprobate, you!
How's it happening, good buddy? You doing okay?

Good.

I decided to slap you back on my Shit List again.
I won't be seeing your posts anymore, so let's
see (once again) how you manage without me calling
attention to your Down's Syndrome; quadrasexuality;
hermaphroditia; and general lack of well being.

Let's see if you can forget me even half as easily
as I can forget you.

A buck to a nickel says you can't keep me out of
your posts, by name, reference, or inference, for
one year.

Another nickel to a buck says you can't refrain from
off-topic posts for a year.

A final nickel to a buck says you can't limit yourself
to on-topic posts for the next year.

We'll see.

Adios, Master Baiter Mackey.

Poof! You're gone.

1984. Re: pro64 computer interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3515af20.74751689@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166912

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

AgentBlue <JDay98@prodigy.net> wrote:

> Is Radio Shack EVER going to come out with a computer interface for the
> pro64 and its sister tabletop scanner?? I've seen 3rd party computer
> interfaces on the market but whats the deal? I mean why would they
> mention it in the manual if it would never come out? I guess it's kind
> of useless since it would be only for uploading frequencies. Any info
> would be greatly appreciated!

Radio Schloque does (or did) have it....for $129.95.
Check with any store.

Else get the freeware version that's just as good
or better.

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| Bill Cheek ~ COMMtronics Engineering ~ World Scanner Report |
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| E-mail: bcheek@san.rr.com |
|WWWeb Site: http://204.210.11.204/ |
| Backup: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Site: ftp://204.210.11.204 or ftp.204.210.11.204 |
| or 204.210.11.204 (depends on your FTP program) |
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1985. BEST SCANNER/PC SOUNDCARD INTERFACE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <350CB305.648AC48C@netwit.com>
Source record: 166913
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Now that I've got your attention:

Do you want a software package that:

1. Feeds off of the "line-in" port of your sound card? (For you
scanner).

2. Runs three (3) simultaneous functions in a clean, pleasing display?:

1. Record as a *.WAV file on demand and voice activated?
2. A window showing a frequency analyzer in oscilloscope
display
3. A window that shows phone number tones converted to numbers
that are saved to a file that can only be purged by the PC
operator?

So would I.

If you know of piece of software that can do all that, would ya tell me?

(please respond to group).

1986. Re: Newbie Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <350cafb6.5804913@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166914

On 14 Mar 1998 18:37:01 -0700, Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
wrote:

>George Vetterle wrote:
>>
>> On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 01:09:09 -0800, Temple@Doom.com (Indiana Jones)
>> wrote:
>>
>> >Other than Radio Shacks book of frequencies, where can I find frequencies
>> >for Portland, Oregon? I just got a scanner and love the hobby but can
>> >only get a few freqs. (800 Mhz capable). Thanks for any advice offered!
>>
>> Maybe John Mackey can help you out. He lives in the Portland area
>> and is a scanner enthusiast.
>>
>> George L. Vetterle
>> geovet@ix.netcom.com
>> geovet@worldnet.att.net
>
>Goeorge, is correct. Call John at (503) 626-7399.

Call anytime, day or night and if you're in a different
area code just call collect.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

1987. Re: pro64 computer interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <350cb3a7.6813171@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 15 Mar 1998 21:02:34 -0500, AgentBlue <JDay98@prodigy.net>
wrote:

>Is Radio Shack EVER going to come out with a computer interface for the
>pro64 and its sister tabletop scanner?? I've seen 3rd party computer
>interfaces on the market but whats the deal? I mean why would they
>mention it in the manual if it would never come out? I guess it's kind
>of useless since it would be only for uploading frequencies. Any info
>would be greatly appreciated!
>Thnks, AgentBlue

Tandy did come out with a "computer software & interface" package
for the PRO-64 and PRO-2041. The part number is #11996428 and
the price was $129.99. It wasn't exactly a raging success since they
didn't go out of their way to advertise that capability of the
scanners and the package was a little pricy. I don't believe it ever
was stocked in any stores and was available only special order.

I wouldn't call it useless, it's actually very useful and beats the
hell out of entering a bunch of frequencies using the keypad. For
information on building the interface cable and software, check out:

Ken's Radio Scanner Page:

http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

There are links there to practically anything you might want to know
about the PRO-64.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

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1988. Re: Discone for low band reception (30-50 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Smith <jtsmith@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6eiens$7kk@camel12.mindspring.com>
Source record: 166916

Well the discone is a very good compromise antenna.
If you don't like swapping antennas around and want
reasonable coverage on the HF shortware bands
check out my comments on my web page
at http://www.mindspring.com/~jtsmith
I use an array of antennas for reception at
my ham station, but the discone mates up very
well with the ICOM PCR1000. It's lossy performance
keeps intemod down in the radio(which is very hot) and
works very well as a compromise on all bands through 950MHz
I feed the antenna with RG213 which has a measured loss
on my spectrum analyzer/sweep generator of only 2.5db
at 500MHz. I am relatively happy with that. It is mounted on my
chimney about 35 feet in the air.

So check one out. I got mine at radio shack for $70.
I use a 102inch steel whip instead of the loading coil
it comes with. The whip was $20.

Have fun
de K3GO
Fbals wrote in message <19980315182901.NAA05206@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>I am interested in how this antenna with the vertical whip performs on the
low
>band. Especially during periods of low band skip on the 26 to 27 Mhz CB
>frequencies also. I have heard both good and bad and would like actual user
>comments.
>
>Frank

1989. Re: Upgrade RS Discone (VHF whip) for $6.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Smith <jtsmith@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6eif4u$uhj@camel12.mindspring.com>
Source record: 166917

I brought a chrome plated brass coupler and the
102inch steel whip at a radio shack store, went to
the hardware store and brought a 5/16-18 corse tap
tapped out the end of the coupler, screw the 102inch
steel whip into it screwed the coupler into my old
radio shack discone ($70) antenna type, and vola
great working discone.
These parts are available at most stores. Wish I had
the part numbers for you....

de K3GO
Jim West wrote in message <350ad7ac.9724871@news.sprynet.com>...
>I have an older RS discone that I just recently installed. I wanted to
>improve the low band reception and tried a CB whip on top. It was a
>pain to connect it and it really didn't help much. On a whim I went
>into Radio shack, looked an the vertical element on the newer style
>discone and asked the sales guy if I could order the replacement
>parts. He had to make a call to figure out the part numbers. Once he
>got the numbers, he plugged it into the computer and yes, you can
>order them.
>
>They are ordered through Radio Shack Unlimited. This is where they
>take your money at the store, then the parts are shipped directly to
>you. The following is what you need to get.
>
> Coil Assembly RSU# 11986775 $1.99
> Whip W/Tip RSU# 11986783 $2.69
>
>For additional details and a link to a Tandy page for the discone,
>visit my scanning page:
>
>http://home.sprynet.com/sprynet/jimmiew/scan.htm
>
>Disclaimer: yadda yadda - don't work for RS - yadda yadda - nothing in
>it for me.

1990. Is VOX recording possible on a PC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Just Me <i@like.racing>
Message-ID: <01bd50a2$72f932a0$1511a2d1@robb>
Source record: 166918

I would like to record the stuff that happens while I am at work but would like to do it through my PC. Does anyone know if this is possible and if so how. Are there any Programs out there that would make this alil easier?

rbarrett@thegrid.net
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Just me

1991. Re: Globalstar vs. Iridium CDMA vs. TDMA which is the superior system?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Ashline <ashline@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <6eig89jpi1@newsfep1.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 166919

Where is Allied Signal located. I would like to get a job at a company like
that when I get out of collage. Allied Signal is written on a lot of the
crypto gear we use in the Marine Corps.
Michael May wrote in message <3507C005.25787045@email.sps.mot.com>...
>Iridium put up the satellites over a year ago, when I worked for Allied
>Signal in KC, KS I saw launches live in Feb and March of 97, they have a
>working 1800MHz/800 MHz dual frequency HT they have been running test
>communicating with the sats for almost year now with good results.

1992. Re: pro64 computer interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Ashline <ashline@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <6eih1e$ko2$1@newsfep1.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 166920
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Radio Shack does it is an item that is available thur Radio Shack Unlimited
and can be orderd from any corporate owened store. If you would like more
information E-Mail me at Ashline@Sprintmail.com

Ryan

PS It cost 129.99
AgentBlue wrote in message <350C883A.3829C3B0@prodigy.net>...
>Is Radio Shack EVER going to come out with a computer interface for the
>pro64 and its sister tabletop scanner?? I've seen 3rd party computer
>interfaces on the market but whats the deal? I mean why would they
>mention it in the manual if it would never come out? I guess it's kind
>of useless since it would be only for uploading frequencies. Any info
>would be greatly appreciated!
>Thnks, AgentBlue

1993. Re: Pro 26 questions (cellular, antenna, and others)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Ashline <ashline@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <6eih7tkus1@newsfep1.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 166921

Where did you buy the pro26 for 199.00?????

Sorry to tell you this but Radio Shack has had that scanner dicontinued for
some time and the last price was lower than that.
If you did get it at a Radio Shack then it must have been a dealer franchies
store.
Jeff wrote in message <350c461b.636714@news.albany.net>...
>Hi. I just bought a Pro 26, and read mixed reviews. Is it any good?
>I only paid $199.00. Now, I just found out that one can use IF
>frequencies to listen to cell calls, and it works! But, I already
>ordered a full coverage logic board from Javaition (sp?) Will the
>reception be better when I get the board using the correct frequencies
>as opposed to the IF frequencies? Also, I just noticed my computer
>interferes big time when it's on. Would using an outside antenna be
>an option I should consider? Thank you for your replies.
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>Do cemetery workers prefer the graveyard shift?
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>Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
>Jroulier@albany.net

1994. Re: What is 220.210 Mhz in SE Michigan?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6eih75$nm4@hopper.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 166922

Jethro <ewb@voyager.net> asked about:
> ... weird stuff on 220.210 Mhz. There is a tone every fifteen seconds
> or so, and every once in while there is some garbled speech.

The actual frequency would have been 220.2075 or 220.2125, with a 4 kHz bandwidth. The tight bandwidth and slight mis-tuning might account for the garbling, though specialized modulation techniques are encouraged in this band. The normal assignment is part of a 5 channel trunk:
220.0575, .2075, .3575, .5075, .6575 or
220.0625, .2125, .3625, .5125, .6625 (mobiles are 1 MHz higher)
Check the first freq. for each group for an ID or more frequent activity.

/* barry /&

1995. Re: Line of Sight?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6eiisa$nne@hopper.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 166923

Old sailor's rule: the distance to the horizon in nautical miles is
the square root of the the observer's elevation in feet. If you're on the
bridge with your eyes 49' above the water, the horizon is 7 nautical miles
away (actually 7.4, but close enough). If you're not an old sailor,
multiply the figure by 1.2 to get statute miles.
/* barry /&

1996. Re: Pro 26 questions (cellular, antenna, and others)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@albany.net
Message-ID: <350cdb3a.38817194@news.albany.net>
Source record: 166924

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 00:33:47 -0600, "Ryan Ashline"
<ashline@sprintmail.com> wrote:

>Where did you buy the pro26 for 199.00?????
>
>Sorry to tell you this but Radio Shack has had that scanner dicontinued for
>some time and the last price was lower than that.
>If you did get it at a Radio Shack then it must have been a dealer franchies
>store.

You're wrong. The Pro 26 is not discontinued, and i did buy it at a
Radio Shack store. Call and ask if you don't believe me.

Do cemetery workers prefer the graveyard shift?

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1997. Re: WTB AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: eaw@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <6eimvrvfv1@camel29.mindspring.com>
Source record: 166925

Order from Javiation.com Price is below $600.00
skak@sover.net wrote:

> Looking for an unblocked or UK version for a fair price (less
>than $600)... Thanks Steve WA1WMN

1998. Re: Pro 26 questions (cellular, antenna, and others)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@albany.net
Message-ID: <350eded9.39743611@news.albany.net>
Source record: 166926

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 00:33:47 -0600, "Ryan Ashline"
<ashline@sprintmail.com> wrote:

>Where did you buy the pro26 for 199.00?????
>
>Sorry to tell you this but Radio Shack has had that scanner dicontinued for
>some time and the last price was lower than that.
>If you did get it at a Radio Shack then it must have been a dealer franchies
>store.

You're wrong. The Pro 26 is not discontinued, and i did buy it at a
Radio Shack store, nor has it ever been lower in price. Even the
review I read by Rich Wells dated January 1998 didn't say they were
being discontinued, and now that they were at $199.00 it would be the
tie to buy one. Call and ask if you don't believe me. Not to
mention they are still selling them overseas and in Canada. Besides
what does this have to do with my questions even if you are right?

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Jroulier@albany.net

1999. [POGSAG] PB logiciel POG32 (French language)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Benjamin <bvancra@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <6eio5v$f6f$1@news.internetsat.com>
Source record: 166927
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,fr.rec.radio,rec.radio.scanner

Impossible de d�coder quoi que ce soit avec le logiciel POG32. La r�ception est pourtant parfaite. Quelqu'un utilise-t-il ce logiciel avec succ�s en France ?

Pour info, j'essaie d'utiliser le logiciel en �chantillonnant via la carte son.

Benjamin

R�pondez-moi via email, mon provider a un probl�me de feed.

2000. Re: Listening to phones while on airplanes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6eimc9$nr6@hopper.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 166928

"James Kearman" <jkearman@javanet.com> wrote:
> What kind of scanner do I need to listen to phones on planes?
You would need 894-896 MHz coverage, but most of the AirPhone systems
are now digital. Except for Delta and a few other carriers, use of a
scanner onboard is a violation of the the airlines (and FAA) rules.

> Could I also listen to the pilot?
For that you need an AM receiver covering 118-137 MHz. The scanner
would still run up against the same rules.

> Could I use my cell phone to call another passenger on the plane phone?
AirPhones originate calls, they don't accept them. Were you to activate
your cell phone while in flight (to say nothing of actually trying to use it),
you would have the aircrew, the airline, the FAA, the FCC and several cellular
providers vying for rights to string you up. Don't even think about it!

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

800 MHz Air to Ground Telephone [22.1107]

- - Airborne - -
Blk Ch 1 - Ch 29

10 894.0055 - 894.1735
9 894.2055 - 894.3735
8 894.4055 - 894.5735 Guard Band -
7 894.6055 - 894.7735 .x765-.x797
6 894.8055 - 894.9735
5 895.0055 - 895.1735 Control Channels -
4 895.2055 - 895.3735 .x813-.x973
3 895.4055 - 895.5735
2 895.6055 - 895.7735
1 895.8055 - 895.9735

Transmissions are AM (or AM/SSB), and converting to digital.
Channels are spaced 6 kHz apart. A specific block of 29 channels
is assigned to each geographical area. Ground frequencies are 45
MHz lower and do not echo the airborne half of the conversation.
Service is used on passenger airlines.

2001. Re: Clinton's visit to S.Africa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Point <points@intercoast.com.au>
Message-ID: <350CF42B.1FD1@intercoast.com.au>
Source record: 166929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Gelmor Yestigh wrote:
>
> keen.in.SA wrote in article <350bd18b.700331@news.pix.za>...
>
> > Where do we start looking for the frequenies both in the air and on
> > the ground?
>
> In the air you will need freqhawks and on the ground you will need
> hertzhounds. You begin looking in the area of anticipated density
> saturation.
Apart from idiotic answers from people who believe that everyone knows the freq's used for US Presidential visits overseas, those people should remember that this news group is read alround the world and isn't restricted to people just in the US!
163 mhz is used in the con us but on visits to Australia traffic has been noted on 412-413 mhz-mainly digital encripted, and 200mhz channels, this sometimes does cause problems as the US band plan isn't followed anywhere else apart from America. The 412-413mhz channels interfered with the taxi companies here and visa-versa to the Secret Service.
Suggest looking closely at freq's near existing S.A. Armed forces/Government Security services as well as FLTSATCOM freq's.
Sam.

2002. Scantenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tim@micro-delta.com
Message-ID: <350cf161.140476082@news.global.co.za>
Source record: 166930

I just received my new Scantenna this morning and spent a coupla hours putting it up on a pole outside.

It seems to work well although it's way too early to tell yet and I haven't been able to compare it to my discone yet.

One thing I did notice though, and which disappointed me somewhat, is the poor quality of the whole antenna. It looks like it's been made the way those really cheap and nasty TV antennas from the far east are made.

I can't help wondering how many days it's gonna take before all kinds of weird electro-chemical effects start happening between the various pieces.

Does anyone else have any comment on this antenna?

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2003. Re: Medical Paging

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6eiud9$ol6@hopper.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 166931
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com> asked:
> Are there any set aloocations for medical paging?

33.02 .04 .06 .08 .10 | 35.64 .68 | 37.90 .94 .98
43.64 .68 | 45.92 .96 | 46.00 .04
47.42 .46 .50 .54 .58 .62 .66
152.0075
155.160 .1675 .175 .1825 .205 .2125 .220 .2275
155.235 .2425 .265 .2725 .280 .2875 .295 .3025
157.450
163.250
453.025 .0375 .075 .0875 .125 .1375 .175 .1875
929-930 (shared with other paging svcs)

For hospital use, the best bets are 152.0075, 157.450, 163.250,
and the 453 MHz channels.
/* barry /&

2004. Re: How Can I Make My Tape Recorder Into Extra-Long-Record Device?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erik Evertz <evert-er@reze-1.rz.rwth-aachen.de>
Message-ID: <350D0AAD.260236CB@reze-1.rz.rwth-aachen.de>
Source record: 166932
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Asnow wrote:
>
> Another way to extend the tape in a normal recorder (and the method most
> of the ads you read use) is to slow down the motor speed that is running
> the tape drive mechanism. This slowing down of the tape will degrade the
> audio some so don't go to low to start out with. You might try
> installing a potentiometer to controll the speed from outside the unit
> insted of a single reststor inside.
>
> Keep in mind though that slowing down the drive will result in a
> recording that can only be played back on the machine that you recorded
> on. Otherwise it will actually sound slow.

Actually, playback will be much faster (and funnier) on other devices.

Erik

2005. Re: Scanner in airliners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <350D2346.EB468E0E@vnet.com>
Source record: 166933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

George Csahanin wrote:
> Last check it was not legal. The LO from the radio could possibly show up on
> aircraft VHF receivers as a carrier, etc.

From the New Scanner Users FAQ :

Your Scanner On A Plane

Federal Aviation Regulation(FAR) 91.21, Portable electronic devices, paragraph (a) states that "no person may operate...any portable electronic device on any...U.S.-registered civil aircraft".

Paragraph (b) goes on to list exclusions to paragraph (a) which includes (1) portable voice recorders, (2) hearing aids, (3) heart pacemakers, (4) electric shavers or (5) "Any other portable electronic device that the operator of the aircraft has determined will not cause interference with the navigation or communication system of the aircraft on which it is to be used."

Paragraph (c) goes on to state that the determination for safety in paragraph (b)(5) "shall be made by that operator of the aircraft on which the particular device is to be used." If you were to be a passenger on a private aircraft, this determination "may be made by the pilot in command" of that aircraft.

What this all says is that the FAA gives each airline the right to deem what electronic devices can and can not be used on their planes. So if you talk to that airline's ticket agent, ask them what their policy is. If this is not possible, when you board the plane, ask the captain or first officer if you can operate your radio receiver.

If permission is given, you will be cautioned to only use your radio during the cruise protion of the flight. So keep it off during taxi, take-off, departure, approach and landing phases of the flight. The captain will usually make an announcement as to when approved devices

can be turned on and when they must be turned off.

A word of warning : Don't mess around if permission is not given.
These
are FAA regulations. In case you don't know it, the 'F' in FAA stands
for
'Federal'. That means if you get caught, expect to see a US Marshall
or
FBI agent waiting for you when you exit the plane and prepared to be
detained for several hours. Get the hint? Enough said.

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

2006. Re: Icom R1 Restore 800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <350D24F2.EC227DDA@vnet.com>
Source record: 166934

Jimmy wrote:
> I used to own the R-1. I bought mine used and it had no gaps
> 1-1300mhz. The person I bought it from said he got it new and it came
> that way. I thought the R-1 had no gaps! Thats weird.

R1 existed well before the April '94 ban on cell receivers which
means it came fully unrestricted.

After this it came in two versions : cell-enabled(for government
and law enforcement, etc) and cell blocked(the rest of us). And
it was REALLY cell blocked as the entire 800Mhz range was omitted.

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

2007. Re: Is VOX recording possible on a PC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sells@sagebrush.com
Message-ID: <e0I3rCWFQ1JG073yn@sagebrush.com>
Source record: 166935
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <01bd50a2$72f932a0$1511a2d1@robb>, "Just Me" wrote:
> I would like to record the stuff that happens while I am at work but would
> like to do it through my PC. Does anyone know if this is possible and if
> so how. Are there any Programs out there that would make this alil easier?

Check out RecAll at
http://www.sagebrush.com/~sells/

Versions of this sound-activated recording program are available
for Win95/WinNT4 and Win3.1

Jim
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2008. Any Mods for BC 210 XL ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Frost <frost@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <01bd50d3$8b771280$64c7a4c6@frost.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 166936

If you know of any mods for this unit
I would appreciate hearing from you

Thanks...Steve
frost@nbnet.nb.ca

2009. Re: triple conversion?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <350D2861.1CDA720D@vnet.com>
Source record: 166937

panthers@i-plus.net wrote:
> i can't understand why my pro-90 CANNOT pick up the 900MHz. signals while the BC
> 200xlt can pick them up clear as a bell. My Pro-90 will pick up the cordless on
> 46-47 MHz fine though...........

Go to Radio Shack. Pick up a copy of Police Call Plus. In the
introductory
info is a good explanation of how your radio works. The concept behind
the heterodyne reciever and how it mixes frequenices to receive the
frequency
you desire via digital synthesis is explained.

It will also detail the difference between double and triple conversion.
Triple inversion removes most images(which are are created in the first
and second stages due to the "mixing" mentioned above) which is why your
PRO-90 won't receive cellular on 900MHz like your double conversion
BC200XLT.

The areas in which images are head vary from scanner to scanner due
to design issues like up/down conversion and the IFs picked. The PRO-90
can receive cell images...just in a different spot and they must be
much stronger to "get past" the third stage conversion.

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

2010. Re: HELP WITH SRCH FUNCTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <350D2AB0.F30D3F6B@vnet.com>
Source record: 166938

Chris Smith wrote:
> I'm new to the scanning world. I just bought a used handheld scanner
> because I didn't want to invest lots of money into the equipment without
> being sure of how I would like it. My scanner is a Bearcat BC60XLT. I
> have a question on the 'SEARCH' function of my scanner. I can't seem to
> figure out how to search between 2 frequencies and I don't have a manual
> as I bought the scanner used. Can someone who is familiar with my
> scanner walk me through the process step by step?

From what I see about this model, it has no facility to search
between two programmable(user-specified) frequencies. It only
has band search which means you're stuck searching between
the ranges pre-programmed at the factory.

Typically, such radios have a BAND key which is keyed
repeatedly to select the pre-programmed band to search. Once
the desired band is displayed, the radio is left alone and
the search begins automatically.

The newer BC60XLT-1s have something called a "programmable
chain search" which I am not familiar with...yet. Sounds
like multi-limit programmable search bands which can be
linked together. We'll see.

Good luck!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

2011. mods for pro-62

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Odd Inge Hansen <oinhanse@online.no>
Message-ID: <01bd50e2$84115000$54e14382@default>
Source record: 166939

Are there any mods for the gaps on my pro-62 scanner.
Are also interested in expanding the memory.

2012. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Identity Crisis <rw8cj@herts.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <350D291C.3E19@herts.ac.uk>
Source record: 166940
Cross-posted to: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Lindsay Hillier wrote:
>
> SCREW YOU 'YA JERK!!!! WHY'D YOU POST SOMETHIN' IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM
> WITH IT?????????? JERKS LIKE YOU MAKE THE WORD A MISERABLE PLACE TO
> LIVE.
>

I totally agree the word would be a better place without all this
voilence and agressive sentences clogging up the paragaph as a hole.

> TheHamGuy wrote:
>
> > TAKE YOUR FUCKING FUEDS TO E-MAIL YOU ASS HOLES!!!
>
> --
> MZï¿½

--
Richard the Knight who says "Give me your nose !!!"
http://www.mite.co.uk/weasel/richard

Who can solve my riddle ?

The begining of eternity, the end of space and time
The begining of every end and the end of every ryme.

2013. Antenna Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: batwanger@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316141900.JAA03871@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166941

Subject: Antenna Question
From: batwanger@aol.com (BATWANGER)
Date: 3/16/98 8:12 AM Central Standard Time
Message-id: <19980316141200.JAA02404@ladder03.news.aol.com>

I put up an outside antenna, a new radio shack Omni-directional 20-042 page
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current catalog, covers 25- 1300 , Well I have a Bc9000xlt In my work
room, hooked it up and it seems to work really good. Ok so i tried
hooking up my trust Pro 51 7a3 version(you know what that means
right?) and it scans right thru the 800-900 freqs. with out Picking up
any thing. Strange???
when I put the factory rubber ducky or the Radio shack extendable
antenna
back on it it picks up all the 800-900 stuff? Does this mean I have a
problem with the Antenna or that the pro 51 just does not like outside
antennas, The new antenna is right outside the window, 20 foot mast cable
is
40 ft long. new cable and bnc and type f connections. It is pointed
kinda
westward. Any body have any thoughts???

Dave
Houston Texas

2014. radio shack pro60 help???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpeacey@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316142001.JAA03231@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166942

do any of you clever people out there know of any modifications for a radio shack pro 60 handheld scanner such as how to fill in the gaps etc? any help would be much appreciated thanks email dpeacey@aol.com

2015. Upstate New York - Western Vermont CTCSS Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob <Upstate-Medical-Billing-Services@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6enfpf$232@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166694

I would appreciate any info for PL frequencies or codes for Northern NY
or Western Vermont or Massachusetts. I'm especially interested in the
area of Albany, NY and within a 75 mile radius of there. I'm using a
BC8500XLT radio with the CTCSS board installed. Main area of interest
is law enforcement, fire and conservation officers.
I have frequencies (low band HF) for USAF A10's.

2016. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0uh@ibm.net
Message-ID: <350F5474.39444EF4@ibm.net>
Source record: 166695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

> In article <6ejn52lgj1@quasar.dimensional.com>,
> "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com> wrote:
> > m> wrote:
> > >>
> > >> ... we really are at the mercy of what the FCC believes -- or is told to
> > >> believe -- is fair. The law is no longer on our side.
> > >
> > > > It has occurred to me that you never see any bumper stickers that
> > > >say" I OWN A SCANNER AND I VOTE!" The best political effort for the hobby >
> > > >may have been Bob Grove's testimony to Congress...
> > > > seems to be no political clout for scanner owners.
> > >
> > > How 'bout "I OWN A SCANNER AND I CONTRIBUTE!"
> > > You might get more attention that way. (Contributing, that is.)
> >
> > Contribute $$ to a PAC, or by community service, or ...? Not sure what you
> > meant.
> >
> > >
> > > >> On the other hand, someone else will go out there, tune his TV to channel
> > > >> 70, get a "sensitive" message, and another law will be passed that will
> > > >> do no good...
> > > >> Or even worse, one of these weenies will discuss something sensitive --
> > as
> > > >> in national security -- over his cellphone which will be picked up by the
> > > >> "wrong" embassy, and will wonder why his precious law didn't protect him.
> > > >>
> > >
> > > > Isn't the intercept of Jimmy Carter on HF as he was flying back from
> > > >Haiti related to national security? I don't remember there being any >
> > > >suggestion of legislative remedy after it happened.
> > >
> > > I guess the point I was making is that politicians seem to believe that
> > > legislation can change physics.
> > >
> > They do believe that, and it would take a lot of talking to show them
> > otherwise.
> >

They seem more convinced that legislation can change human nature and our need to
be free (and no I don't mean anarchy) from oppression.

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2017. Re: radio shack pro60 help???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Valued Customer <Natas@erols.com>
Message-ID: <350EAC84.7EE2@erols.com>
Source record: 166696

.......OK Bill,I'll bite.Do any of your books describe these
many mods?I have this radio.I bought it on clearance to replace my tired
pro37.I want to preserve the 37.I just have always had a bad feeling
about my pro60.It seems like I can look at it for a hour and not hear a
thing.Is there a technical reason for this,or am I paranoid?

.........TIA Jerry

d

2018. WTB Bearcat 210 xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nelson <nelsonca@dcs-chico.com>
Message-ID: <350F6463.4C0B9FB2@dcs-chico.com>
Source record: 166697

Looking for inexpensive, working Bearcat 210 XLT to be modified for
weather satellite reception.

write nelsonca@dcs-chico.com

tnx
Tom Nelson KD6EVM

2019. FS: Pro-51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <350F7287.FFB7BB60@mcn.org>
Source record: 166698

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Pro-51.
200 channel memory, 800 MHz, not cell restorable, but still picks some
up. $180 OBO.
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2020. $$$$$$GRE Super Converter 9001 base model For Sale$$$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: fgp <bmw540@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd51fb$31bf3e60$ab6384a9@bmw540.idt.net>
Source record: 166699
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.amateur

A Used Super Converter 9001(allows you to hear 800MHz) from GRE America, Inc. with original box and connectors

Price=$95+shipping and handling C.O.D

2021. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6el1fe$l4n@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 166700
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In article <350D805A.DCE@home.here>, Mr. Clem <not@home.here> wrote:
>> >If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
>> >same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
>> >(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
>> >voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
>> >rooted problem.

>Does anyone know of a mod for my binoculars to allow them to see thru
>window shades and draperies?

You could use an infrared camera.

2022. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6em697$c3t@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 166701
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In article <350E4824.6D54@connectnet.com>, sbc <sbc@connectnet.com> wrote:

>I am glad to see that the FCC is still giving out licenses to idiots.

One item that's common among you folks obsessed with eavesdropping on your neighbors - when you can't debate an issue, you resort to name-calling. I must have struck a nerve, eh?

>I could go on, and on, but never ANYTHING on the phone that you would
>not say in an elevator full of FBI Agnts!!!

That the government might be monitoring phone calls doesn't bother me in the least. Individual rights has to take a back seat to national security, in my opinion. Feel free to disagree in an intellectual manner.

Jeff KH2PZ

2023. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6em78d$ceb@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 166702
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In article <6eds7krka1@news3.microserve.net>, tyler <tyler@nospam.com> wrote:
>
>>If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
>>same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
>>(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"),

>My neighbor doesn't transmit pictures of themselves into my home.

Better re-think that statement. (Consider light as E-M waves.)

>I'm going to laugh when they come into your house and take all of your ham
>gear claiming you can't listen to anyone.

Not likely. There are two broad categories of radio hobbiests - those
licensed to transmit, and those who can only listen. You might fall
into the latter category. That's fine - when I was young I was a listener,
having built a shortwave radio - that's all it took to get me studying
for my license. Now, unlike some scanner enthusiasts, I don't sit for
hours listening to my neighbors' phone calls, but rather carry on 2-way
communications with other amateurs around the Pacific. Anyone is invited
to join in (that's called a "round table" - three or more hams); no
eavesdropping takes place as we're all part of the conversation.

Hopefully, you can join us some day!

Jeff KH2PZ

2024. FS on Ebay: PRO-2002 and PRO-2003

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vincent Charron <charv@total.net>
Message-ID: <350E5F0E.6C8A@total.net>
Source record: 166743

PRO-2002
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8396342

PRO-2003
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8398135

Thanks for looking.

Vince

2025. Need Omni Antenna 25.5-27.5GHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: lsuarez@internet.ve
Message-ID: <6eltvs$7rk$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166744

Need antenna in the range of 25.5 GHz to 27.5 GHz, preferably with some gain and suitable for a field survey. Better if supplied with feedline and 50Ohm connector.

Any help will be appreciated.

Luis

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2026. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bearcat@cloudnet.com
Message-ID: <350E4466.E6FA9112@cloudnet.com>
Source record: 166745
Cross-posted to: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

TheHamGuy wrote:

> TAKE YOUR FUCKING FUEDS TO E-MAIL YOU ASS HOLES!!!

Just another ASSHOLE making his personal views on life! Hey asshole,
get a life!

2027. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jumpin' Jack Flash <JJdotFlash@no.spam.asu.edu>
Message-ID: <350EA80F.1C97@no.spam.asu.edu>
Source record: 166746

Q wrote:
>
> I've never seen these guys actually post anything about scanning. Do
> they know anything technical? Maybe it's all a big mistake and they
> really mean to be in comp.periphs.scanners.
>
> Unbelieveable.

It's a long story, going back a few years. As you suggest, Mackey knows nothing about scanning. But Bill? You *must* be a newbie if you've never heard of Bill Cheek. He's published at least three books on scanner modifications, and . . . Oh, what the hell. I'll let him post his resume, if you must know. Anyway, Mackey resents Cheek's knowledge, Cheek likes toying with Mackey, and many of us simply use kill files <hint> to filter the crap out. Of course, we have to keep adding *new threads* to those kill files for some unknown reason..... <hint, again>.

2028. Need AOR 1000 help!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris G <chrisg@ducker.com>
Message-ID: <01bd51d4$a763e3e0$3a646464@drc191>
Source record: 166747

A friend plugged the power supply into the headphone jack on his AOR1000XLT and saw a blue flash. I took it apart and can see no visable signs of damage (fried components, etc.)--the unit turns on, does not light up, no readout on the LCD, and only makes static out of the audio.

Anyone have this happen and fix it? I can do it, and would *really* appreciate either a narrative of the repair for this, or better yet a schematic and pcb layout.

Thanks a million, gang --Chris

2029. Re: New Jersey Scanner Lws

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffblack@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6em41o$8d6$1@newsd-154.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 166748

During the xmas holliday I was stopped on rt. 29 for a burned out tail light bulb, the state policeman saw my cell fone cb radio 200 channel scanner and escort. He asked me how I liked my scanner, I told him that I "loved it" He handed me back my DL and drove off.

2030. Re: Is There A Price Guide For Used Scanners (Old & Newer)?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <350ED52D.481F@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 166749
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

> Anyone know if there is any sort of guid for pricing used scanners,
> not just the newer and more popular ones? It wouldber nice to know
> going prices for units from the 70's and 80's as well as the more
> current ones.

http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/scanpric.html

Chris

2031. Does anyone know any ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: WIZZERD@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6emgo0ogo1@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 166750

Does anyone know any frequencys for deep south texas .
Also and i wanted to know if anyone knows if there is a store where
people can buy any frequecy chips for scanners ?

2032. Re: For Sale ESN reprogrammer... Cheap Must see!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: qube@netlite.com
Message-ID: <6em8i0$9a0@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 166751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.cellular.gsm,alt.cellular

>Parallel port ESN reprogrammer for PC/MAC
>fits most phones NEC,Nokia,
>Audiovox... ect
>
>Software included
>
>Originally Paid $1,200
>
>Will sacrifice $325.00 no offer refused...

You must not know a lot about this equipment, since you cannot change the ESN on any Nokia?

2033. Re: New chat room

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: larry@g4izc2.keme.co.uk
Message-ID: <a9jme6.np.ln@g4izc2.ampr.org>
Source record: 166752
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

In article <3511ea81.3771451@news.dial.pipex.com>,
no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) writes:
> On Sun, 15 Mar 1998 17:42:32 -0600, jason <outrun@gte.net> wrote:
>
>>We have been chatting about who has what scanners, What is the best hand
>>held scanner, What's the best base scanner, What you like to scan,
>>Trading pictures of each other and there scanners. Lots of other things
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Hi seems poor old walt has got things arse about face again If he does place
his face on the scanner glass would we get a bum picture??

That sig file Walt needs to be changed u got that arse about face as well !!
Best you look at what happened to the V.H.S. format it was so
good it has become the standard recording system for the latest 25,000 U.K.P
E.N.G camera.These beasties record at a higher standard than high band
umatic !! which is some 20 times better than bogstandard V.H.S.
Betamax is very much alive in the vidio studio V.H.S. is the dead one!!
When do u want me to come round and do a del *.* and put a decent linux
system on your box Walt??

73 Larry Pleasant g4izc
|===
Internet larry@g4izc2.keme.co.uk g4izc@gb7eip G4IZC-5 44.131.185.196
The blurb said "Requires windows 3.11 or better" So I installed Linux-2.0.33

2034. Re: How Can I Make My Tape Recorder Into Extra-Long-Record Device?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Stanton <_mstanton@centuryinter.net>
Message-ID: <01bd51c6$fe0421a0$6da541ce@default>
Source record: 166753
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

If I recall correctly, I did slow down a cheap Radio Shack recorder by simply sliding the
motor pulley up away from the motor to reveal more of the motor shaft itself, then slipping the drive belt off of the pulley and on to the motor shaft, thereby changing the gear ratio..

Mike Stanton mstanton@centuryinter.net

Mr. Raymond A. Miller <radioman@localnet.com> wrote in article <6ehhu0ppl1@usenet47.supernews.com>...
> Might be a dumb question / idea but here goes.....
> Does anyone know if there is a way to take a standard voice activated
> cassette recorder and retrofit it into one of the 8 or 10 hour long
> ones that are advertised in the radio magazines regularly?
> If possible, I'dlike to avoid paying $90.00 or whatever it is they
> charge for theirs. Any ideas out there from scanner enthusiasts who
> like to tape stuff to listen to at a later time?
> Thanks and have a great day!\
> Ray Miller N2NJK
>
>

2035. MDT Frequency Peoria

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric <UnholeyNOSPAM@flink.com>
Message-ID: <350ECB2C.A0940B1@flink.com>
Source record: 166754
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does any one know the new MDT frequency for Peoria Illionis

2036. ATTN: Adam Goldman/Enterdev Software!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: along28@erols.com
Message-ID: <350ea9f7.35768634@news.erols.com>
Source record: 166755
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Dear Adam Goldman @ Enterdev Software:

Do you remember this email?

From: EnterDev <EnterDev@aol.com>
Date: Sat, 7 Mar 1998 00:39:37 EST
To: along28@erols.com
Subject: Re: Technical Support?
X-Mailer: AOL 4.0 for Windows 95 sub 93

Mr. Long,

Unfortunately, you had not informed us about your antispam
measures in effect and all e-mail was returned to us. When
the technical support staff returns on Monday morning, I will
be sure that your questions are answered immediately.

Thank you for your patience.

Adam Goldman
Vice President - Technical Services/Customer Service

Apparently not! I have been emailing you on numerous occasions to try
and resolve a problem with your software and cable for the BC 895.
You have not provided me with any sort of reasonable technical support
nor customer service. There is a signature file which trails every
message I send and it specifically referrs the reader about my
anti-spam technique. This is a poor excuse for not responding to my
repeated requests. If you are still in business or on the Net could
you please contact me so we can get this matter resolved, because
nothing I or you have done to this date is working.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Andy Long
Registered User of PC 895.

Note the sig file...

Anti-Spam Measures In Effect: Please remove the '28' to reply.

2037. Re: mobile phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Voice1222 <Voice122@tir.com>
Message-ID: <6emkriore1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 166756

Baba Booey wrote in message <6effo8$2qc$5@news.bconnex.net>...
>On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 07:23:08 GMT, Surfdom wasted 13 lines babbling
>about Re: mobile phone frequencies:
>Again some ignorant user mouthing off American legislation to an
>international audience. Just because it's illegal for YOU doesn't mean
>it's illegal for others. I can't STAND asshole Americans who think
>their rules are applicable for the whole world.
>

BB kindly keep you ethnic slurs to yourself.

Was it an ignorant assumption that only Americans would be reading this
thread? Absolutely.
Does it mean that all Americans are assholes? Absolutely not.

I deal with people from several dozen countries every day: US, Canada,
Mexico, Germany, U.K., etc.; and I do not consider people assholes simply
because they are from a different country than my own.

Your point on FCC regulations (not an act of congress) was well placed, but
the message was diminished by an unnecessary slur. Instead of slamming US
citizens for thinking of themselves, try enlightening them to your own
country's rules and regulations. I, for one, am interested in them.

S.T.

2038. Re: Broadcasting scanner over Internet: is it legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Wenger <Dwenger@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6emb8m$mel@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166757

So if you DO find the FCC camped out there, what are you going to tell them
?
"Well, they said it was legal on the Newsgroup " ?

I'd check with one of your Legal type Professors before I took anything
said here as Gospel
as far as "the law" goes.

And what might be legal Federally, does not make it legal in your state.

--
D. Wenger
zzTopDwenger@worldnet.att.net
(you know the drill,delete the band (spammbuster))

David Michael Hand <hand@scf.usc.edu> wrote in article
<350E6B48.4A2F0559@scf.usc.edu>...
> I am a student, and I am planning on using a RealAudio server to
> broadcast the radio traffic of my university's intra-campus
> transportation service (trams, etc.). Would this be legal?
>
> I certainly don't want to find the FCC at my dorm room door one day,
> ready to confiscate my computer and haul me off to prison.
>
> Please send me any responses via email, as well as postiong them to this
> newsgroup.
>
> --
> David Michael Hand
> http://www-scf.usc.edu/~hand
> Cogent, Avril (UO)
>

2039. Re: ATTN: Adam Goldman/Enterdev Software!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317172000.MAA29573@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166758

>Subject: ATTN: Adam Goldman/Enterdev Software!!!
>From: along28@erols.com (Andy)
>Date: Tue, Mar 17, 1998 12:02 EST
>Message-id: <350ea9f7.35768634@news.erols.com>
>

>You have not provided me with any sort of reasonable technical support nor customer service.

Too bad they are not as aggressive in providing technical support as they are in promoting their software at every opportunity in this newsgroup.

Your biggest mistake was to buy the software in the first place!

2040. Re: New chat room

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: larry@g4izc2.keme.co.uk
Message-ID: <ujmme6.fj1.ln@g4izc2.ampr.org>
Source record: 166759
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

In article <a9jme6.np.ln@g4izc2.ampr.org>,
larry@g4izc2.keme.co.uk (Larry Pleasant) writes:
> In article <3511ea81.3771451@news.dial.pipex.com>,
> no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) writes:
>> On Sun, 15 Mar 1998 17:42:32 -0600, jason <outrun@gte.net> wrote:
>>
>>>We have been chatting about who has what scanners, What is the best hand
>>>held scanner, What's the best base scanner, What you like to scan,
>>>Trading pictures of each other and there scanners. Lots of other things
>>>you could only dream of doing on a newsgroup.
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>> It has a SCSI interface and it came complete with a SCSI card to plug
>> into an ISA slot on my PC.
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>> anatomy) on to the glass plate of the scanner, you can make quite a
>> good picture? There are lots of other things you could only dream of
>> doing with your scanner, too .... When I join you on #scanner I'll
>> suggest a few!

whoops not the only one Walt I got it wrong as well V.H.S. should read beta
cam !!ahh well hoisted by my own petard now the corrected version!!!
Must be this damn coffee.......... need a beer !!!!!!!

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his face on the scanner glass would we get a bum picture??

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latest 25,000 U.K.P E.N.G cameras.These beasties record at a higher standard
than high band umatic !! which is some 20 times better than bogstandard V.H.S.
Betamax now known as betacam is very much alive in the vidio studio V.H.S.
is the dead one!!
When do u want me to come round and do a del *.* and put a decent linux

system on your box Walt??

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The blurb said "Requires windows 3.11 or better" So I installed Linux-2.0.33

2041. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317172901.MAA00978@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166760

>TheHamGuy wrote:
>
>> TAKE YOUR FUCKING FUEDS TO E-MAIL YOU ASS HOLES!!!
>
> Just another ASSHOLE making his personal views on life! Hey asshole,
>get a life!

And another foolish person who cannot tell a forged header when they see one.
Tsk, tsk. How's life in St. Cloud, Minnesota?

2042. Re: Orange County Trunked System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: orlscan@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317174801.MAA03145@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166761

Y'all hear that
Time to start working on an Astro scanner
FHP hear in Orlando ,FL will go Astro in about a month or two
if the plans dont change.

J.C.Webb EMT/NAEMD
The Orlando Scanning Page
http://members.aol.com/Orlscan

2043. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tired_of_spam@this_address.com
Message-ID: <350f95c6.9735323@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 166762

On Tue, 17 Mar 1998 00:22:41 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
wrote:

<snip>
>
>Do YOU post anything about scanners and scanning?
>

I don't *have* to post anything. I read & learn, much like the
majority of this NG. Bill, feedback is a gift...enjoy it
appropriately!

2044. Antenna Location: Outside or Attic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tired_of_spam@this_address.com
Message-ID: <351096b0.9968477@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 166763

I have a Scantenna that is about to go into production. It *may* be easier for me to put it in the attic as opposed to outside. Any comments on attic usage vs. outside? I know outside is ideal, but what kind of signal loss can I expect w/an indoor antenna? Is it negligible?

2045. Pro-60 info WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimsnjones@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031718241300.NAA07872@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166764

I am looking for any and all MODS, esp freq. exp., for the R/S PRO-60 handheld scanner.....

thanx....jim

2046. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: zarlenga@conan.ids.net
Message-ID: <6emf9cacl3@paperboy.ids.net>
Source record: 166765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Mr. Clem (not@home.here) wrote:
: > >If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
: > >same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
: > >(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
: > >voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
: > >rooted problem.

: Does anyone know of a mod for my binoculars to allow them to see thru
: window shades and draperies?

Yes, but you need X-ray glasses.

--
-- Mike Zarlenga
finger zarlenga@conan.ids.net for PGP public key

"Too many lies are being told. Too many lives are being ruined."
Kathleen Willey explaining why she's come forward with her
story of sexual assault at the hands of President Clinton

2047. Re: Broadcasting scanner over Internet: is it legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tweek@netcom-NO.SPAM-com
Message-ID: <Epz79D.zt@moraga.ness.com>
Source record: 166766

David Michael Hand <hand@scf.usc.edu> wrote:
>I am a student, and I am planning on using a RealAudio server to
>broadcast the radio traffic of my university's intra-campus
>transportation service (trams, etc.). Would this be legal?

If you have the explicit permission of the licensee (and probably
any and all parties using the radio system) it is probably legal.
Without the permission of the licensee or users, you are clearly in
violation of the FCC rules regarding divulging the content of an
intercepted transmission.

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Had your share of stoopid(tm) people?	
View the "Contra Costa Whines" at	[This space for lease]
http://www.io.com/~tweek/cocowhine/	

2048. Re: PRO-34 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tweek@netcom-NO.SPAM-com
Message-ID: <Epz71D.yH@moraga.ness.com>
Source record: 166767

Alan Scott <alan.scott@juno.cum> wrote:
>On Tue, 17 Mar 1998 16:03:01 GMT, mpincock@juno.com wrote:
>
>>I have purchased a PRO-34 from a pawn shop. The radio receives very
>>well. I performed the cell mod on the scanner.
>
>Posting your name/address/phone # was a concerning a illegal scanner
>modification? Could it be that you are that stupid? Or just trying to get
>someone else in trouble.

Do you know something I don't know? As of this moment, I didn't know
that it was illegal to modify a scanner to receive the frequencies
which carry cellular calls. AFAIK, it isn't even illegal to receive
and monitor those frequencies... although I do believe it is illegal
to monitor or receive cellular transmission on those frequencies.

Unless Tauzin's bill has passed the Senate and been signed into law, I
do believe that the only rules in effect for modifying a scanner in such
a way, is if the primary intended use of the scanner is to receive cellular
signals.

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2049. Is There A Price Guide For Used Scanners (Old & Newer)?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman@localnet.com
Message-ID: <6emh1e$2fd$1@usenet51.supernews.com>
Source record: 166768
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Anyone know if there is any sort of guid for pricing used scanners, not just the newer and more popular ones? It wouldber nice to know going prices for units from the 70's and 80's as well as the more current ones.

2050. Re: [POGSAG] PB logiciel POG32 (French language)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Norbert <norbert@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <6emgok$8ls$1@peuplier.wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 166769
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,fr.rec.radio,rec.radio.scanner

Pour ma part, j'ai essayer ped qui s'utilise avec un modem de type baycom
==> cela fonctionne parfaitement bien. La derni�re version est m�me
compatible avec les tatoo alphanum�rique !. Ce programme tourne par contre
sous le bon vieux dos.....
Tu peux trouver le liens a partir de la page des programmes proposer par
Megaherzt....
Je te donne l'adresse au cas ou : http://www.megahertz-magazine.com/

2051. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6emgoj$15f2$2@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 166770
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Darrell A. Larose wrote in message
<6ejq2g$kue@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>You can buy unblocked Icom, Bearcat Uniden etc... scanners in Canada
>The only company selling blocked scanners is Radio Shack who thinks
>USA laws apply in Canada...

Radio Shack apparently knows more about Canadian law than do most Canadians (at least in this newsgroup). Monitoring of telephone conversations transmitted over the radio is illegal in Canada, whether you want to believe it or not.

Don't bother arguing the point. I've been over this ground before, and I have the relevant Canadian statutes on my website.

73 de Dave, NF2G
www.ggw.org/nf2g

2052. FreeTracker 1.1 released (BC895 TrunkTracker Software)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <50111766394D20B8.68628924E29417B2.1727173F73B68D74@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 166771
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

http://www.autowinnet.com/freetrack.html

* Supports up to 25,000 "Virtual Channels" which are like the radio's normal channels, but add Callsign, Description, Color (for activity log), Alarm, location, hit count, and more. VChannels can be scanned for activity, or stored into your BC895

* Descriptions - You can store Descriptions, Callsigns, and Locations for frequencies and Trunk Talkgroups/ID's. When that freq/talkgroup appears, a description is shown, along with Callsign, City/State, etc

* Alarms - A Wav file can be assigned (or speaker beep) to certain freq/talkgroups, a Bitmap, a custom Script or a .RTF file that pops up while that freq/group is active. For example, have all local police codes shown when a certain police channel comes alive. I just added some Cool bitmaps that appear with local police and fire stations

* Colorful charts and graphs show you what frequencies/talkgroups are most active

* Powerful script language lets you create your own scripts, then schedule them for when you're away, or when a certain event happens on your scanner

* PerCon database lookups from their web page (stored as html) can be imported. Also imports from Grove, Probe, and PerCon Dbf files!

* Drag and Drop channel editing - throw any database entry to a channel, or vice versa. If that frequency is already assigned, it zooms to the channel # to avoid a duplication

* Activity Report is color coded - you can assign any color to any specific freq/talkgroup, plus bolded text

* Search Ranges - you can store up to 2,000 search ranges, then double-click them to activate an immediate search of that frequency range

* All BC895 keys are supported, allowing a virtual radio on your desktop

* FreeTracker can be minimized as a TrayIcon, with a feature-rich right-click menu for easy access to popular functions

* Database-editing in a simple grid. Click the record you want, and change any value. Menu allows selecting any record to zoom to that frequency.

* Communicate with your radio interactively - type any command in, and see the response.

* Power users can utilize the quick-command box. Simply key in a command word to change frequencies, channels, scan, hold, search, manual, etc.

Example Syntax:
f15189 tunes radio into frequency 151.890
c56 takes scanner to channel 56
Up arrow emulates SCAN key
Down arrow = Manual
Right arrow = Search
Left arrow = Hold
... plus about 50 more powerful commands

* Export all scanner channels/freqs to a text file or Dbase, then import back into the scanner at a later date.

* Complete logging to a file, or printing

* Export your VChannel/talkgroup database to a HTML file for posting on your favorite web page.

* Multiple copies can be run for multiple BC895 scanners

2053. Good news for scannists?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gavoleen@webtv.com
Message-ID: <350ee34b.9648125@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166772
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I guess you could argue it both ways.

WASHINGTON, March 17 (UPI) - A Senate committee (Tuesday) is weighing computer privacy rights against law enforcement's need to crack the encryption programs that sometimes protect the records of drug traffickers and terrorists. Pending legislation comes down on the side of privacy - encouraging the use of unbreakable encryption programs and allowing U.S. companies to export that software abroad.

2054. Re: PRO-34 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mkortlander***@***monmouth.com
Message-ID: <3513cb72.17424778@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 166773

>AFAIK, it isn't even illegal to receive
>and monitor those frequencies... although I do believe it is illegal
>to monitor or receive cellular transmission on those frequencies.

Something else you don't know, eh? It is unlawful to
intercept cell phone transmissions
>
>Unless Tauzin's bill has passed the Senate and been signed into law, I
>do believe that the only rules in effect for modifying a scanner in such
>a way, is if the primary intended use of the scanner is to receive cellular
>signals.

It isn't illegal to possess the equipment, it is illegal to
sell, or use equipment that is capable of hearing the cell
freqs.

2055. Where to buy scanners in Norway?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rayhil@nospam.online.no
Message-ID: <3511cef5.2198450@news.powertech.no>
Source record: 166774

Where to buy scanners in Norway?

rayhil

2056. The Orlando Trunktracking Page Has Moved to a better site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: orlscan@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031721562600.QAA09206@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166775

Hello

go to http://members.tripod.com/~Orlandoscan

Thanks
Jason

2057. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6emlfm$btd@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 166776

"D Stark" (nf2g@ggw.org) writes:
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>
> Radio Shack apparently knows more about Canadian law than do most
> Canadians (at least in this newsgroup). Monitoring of telephone
> conversations transmitted over the radio is illegal in Canada, whether
> you want to believe it or not.

Radio Shack doesn't sell unblocked scanners because of company policy
from Fort Worth, it has nothing to do with Canadian laws. As far as RS
is concerned Canada is just another US State...

> Don't bother arguing the point. I've been over this ground before,
> and I have the relevant Canadian statutes on my website.

I'll visit your website and review the statutes you cite.

> 73 de Dave, NF2G
> www.ggw.org/nf2g
>
>
>

2058. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig.Williamson@ColumbiaSC.NCR.COM
Message-ID: <350ef5ce.0@masters>
Source record: 166777
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In article <6ek9vd$jb9$5@paperboy.ids.net>, zarlenga@conan.ids.net (Michael Zarlenga) wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
>: Eavesdropping on someone's telephone call is the same form of voyeurism
>: as peering in their windows (except that one allows you to hide in your
>: home with your drapes closed while the other requires that you must be
>: peeking through your drapes).
>
>"Eavesdropping" on someone's OVER THE AIRWAVES call is more like
>listening to your neighbor'd music blasting from his car or apart-
>ment.
>
If they are going to broadcast it into my airspace then I should be able to listen to it. If they don't want me to do that then they should encrypt it in some way. I don't listen to these frequencies, but I feel the same for all frequencies.

Craig

"If only real life was
-Craig Williamson like this."
Craig.Williamson@ColumbiaSC.NCR.COM -Count Duckula
craig@toontown.ColumbiaSC.NCR.COM (home)

2059. Probe 4.0 release!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevehan@ptd.net
Message-ID: <WZCP.257$gt2.821684@nnrp2.ptd.net>
Source record: 166778

Just to let you all know that the new Probe 4.0 is released.

Check out http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006/probe.html

A lot of cool and useful features, check it out!

A review will follow soon.

Steve

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| Steve Hancock, N3FWE stevehan@ptd.net |
| Dynamic IP for Chat: http://home.ptd.net/~stevehan |
| The Pro-2006/Probe Home Page http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006 |
| "The Truth is Out There" |
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2060. Pro-2035-mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ZEB <ofco@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6emujh$56g$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 166779

Does anyone know of any mods to get cell-freqs???

2061. Watson Scanner antenna in So. Cal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: buck100@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <350f0081.7576163@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 166780

Who sells these in So. Cal?

I live in Torrance, and I have called HamRadio OUtlet and Jun's already..

Thanks

2062. Help With Amtrak Trip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: VOiCES <voices@jaypoc.com>
Message-ID: <350F0C45.A726B7DC@jaypoc.com>
Source record: 166781

Hello,

I am taking a trip from Penn Station in New York to Rochester, NY by
Amtrak, and I wanted to know what freqs. I should monitor. Thanks

-Adam

2063. ICOM R-1 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: AgentBlue <JDay98@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <350F1B57.E49C11EE@prodigy.net>
Source record: 166782
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi. I'm looking for an Icom R-1 or an R-10. If you have one with the manual, and original accessories, please e-mail me. I have a brand new pro-64 for trade so maybe we can work something out. Direct e-mail is appreciated. Thanks, AgentBlue

2064. Re: Emergency Alerting System mystery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich C <spamnotrocourtney@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bd51ff$2590d140$9049b388@username.norand.com>
Source record: 166783
Cross-posted to: comp.dcom.telecom.tech,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

John Gilbert <johng@comm.mot.com> wrote in article
<johng-ya02408000R1603981322230001@news.cig.mot.com>...
> The "Emergency Alerting System" is the replacement for the Emergency
> Broadcast System........
>
> My question: Does anybody have any idea of the reason for using such an
> unusual data rate and choice of mark and space frequencies?

They are easy to produce with 4MHz crystals and should not interfere with 3.58
color burst on TV.

2065. Athens Alabama Freqs REPOST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nitepirate <davies.lloyd@mcleodusa.not>
Message-ID: <6en56o$k641@odie.mcleod.net>
Source record: 166784

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This is a Repost......
Nitepirate wrote in message ...
>Going there for a week need some freqs (Police, RR, 2 meter Ham)
>
>Thanks,
>
>NitePirate
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>
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2066. INFO ON FLEX DECODER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Safai <safai@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6en61scu1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 166785

Anyone with information on the FLEX PAGER DECODER ?
Anyone know anything about FLEX DECODERS ?

Thank you.

2067. WWVB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Gillis <alg@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <350F1FD7.38E5@teleport.com>
Source record: 166786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.shortwave

The March issue of Communications News reports that WWVB has increased it's broadcast power to 23 kilowatts, double what it had been previously.

As the magazine points out, WWVB is NIST's low frequency radio station providing time of day and other information to many users around the country. The increased power output should increase the useful range of the station.

2068. FS: PRO-39 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. Chiu" <cychiu@superlink.net>
Message-ID: <350E7882.42916BE9@superlink.net>
Source record: 166787
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.cb

REALISTIC PRO-39 SCANNER

200 Channel Direct Entry
Rubber Duck Antenna (BNC)
Ni-Cad Battery
Wall Charger
Factory Freq Range: 30-54, 108-136.975, 137-174
380-512, 806-823.9375,
851-868.9375, 896-960
Cellular Restore
Made in Japan
$180.00 (Shipping included) or Best Offer

cychiu@superlink.net

2069. Re: For Sale ESN reprogrammer... Cheap Must see!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: DRC <hiflier@ruraltel.net>
Message-ID: <350F25AF.62E1@ruraltel.net>
Source record: 166788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.cellular.gsm,alt.cellular

Who knows? wrote:
>
> >Parallel port ESN reprogrammer for PC/MAC
> >fits most phones NEC,Nokia,
> >Audiovox... ect
> >
> >Software included
> >
> >Originally Paid $1,200
> >
> >Will sacrifice $325.00 no offer refused...
>
> You must not know a lot about this equipment, since you cannot change the ESN
> on any Nokia?

And a Mac has no parallel port.....

David

2070. Any Mods on 860 XLT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: DoubleDiamonds@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6en5oaokp1@newsd-143.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 166789

Just bought a used BC 860 XLT. can anybody tell me if there are any mods? Also, where are the cell images. Thanks in advance.

2071. Re: MDT Frequency Peoria

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam.n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <NoSpam.n9jig-ya023080001703982057330001@news.theramp.net>
Source record: 166790
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Peoria uses ALERTS, licensed to the State of Illinois on 857.7375.

In article <350ECB2C.A0940B1@flink.com>, Eric <UnholeyNOSPAM@flink.com> wrote:

> Does any one know the new MDT frequency for Peoria Illionis

--
* Rich Carlson, N9JIG (n9jig@theramp.net) *

Illinois Highway Page: http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html

2072. Re: Antenna Location: Outside or Attic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Rooney <"n2nkbREM@n2nkb"@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6enej5$ocl@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166791

Q wrote:
>
> I have a Scantenna that is about to go into production. It *may* be
> easier for me to put it in the attic as opposed to outside. Any
> comments on attic usage vs. outside? I know outside is ideal, but
> what kind of signal loss can I expect w/an indoor antenna? Is it
> negligible?

Yes. I have had excellent luck with attic antennas on several
bands, HF to UHF, as well as "outdoor" antennas, for ham use. Your
scanner may be limited by far-field propagation, so any loss due the
frame construction of your house is negligable.
As a rule, I try to keep my receive-only antennas indoors, and
have had no problems with sensitivity. The best part about an attic
antenna is that once you set it up- you forget it and it will
remain robust for years 'cause the transmission line and the
elements are in a very friendly environment.

Al, n2nkb@worldnet.att.net

2073. Re; pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Merrell <kd6jxy@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <350F3E07.C98C9303@pacbell.net>
Source record: 166792

sold Pro-26

thanks to all for your response.

--
Paul Merrell
kd6jxy@pacbell.net
http://home.pacbell.net/kd6jxy
AOL: paulkd6jxy
JUNO: kd6jxy@juno.com

2074. Re: How Can I Make My Tape Recorder Into Extra-Long-Record Device?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350dbe98.144258385@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166859

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@cts.com
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Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

KC5YWX <jboros@highfiber.com> wrote:

> It can be done, but to pull this off would require some type of tachometer
> feedback loop and a driver circuit on the motor. Then set the loop for
> half speed (It probably would not be stable much below this). The circuit
> will give it the needed power to start up, but will regulate the speed.

Heh heh heh......like I said, the venture would
be dang near impossible..... or at least not feasible.

<grin>

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2075. Re: Line of Sight?

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Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350ebfdf.144585210@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166860

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mulligan@ACM.ORG (F. Barry Mulligan) wrote:

> Old sailor's rule: the distance to the horizon in nautical miles is
> the square root of the the observer's elevation in feet. If you're on the
> bridge with your eyes 49' above the water, the horizon is 7 nautical miles
> away (actually 7.4, but close enough). If you're not an old sailor,
> multiply the figure by 1.2 to get statute miles.
> /* barry /&

Ummmmm actually it's the square root of *twice* the height (ft).
A 50' height above water is good for a 10-nm line of sight.

And the conversion from nautical to statute is to multiply
by 1.1363.

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2076. Re: Another question for Bill

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3510c267.145233055@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166861

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mjh@oberon.ark.com (M.Holmes) wrote:

> I have two handheld scanners PRO-37 & BC 200XLT the latter in poor
> health. Curiosity had me prod the antenna contacts with DVM and the
> BC200 XLT yielded 1.87 volts ?? The PRO-37 zero vdc Also my PRO
> 2006 base produced zero volts at the bnc terminals. Does a reading at
> the bnc connector indicate an ailing scanner or is this normal for the
> BC line?

Wow, that's really weird. There should typically be
no DC voltage on the antenna terminal. However in the
case of the BC-200XLT, it is a possibility, and a
cursory review of the schematic suggests that it may
not be a problem.

See, several lines connect to the antenna terminal,
and while I didn't follow them around (lack of time),
there were diodes in there along with a resistive
load that certainly could leave a DC voltage there.

If the unit has problems, I'd look elsewhere for starters.

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2077. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <350fc1b5.145055015@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166862

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tired_of_spam@this_address.com (Q) wrote:

> I've never seen these guys actually post anything about scanning. Do
> they know anything technical? Maybe it's all a big mistake and they
> really mean to be in comp.periphs.scanners.
>
> Unbelieveable.

Yes it is unbelievable. You must be blind in
one eye and unable to see out of the other.

I post a lot of material on scanners and scanning.
And I'd post *more* if it weren't for flakes, fruits,
and idiots who put demands on my available time.

<shrug>

Do YOU post anything about scanners and scanning?

2078. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3511c416.145664260@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166863

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maxinnis@aol.com (Max Innis) wrote:

> true tale written by a time magazine writer about the death of her favorite
> mailing list because of loudmouths... insert rec.radio.scanner for mailing list
> and mackey, cheeks or other favorite loudmouth for the guy mentioned in the
> story.

Ummmmm hummmmm.......but it sounds to me like good ol'
Frank in that story just boogeyed along and tripped
into a whole pile of crusted-over manure....just
waiting for the crust to be cracked to stink all over
again.

One individual can't wreck a society, but that
society sure can wreck itself. Sometimes all it needs
is a half-assed excuse.

2079. Re: radio shack pro60 help???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3512c4b9.145827725@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166864

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Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

dpeacey@aol.com (DPeacey) wrote:

> do any of you clever people out there know of any modifications for a radio
> shack pro 60 handheld scanner such as how to fill in the gaps etc? any help
> would be much appreciated thanks email dpeacey@aol.com

A 1994 law outlaws the importation and sale of
scanners that can be modified for cellular.

Dozens of other mods are possible, though.

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2080. Re: Is VOX recording possible on a PC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3515c6b0.146330256@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166865
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"Just Me" wrote:

> I would like to record the stuff that happens while I am at work but would
> like to do it through my PC. Does anyone know if this is possible and if
> so how. Are there any Programs out there that would make this alil easier?
>
> rbarrett@thegrid.net

Sure. Grab VOXREC.ZIP from my FTP site.

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2081. Re: Band scope conversion for old Scope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3516c712.146428770@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166866

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Greg May <greg_may@hp.com> wrote:

> Does anyone have any leads on how I can use an old oscilloscope to view
> a small portion of the band being scanned -- I assume, tap off the IF
> but there must be some project out there that allows bandscope
> simulations (realtime).

Well, you're biting off a big chunk, but
yes, it is possible. You would need to
sample either the 1st IF or the 2nd IF
of a triple conversion receiver as the
bandwidth of the 3rd IF is just too narrow
to be of any use.

For dual conversion receivers, only the
1st IF would be useful.

Then you'd need to amplify that tapped
signal by 40-50 dB first, and then MIX
it with a swept oscillator signal and
feed the output to your scope along with
trigger pulses synch'd with the swept
oscillator.

Quite a mouthful, really.

Once upon a time, there was a device out called
the "Poor Man's Spectrum Analyzer" that cost
around $400 and you supplied the scope. Sounds
like this is more where you need to head.

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2082. Re: mods for pro-62

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3514c514.145918700@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166867

@cts.com
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Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Odd Inge Hansen" <oinhanse@online.no> wrote:

> Are there any mods for the gaps on my pro-62 scanner.
> Are also interested in expanding the memory.

A 1994 USA law outlaws the importation and sale of
scanners that can be modified for cellular. So
that "gap" is not recoverable for any scanners
destined for sale in the US. Other countries have
"gaps" of their own that probably are not recoverable.

Dozens of other mods are possible, including
extended memory up to 12,800 channels (or more).
The memory mod isn't something that can be
explained in any detail in a newsgroup post,
though.

In a word, the PRO-62 uses a 2k x 8 SRAM. Replace
it with a 32k x 8 SRAM for 3,200 channels or a
128k x 8 SRAM for 12,800 channels. Replacement
isn't all that simple since there will be some
trace cuts to be made and a fair amount of rewiring,
including four switches for 3200 channels and six
switches for 12,800 channels.

The memory mods are highly detailed in other
publications, however.

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2083. PRO-34 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mpincock@juno.com
Message-ID: <350e9e98.8415365@news.ida.net>
Source record: 166868

I have purchased a PRO-34 from a pawn shop. The radio receives very well. I performed the cell mod on the scanner. The scanner will now scan the cell frequencies but nothing is received in the cell band. I can turn the squelch down and there is the squelch noise. Any ideas? Thanks.

Matthew Pincock
3965 S. Ross Ave.
Idaho Falls, ID 83406
(208) 524-4929
email: mpincock@juno.com

2084. Tektronix & HP Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: biochemst@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317010700.UAA09783@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166869

Repair your own test equipment

I am in the process of adding a card exchange service to my current instrument repair business. I have a growing stock of clean, calibrated cards/boards and power supplies. All items are "burned-in" for a minimum of 72 hours prior to selling. I am working on adding a price list to me web site.

If you have a bad card/board, power supply, etc., I will sell you one -at a good price- if you send me the old one in exchange (a core).

I am also buying some non-working models.

Drop me a line and I will see if I have your card in stock.

Thanx !!

Respond to : Biochemst@aol.com

2085. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: JPGRIFF <jpgriff@nospamworldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ekink$71n@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166870

I'm using IE ver 3.xx. How do I create a "kill file". I use filters on my
e-mail to cut down on spammers, so I'm familiar with the concept.
Sorry for the off-topic post, but there must be a way to filter out the
crap on this NG.
73 John

Jumpin' Jack Flash <JJdotFlash@no.spam.asu.edu> wrote in article
<350D6E4D.600A@no.spam.asu.edu>...
> Hey Dennis,
>
> The best thing is to use a kill file. If webtv software doesn't offer
> one, complain to them, not the group. Unfortunately, all you have done
> here is to give those following the flame wars another thread to follow,
> and those of us who have grown tired of it another thread to add to our
> kill files. Once you start using your kill file, this group looks
> pretty much normal again. By the way, I'd suggest you also use a kill
> file on authors, especially Mackey. When I was following this crap, it
> was obvious that Mackey was creating most of the problems, although
> Cheek does add fuel to Mackey's fires. But, this is an open forum. It
> is up to you to "STOP IT N O W." It is not their responsibility to
> control what you choose to read. *I* made them go away in my domain,
> and if they bug you that much, you should too.
>
> Happy scanning.
>
>
> Dennis Lassetter wrote:
> >
> > By God I am tired of this ongoing crap about Bill Cheek and John
Mackey.
> > Enough is enough. People get a bait of this after so long. Its not
funny
> > anymore. Just goes to show how childish some people are. Quit making
> > bigger fools out of yourselves than you already are. Thank you.
> >
> > DENNIS in GA.
>

2086. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bkmagic@bigfoot.NOSPAMcom
Message-ID: <350dd1f4.24420717@news.packet.net>
Source record: 166871
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 17:00:14 -0600, "Roger Harris"
<hwroger@interkan.net> wrote:

>If listening on the cell frequencies are such a crime the what is it that
>they are trying tio hide or keep others from hearing?

<clip>

Then you don't mind if I walk on into your house and listen to what's
going on and look around either do you? Or are you trying to hide
something and keep others from knowing about it?

Bob K (remove NOSPAM to reply by email)

2087. Base Station antenna dilemma

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfd4@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317014700.UAA17557@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166872

I have narrowed the search for the "perfect base scanner antenna". they are the Diamond Discone, the Antenna Specialist Mon-r series and the Scantenna by Grove. I listen to 40mhz to 512mhz. Alot of towns moving to 500 mhz. What is the best for this type listening guys. Please e.mail me

2088. Re: PRO-34 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: alan.scott@juno.cum
Message-ID: <350ddfbe.5434437@news.wic.net>
Source record: 166873

On Tue, 17 Mar 1998 16:03:01 GMT, mpincock@juno.com wrote:

>I have purchased a PRO-34 from a pawn shop. The radio receives very
>well. I performed the cell mod on the scanner. The scanner will now
>scan the cell frequencies but nothing is received in the cell band. I
>can turn the squelch down and there is the squelch noise. Any ideas?
>Thanks.
>Matthew Pincock
>3965 S. Ross Ave.
>Idaho Falls, ID 83406
>(208) 524-4929
>email: mpincock@juno.com

Posting your name/address/phone # was a concerning a illegal scanner
modification? Could it be that you are that stupid? Or just trying to get
someone else in trouble.

2089. Re: Emergency Alerting System mystery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <01bd514f$bb29ffc0$0babedcc@default>
Source record: 166874
Cross-posted to: comp.dcom.telecom.tech,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

> My question: Does anybody have any idea of the reason for using such an
> unusual data rate and choice of mark and space frequencies?

A good place to start is with our good friends at:

http://www.sbe.org/eas.html

Monitor Safely!!

Brian Humphrey
Firefighter/Paramedic
Public Information Officer
Los Angeles City Fire Department *

* an agency that prides itself in its support of the monitoring hobby

LAFD website: http://www.lafd.org

2090. bc235 discriminator help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: pnash@bbnplanet.com
Message-ID: <blIP.28$$R6.563060@cam-news-reader1.bbnplanet.com>
Source record: 166875

Anyone out there tap the discriminator on the bc235xlt? I'm not good with circuitry and don't want to fry my new toy. Has anyone done it yet? Post instructions?

Yep, I've looked at Bill Cheek's paper, but want something a bit more descriptive before I attempt this (ie step by step or as close to it as possible..)

Thanks!
-Paul

2091. new scanner store

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhouse007@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317024600.VAA28673@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166876

410 s norfolk st
san mateo ca 94401
1-650-344-5012

2092. Re: Band scope conversion for old Scope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: hh357@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317032800.WAA07166@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166877

In article <350CB4A1.405@hp.com>, Greg May <greg_may@hp.com> writes:

>
>Does anyone have any leads on how I can use an old oscilloscope to view
>a small portion of the band being scanned -- I assume, tap off the IF
>but there must be some project out there that allows bandscope
>simulations (realtime).
>
>
.....

Greg,
In the book "Build your own Intelligent Amateur Radio Transceiver" by Randy L Henderson, Tab Books 1997 is a project for building a Spectrum Analyser using an O-scope. This may answer your needs.

H Higgins

2093. WTT for Pro-2006, BC900XLT, Trunk Tracker, AOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Koons <KHK@commkey.net>
Message-ID: <01bd515d$7c2eeb60$bb7cccd0@web-master>
Source record: 166878

I have several computer systems I would like to trade for any of the above scanners.
This is for a high school electronics program, and I am using my extra computer equipment to make a trade for one or more of these radios.

What I have:

2 ea. Pentium 100 overdrive systems
1 ea IBM PS/2 Model 70 Desktop System
1 ea IBM Ps/2 Model 70 Portable w/ Gas plasma Display

These systems are configured in different combinations so if you are interested email me and I will go into detail and specifics.

I also have numerous parts and accessories for IBM PC's and XT's. Including many complete units, Lots of IBM monitors and add in cards.

If there is something you need, and you have radio equipment that we can use in our club to trade, please email me with your need. I would like to trade as opposed to selling outright.

Thanks,

Keith
khk@commkey.net

2094. FS: pro 2026 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg <REMOVEn3oyr@home.net>
Message-ID: <350E0487.77DE@home.net>
Source record: 166879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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See http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8539393
-Greg
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My Email address is altered due to
the prevalence of Spamers. Remove the
REMOVE from my return .oooO
address to reply! ( ) Oooo.
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2095. Re: PA Systems???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: XXXmatt223@mailbag.com
Message-ID: <6el0b2$344$1@grandprime.binc.net>
Source record: 166880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>Public address systems like they use for school and company
>announcements. I was thinking that they would be in the 140-150 Mhz
>area.

The most common are in the 170M area, although many other bands,
including 48, 182, 201, and UHF are, or have been, used. Most PA,
however, is hardwired.

Mark

The truth as I perceive it to be.
Your perception may be different.

check the address

2096. Re: APCO Project 25 - Standards for Public Safety Digital Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6el3ggmoi1@uni.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 166881

Not bad - if carefully designed. Several of the larger counties out here (darn near state-size 8*) have massive trunked systems, so it *can* be done. Stability aside, there's the issue of just making things too damn complicated. When a surveillance crosses sectors, the lead calls out to change to, say 'East Sector, Local Tac 5', and everyone spends 5 minutes dialing through the talk-groups until they find something that looks more or less like the group called out... That could be fixed by simply giving each talk group a serial ID - Tac 1, Tac 2, etc... but the system was sold, in part on it's 'user friendly' display 8*)

Capacity is also real important - if you're going to put all your eggs in one basket, PD, FD, EMS, ADMIN, NG, PW, you've gotta make real sure there's enough capacity to meet all their simultaneous needs in the event of something major - say, if the New Madrid goes in a big way (hey - I live in Earthquake country 8*)

For the money - I think I'd pick, say a 6 or 12 MHz chunk of spectrum, reserve it statewide for public safety and then allocate a portion of the band for low-level repeaters, a portion for networked statewide links, guard-channels for interagency access/call-ups, maybe simplex tacs on splinters, etc. You'd have just as much (probably more) versatility as a trunked system with a **much** smaller maint. bill - and it'd be reliable.

Greg Dean (n9nwo@gte.net) wrote:

: What I would like for the state of Indiana, is a state 800 Mhz system.
: The state sets up the equipment in each county. No local systems. Lets
: you be linked to any part of the state. Put all fire, police, local
: government services one one system.

2097. NEWS NOTIFICATION SERVICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nycs3@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317070900.CAA10938@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166882

`METRO NOTIFICATION SERVICE OF NYC IS LOOKING FOR STAFF MEMBERS TO JOIN OUR TEAM. MNS PROVIDES FIRE/NEWS ACTION AS IT HAPPENS TO ITS CUSTOMERS USING MOTOROLA ADVISOR ELITE PAGERS WITH GROUPS(ie: FDNY, NYCPD, NYS FIRE/NEWS, NORTHERN NJ FIRE/NEWS) BOSTON AND RHODE ISLAND ARE PROVIDED THRU OUR AFFILIATES. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED OR KNOW SOMEONE WHO IS CONTACT SAL AT MNSNEWYORK@AOL.COM OR CALL 718-918-2492

2098. NYT frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigdiq@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6ela3odbk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166883
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hello..

I am wondering if anyone has set up a set of channels for cruising down the New York State Thruway...

I don't travel downstate (Albany to NYC) all that often, so i never get to see what freqs (that I hastily punched in just before the trip) are working and which aren't.
I am mostly interested in Thruway-only frequencies (maintenance and Police).

So, what frequencies do YOU listen to when you speed, er I mean, travel at a safe rate of speed down I-87?

Please respond to:

Spoof@
roo.
unixnet.
org

Thanks!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2099. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry <singer@henge.com>
Message-ID: <350E232A.EF6870F@henge.com>
Source record: 166884
Cross-posted to: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

> Richard the Knight who says "Give me your nose !!!"
> http://www.mite.co.uk/weasel/richard
>
> Who can solve my riddle ?
>
> The begining of eternity, the end of space and time
> The begining of every end and the end of every ryme.

The letter e.....

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2100. Re: PA Systems???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <350E2114.F1B8CE68@eden.com>
Source record: 166885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ben Cook wrote:

> Tim Hynde wrote:
>
> > Ben unless someone else here is one up on me, your gonna have to try
> > again... PA Systems? Public Address?
> > Section of what band?
> >
> > Tim
>
> Public address systems like they use for school and company
> announcements. I was thinking that they would be in the 140-150 Mhz
> area. I was thinking that someone might have a frequency counter that
> would be able to find out or people that would just happen to know that
> kind of stuff off hand. Thanks!
>
> -Ben

If memory serves me right, i think most if not all P.A systems are
hardwired, and not wireless. You might be mistaken with wireless mikes,
like for churches and stuff.

2101. Re: PA Systems???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <350E2315.7566A4DC@eden.com>
Source record: 166886
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ben Cook wrote:

> Tim Hynde wrote:
>
> > Ben unless someone else here is one up on me, your gonna have to try
> > again... PA Systems? Public Address?
> > Section of what band?
> >
> > Tim
>
> Public address systems like they use for school and company
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> would be able to find out or people that would just happen to know that
> kind of stuff off hand. Thanks!
>
> -Ben

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hardwired, and not wireless. You might be mistaken with wireless mikes,
like for churches and stuff.

2102. Re: PA Systems???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <350E230C.C729583@eden.com>
Source record: 166887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ben Cook wrote:

> Tim Hynde wrote:
>
> > Ben unless someone else here is one up on me, your gonna have to try
> > again... PA Systems? Public Address?
> > Section of what band?
> >
> > Tim
>
> Public address systems like they use for school and company
> announcements. I was thinking that they would be in the 140-150 Mhz
> area. I was thinking that someone might have a frequency counter that
> would be able to find out or people that would just happen to know that
> kind of stuff off hand. Thanks!
>
> -Ben

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hardwired, and not wireless. You might be mistaken with wireless mikes,
like for churches and stuff.

2103. Re: Dallas ATC internet address?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nexus@datasync.com
Message-ID: <6elfus$4qp$1@osh1.datasync.com>
Source record: 166888

FRITO BANDITO (THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net) hath said:
: Brent Andre wrote:
: >
: > I used to listen to the Dallas Fort Worth air traffic control over the
: > internet. I can't find it anymore , does anyone know the internet address
: > for this or any other air traffic control facilities?
: TRY http://www.policescanner.com
:
: I THINK THAT THEY HAVE A LINK TO THE SITE THAT YOU WANT.

Its not on www.policescanner.com

If someone wants to listen to D/FW ATC, they need to go to the Audio Net page, which has an index for all of the broadcasts on the internet in the realaudio format, there is a Link to the D/FW ATC from there...

the url is http://www.audionet.com

The link should be right next to the one for www.policescanner.com as well.

Jimmy

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::::::::::::::::==|Posted by. The NeXus|==::::::::::::::::
::::::::::::::::==|www.datasync.com/nexus|==::::::::::::::::

2104. Re: Orange County Trunked System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOSPAMmikek@deltanet.com
Message-ID: <350f4168.2598742@news.deltanet.com>
Source record: 166889

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 20:02:46 -0800, Jim Wayda <jwayda@REMOVE.pacbell.net> wrote:

>Does anyone know when Orange County California will be switching to the
>countywide trunked system, and what type of system and radios will be
>used?
>
>Jim
>
Orange County's new 800MHz. system is a Motorola SmartNetII digitial trunked system. Astro Sabers and STX-3000's will be the portables and Astro Spectras will be the mobiles. The system is very 'cellular' in design and no radio will need more that 7 watts RF output to make it. A lot of the backbone equipment is installed and powered up at various radio sites in the County now (Made useless however by the absence of antennas and site/system controllers).
The first agency to cut over will be Irvine PD (if the plans don't change again) and that will be possibly as late as mid-1999.
Patches will be set up between the current systems and the new system until everybody is cut over. This could take 2 years after the first agency moves.

Sgt. Mike Krueger - KC6ZSF
Orange County Sheriff Communications/RACES

2105. ICOM MODEL IC-R100,800 MODIFICATION INFO NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dickemmm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317110201.GAA21906@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166890

Looking for Modification info to restore 800mgz for my Icom IC-R100 Scanner Reciever! Will pay for proper info,E mail Dickemmm@AOL.Comm

2106. Broadcasting scanner over Internet: is it legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Michael Hand <hand@scf.usc.edu>
Message-ID: <350E6B48.4A2F0559@scf.usc.edu>
Source record: 166891

I am a student, and I am planning on using a RealAudio server to broadcast the radio traffic of my university's intra-campus transportation service (trams, etc.). Would this be legal?

I certainly don't want to find the FCC at my dorm room door one day, ready to confiscate my computer and haul me off to prison.

Please send me any responses via email, as well as postiong them to this newsgroup.

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David Michael Hand
http://www-scf.usc.edu/~hand
Cogent, Avril (UO)

2107. bc200xlts problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gal1977@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317133201.IAA02010@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166892

I have a modified bc200xlt it worked fine and I picked up everything. But lately I scan for hour hearing nothing exccept the very strong frequencies like the local police and fire and even that in not as sharp as it was.

Can anyone tell me what to do? I baught a new Duck antenna but it did not help,

Dave
Gal1977@aol.com

2108. FS SC-150 Scanner & Standard HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6eq66o$2ns$1@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 166594

SC-150 bearcat for $100 dollars
Standard HT C528A 2 meter/440 with xtras for $250 dollars.
mgdforty@webtv.net

2109. Re: Pro 26 questions (cellular, antenna, and others)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Ashline <ashline@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <6eqam5$6ok$1@newsfep2.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 166595

I believe you that you paid 199.00 for the scanner. I checked as well and found that Radio Shack does not always drop the price on there clearence items every where at the same time like there sales run. I also found out that a dealer/Franchise store does not have to lower the price even though they may get a credit for the price difference, I bought a pro 29 three weeks ago for 129.00. that price of course was before my employee iscount(I work for Radio Shack). To answer you question on the mod. I have looked everywhere and did not find any. If you find any I would greatly appreiciat that info.

Thanks, Ryan

PS That last message was in no way ment to get you heated. I just didn't want to see you pay more than what you should of. Sometimes the computers dont always get the price updates and that is what I thought had happened to you. But now that I checked I know that it is possible to have some items priced differently at some Radio Shacks. However the mojority of prices arew universal. That scanner is still a great buy at that price!

Ashline@Sprintmail.com

2110. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6ep7no$b5n@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 166596
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

BAYCITVIDGRP <myway@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

> AGEISM is your problem...
> and a loss of humanism...
> and should be encouraged...it keeps
> people young at heart and the heart
> stays young as long as there is LUST
> in one's leer...

Don't forget that I live in Hawaii - we have the world's most beautiful women on our beaches. (One of them is my very pretty Vietnamese girl-friend.) But just as you must respect their privacy after they leave the beach by not peering in their homes, you shouldn't be eavesdropping on their wireless phone calls.

Jeff

2111. Re: Garden State Parkway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcardani@erols.com
Message-ID: <350f36ae.552375@news.erols.com>
Source record: 166597

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 20:03:04 -0800, "James M. Park"
<n1jkv@exit109.com> wrote:

>Does any one know the 800 mhz trunking freqs for the garden State
>Parkway
>
>Much Thanks

They use the NJSP trunked radio system and also have 2 conventional
repeater channels as secondary/spares. Check my South Jersey Scanner
Page at http://www.erols.com/jcardani/sjscan.htm

I have the NJSP documented for the entire state of NJ.

To follow the conversations, you would need a trunking capable scanner
such as the Uniden Trunk Tracker.

Joe

2112. Re: Scanner antenna? Diamond? You like it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gumballs@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6eoua1$rf5$1@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 166644

i have been using the diamond ant. for about a year and it works great

2113. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Bonde <stderr@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <350FFC27.BF862052@mailexcite.com>
Source record: 166645
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Knopp wrote:
>
> In article <350A24DE.B5A0BC98@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:
>
> > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > >
> > > In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> > > >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
> > > >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
> > > >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
> > > >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.
> > >
> > > If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
> > > same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
> > > (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> > > voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> > > rooted problem.
> > >
> > > Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
> > > that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
> > >
> > Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
> > you nuts? Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as
>
> No...using your RADIO to listen to communications that are meant to be
> heard by third parties isn't a equal comparison to looking into other
> people's windows. Using a illegal modified scanner in order to eavesdrop
> on conversations you aren't supposed to be hearing...IS though.

WHAT is a conversation I'm not supposed to be hearing? Military traffic?
Guess what? No illegal to listen to. Portable non-cell phones? No
illegal to listen to. The only thing that is illegal to listen to is
cell phones because the cell phone industry subverted the people of this
country's rights.

>
> > long as we did not repeat it. It is time to go back to that. This
>
> You can listen to whatever is on your radio. Things change though when you
> make attempts to illegally intercept things that wasn't meant for your
> ears. It's called an "invasion of privacy".

No, it's called the airwaves are owned by the public and I'm part of the
public and therefore I can listen if I so choose.

>
> > doesn't get the Democratic scum of the hook, however, since they
> > recorded and leaked a cell phone call to the media. This was illegal all
> > along.
>
> Yeah...maybe we can hook a wire to your phone lines....as "long as I don't
> repeat it"?
You are a loon. Wired lines are private property. Wiretaping without
legal court order is and should be a crime. Only a fool has an
expectation of privacy when he uses his cell phone.

2114. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Bonde <stderr@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <350FFFA0.B757382D@mailexcite.com>
Source record: 166646
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Rev. C. U. Fry <stderr@mailexcite.com> wrote:
> >Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
> >you nuts?
>
> Eavesdropping on someone's telephone call is the same form of voyeurism
> as peering in their windows (except that one allows you to hide in your
> home with your drapes closed while the other requires that you must be
> peeking through your drapes).
>
When you peek in your neighbours' windows, I think you are trying to see
them naked. It's going to be hard to see someone naked listening to them
on a cell phone.

> >Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as
> >long as we did not repeat it.
>
> Wire-tapping someone's telephone has been illegal for quite a long
> time. Now ask yourself how listening to a phone conversation
> via a scanner is different from wire-tapping that party's phone.
> Your intent is the same - to spy on your neighbor.
>
> You can attempt to justify your obsession of electronic "peeping tom"
I don't even own a scanner capable of listening in to cell phones. I,
however, own three cell phones and average more than 2000 minutes per
month. You could try attacking me for being an electronic exhibitionist
but that won't work either since I choose to retain my privacy by using
digitally encrypted cell phones where possible.

> but it doesn't change the fact that you're committing a federal crime.
This is only the case with cell phones. If I were to listen to your
portable phone, I would be well within my rights. If you don't want
people to listen in, I think you should keep your RF out of their
private property.

> It's just a pity that we need such a federal law in place of what
> should be a moral obligation to respect the privacy of your neighbors.
>
It doesn't work so it is faux privacy but even if it did, as you can see
there are solutions such as digital encryption. Otherwise, just don't
say things on air that you don't want people to know. I don't say things
online here I don't want people to know. It's really rather simple. Or
do you have something all fired important to hide? Are you a criminal?

> If you want the EPCA repealed, then you should also fight for allowing
> unlimited wire-tapping without court intervention.
>
I've already shown this idea to be nonsense.

> Jeff KH2PZ
If you really are a amateur radio, you are like the gun owner who wants
to take away everyone else's right to own a gun.

2115. Re: Antenna Location: Outside or Attic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: llevy2@nospam.pacbell.net
Message-ID: <35100edd.1508838@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 166647

I agree with Al. I've had my Diamond discone in my attic for years now
and it works fine with very little, if any added signal loss.

I would add, however a small caveat here: Many homes in the east and
midwest have metal siding or metal roofs. This would affect the signal
strength of an antenna mounted in the attic.

73's

-Larry

On Tue, 17 Mar 1998 22:19:26 -0800, Al Rooney
<"n2nkbREM@n2nkb"@postoffice.worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Yes. I have had excellent luck with attic antennas on several
>bands, HF to UHF, as well as "outdoor" antennas, for ham use. Your
>scanner may be limited by far-field propagation, so any loss due the
>frame construction of your house is negligable.
>As a rule, I try to keep my receive-only antennas indoors, and
>have had no problems with sensitivity. The best part about an attic
>antenna is that once you set it up- you forget it and it will
>remain robust for years 'cause the transmission line and the
>elements are in a very friendly environment.
>
>Al, n2nkb@worldnet.att.net

2116. Re: Other MDT Protocols???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: coffeeman@feedME
Message-ID: <35101261.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 166648
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.feedme

> Hi,I am wondering if anyone out there has any info on the "RD-LAP" mdt protoco
l?
>
> It is a moto. wireless data protocol used for mdt transmissions.
> This RD-LAP protocol can be used on the same terminal type as the more known M
DC
> 4800 protocol.
> The terminal is a MDC9100 series and supports the following transmission types
:
> MDC4800
> RD-LAP 9.6
> RD-LAP 19.2
>
> In what band of frequencies is the RD-LAP protocol usually used? 400MHz,800MHz
,
> both??
> Is it an encrypted protocol or is it like the fun and easy MDC4800 protocol we
a
> ll know ??
>
>
>
> thanks!

luvcoffee@hotmail.com

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2117. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6ep5o0$rnb@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 166649

"Rimshot" (hihat@bang.com) writes:
> D Stark wrote in message <6emgoj$15f2$2@node17.frontiernet.net>...
>>
>>Darrell A. Larose wrote in message
>><6ejq2g$kue@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>>>You can buy unblocked Icom, Bearcat Uniden etc... scanners in Canada
>>>The only company selling blocked scanners is Radio Shack who thinks
>>>USA laws apply in Canada...
>>
>>
>>Radio Shack apparently knows more about Canadian law than do most
>>Canadians (at least in this newsgroup). Monitoring of telephone
>>conversations transmitted over the radio is illegal in Canada, whether
>>you want to believe it or not.
>>
>>Don't bother arguing the point. I've been over this ground before,
>>and I have the relevant Canadian statutes on my website.
>
> So what?
> It's still legal to OWN unblocked scanners in Canada ya indignant blowhard.
>
Have you read the sections of The Criminal Code of Canada, and the Radio-
Telecommunications Act that Mr. Stark cites? They do cloud this issue.
These sections do very clearly state that monitoring any form of telephone
conversations as being illegal. The statutes covers all forms of "private
telephone" (including radio-telephone, which would include cell phones) by
any type of device. So owning an unblocked scanner is legal, but using it
would be a Criminal Code Offence (in USA terms, a felony).

Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

"Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

2118. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6ep60k$rsa@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 166650

Jeff (jroulier@albany.net) writes:
> I checked the web, and found contradictory answers. Is it illegal to
> listen to any oral transmission or only cell/cordless phones? Why are
> cell freqs blocked, but not cordless? Is it illegal to own one that
> has cell capabilities, or just using it to do so? If it's illegal to
> sell cell capable radios and or show people how to modify theirs,
> isn't 80 percent of those of us on this news group criminals? I tried
> reading the fcc page, but it made it sound as if all scanning was
> illegal.
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The Electronics Communications Privacy Act (1986) made monitoring cell
illegal, The April 1994 Ammendments added cordless phones, plus made it
illegal to sell (or manufaturer) scanners that could be un-blocked. The
new Bill that just passed in Congress adds even more restrictions such
as owning devices that can monitor these frequencies. There is even a
more restrictive bill proposed that covers most of the radio spectrum...

2119. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dac_nospam@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <OcFRiopU9GA.267@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 166651
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In article <350DE575.E2FD0333@olg.com>, JoeR <talon2@olg.com> wrote:
>May I interject? The airwaves belong to the public, and last time I looked, a
>cellular telephone was nothing more than a radio. The cellular industry put one
>over on the public, stating that a cell phone was as convenient and secure as a
>landline. Anyone with any technical knowledge of the subject knows that's a
>crock. The bottom line is if you don't want me listening to it, then ENCRYPT
> IT!
>
>
>
And last time I looked, Army tanks and Air Force airplanes are "public
property" also....so does that mean you can just go "borrow" one when ever you
feel like it?

I agree with the idea of encryption...that's why I've got a digital cell
phone, not an analog one. But, that doesn't change the concept that just
because something is there...that it's yours to use (or listen to) at will.

Don

2120. FS:OS456 Interface for 2005/6-$125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbarton73@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6epaut$ffm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166652

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For Sale: Optoelectronics 456 Interface for Pro 2005/2006 scanners.
Installation instructions included.
$125
email if intrested please.
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2121. FS: AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsaNO-SPAM@litenet.net
Message-ID: <6epb1r$759$2@ostrich.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 166653

AOR 8000 for sale. Unblocked from the UK. Mint in box with 12v adapter.
$500 or BO.

To respond via EMAIL to a newsgroup post, remove NO-SPAM from my address.

2122. Re: Netset Pro-46

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.com
Message-ID: <35103231.17615610@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 166654
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Try ther website thats were I got mine.

On Wed, 18 Mar 1998 16:01:31 +0100, bjornol@vestfoldnett.no wrote:

>NETSET PRO-46 Model No. 20-9305
>100 Channel Direct Entry Programmable Scanner (handheld)
>
>User manual for programming anyone ?
>
>Please reply to: bjornol@vestfoldnett.no

2123. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: timh@xetron.com
Message-ID: <35103191.0@news.xetron.com>
Source record: 166655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ramsey Electronics (800)446-2295
FR-146 2 Meter Receiver Kit $34.95
-tunes any 5MHz portion of the selected receiver band.
-1uV sensitivity
-Front Panel volume, squelch, and tuning controls.

In article <6ec4p1$mc6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, ptcarter@ingr.com says...
>
>Hello-
> I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240
>MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only that
>frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on that
>repeater). I'm looking for something light (i can put in my pocket or on my
>belt, with a earphone)and as simple as possible. Has anyone put one together
>that can tell me the difficulties and the cost. I've been reading the news
>archives and stumbled on the MC3363 from motorola which seems like the best
>solution. If you have experience with this IC or if you know of a simpler
>path to achieve my goal, please let me know.
> I read the app notes (AP980) from motorola. Here are my concerns. First
>off, it said not to breadboard this circuit, but to use copper traces because
>occllations will occur. My only tools are a soldering iron, a simpson meter,
>and some Radio Shack PC board. Will this be a problem? I have pretty
>limited electronic skills and test equipment. Also, the notes say I can flip
>dip switches and get 256 2-meter frequencies. This is cool, but I only need
>one. Can I use a crystal instead? Has anyone a shematic that will make this
>reciever work? Any push in the right direction will be appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Paul Carter KF4JIR
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2124. PRO2038

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <3510348F.9FC0CDDD@ncia.net>
Source record: 166656

Can anybody point me to info on mods and options for the 2038???
Thanks in advance

2125. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mkortlander***@***monmouth.com
Message-ID: <35163552.5808206@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 166657

On 18 Mar 1998 19:07:00 GMT, ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
(Darrell A. Larose) wrote:

>
>Jeff (jroulier@albany.net) writes:
>> I checked the web, and found contradictory answers. Is it illegal to
>> listen to any oral transmission or only cell/cordless phones? Why are
>> cell freqs blocked, but not cordless? Is it illegal to own one that
>> has cell capabilities, or just using it to do so? If it's illegal to
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>illegal, The April 1994 Ammendments added cordless phones, plus made it
>illegal to sell (or manufaturer) scanners that could be un-blocked. The
>new Bill that just passed in Congress adds even more restrictions such
>as owning devices that can monitor these frequencies. There is even a
>more restrictive bill proposed that covers most of the radio spectrum...
>

I hope that Tweak guy reads this

2126. ANY GOOD FREQS FOR WASHINGTON D.C.??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mackie27@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031821151100.QAA04092@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166658

Can anyone tell me some interesting freqs for the Washington D.C. area?

----ANTENNA HEAD

Web Page At: http://members.aol.com/Mackie27/index.html

2127. Re: NEED PRO-51 OWNERS MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <351040F4.9495AD9F@ncia.net>
Source record: 166659

This is too easy>>go to www.tandy.com support all manuals etc
are online

2128. Re: ANY GOOD FREQS FOR WASHINGTON D.C.??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jking31950@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980318220539O1.RAA12266@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166660

What are you interested in, FBI, Secret Service,police, news broadcasts? It is frequency rich enviroment. Email me.

2129. FS: Bearcat 100XLT Handheld Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <351049F5.CF@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,pnet.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,att.ham-radio, rec.radio.amateur.misc

Uniden Bearcat Handheld Scanner

Features: -New NiCd Battery Pack
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-Earphone (extra length)
-Wall Charger
-Original Case

The radio has had some use and I'm proud to say, I've taken good care of it over the years. Everything works the perfectly.

I'm asking $100.00 for this beauty. It is a very useful radio and will give you more years of quality scanning.

Please EMAIL me or CALL me at (305)895-4355 between the hours of 10:00am & 9:00pm.

73,
Bill

2130. FS: Uniden Bearcat 100XLT Handheld Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35104DA5.7D62@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166662
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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73,
Bill

2131. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6ephoh$mav@dfw-ixnews11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In <6em697$c3t@news.Hawaii.Edu> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
writes:
>
>
>That the government might be monitoring phone calls doesn't bother
>me in the least. Individual rights has to take a back seat to national
>security, in my opinion. Feel free to disagree in an intellectual
manner.
>
>Jeff KH2PZ

say brah...wassamaddau

dis malo idea yours get plenny
stink-talk no

national security is the excuse brah.
always a committee of well-trained
paranoina=laded minds to trump up
"security" kine...

government afraid it being found out...
and then press gets hold of it and
then they get voted out...wiki wiki

look at Lindsey case...dat broad
has her own "security" needs: not to
get found out...she get found out...
but continues her "dictatorial ways"/

moah bettah u learn "freedom" is
being allowed expressing what comes
to mind...no one has to be arrested
for being with thought...no matter
how many people in power get known
for what they do...at taxpayer's
expense.

I guess u say that paying 1.66 per
gallon a national security issue
brah in da kine...gas companies
refuse to "speak" about it...why
is never discussed fully. Their
national security...

taking lands away from da kine
up Leeward side because of State
Security excuse: they had no toilet
facilities on their encampment...
homesteaders...local kine.

national security usurps freedom.
on all levels...it's
how tyrants stay in powah...

bill conduit
etc.

2132. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: paulz@sc.hp.com
Message-ID: <6epinmkiu1@hpscit.sc.hp.com>
Source record: 166664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

From the beginning of radio until Congress got mixed up with cell phones,
it was perfectly legal for everyone in the US to listen to any radio
signal they wanted. The military expects adversaries to be able to listen
to their radio transmissions. They either use radio silence or some means
to make it difficult for a listener to understand what is being said.

What Congress should have done was require cell phones to have some
type of scrambler circuit. In the massive quanties in which cell phones
are manufactured, a custom IC would only add a buck to the price of each
phone. But a buck per phone is a lot of money, so the cell phone lobby
went to Congress to outlaw listeners.

Privacy on analog cell phones is rather like having a picture window
with no curtains in the bedroom!

I don't own a scanner, but I think everyone who does or who considers owning
one was delt a great disservice. As was anyone who was fooled into believing
the anti-scanner law would give them privacy.

Disclaimer:
These are my personal opinions.

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
: In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
: >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
: >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
: >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
: >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.

: If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
: same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
: (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
: voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
: rooted problem.

: Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
: that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.

: Jeff KH2PZ

2133. Re: Pro 26 questions (cellular, antenna, and others)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@albany.net
Message-ID: <351354be.22469375@news.albany.net>
Source record: 166665

On Wed, 18 Mar 1998 00:39:02 -0600, grovedev@webtv.net (Chris Larkin)
wrote:

>
>
>The PRO-26 is MOST DEFINITELY discontinued. It's not even listed in the
>1998 RS catalog.

Yes, I stand corrected. I called the day after I made that post to
see for myself, and was told it was discontinued. The reason I didn't
think so was because the man who sold it to me said he didn't know why
it was on sale for so little because they weren't discontinued. But,
I really did just buy it for $199.00, and at a Radio shack store.
I'll scan the receipt if proof be needed.

Do cemetery workers prefer the graveyard shift?

Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
Jroulier@albany.net

2134. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@albany.net
Message-ID: <351454c3.22475129@news.albany.net>
Source record: 166666

On 18 Mar 1998 19:07:00 GMT, ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA (Darrell A. Larose) wrote:

>
>Jeff (jroulier@albany.net) writes:
>> I checked the web, and found contradictory answers. Is it illegal to
>> listen to any oral transmission or only cell/cordless phones? Why are
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>new Bill that just passed in Congress adds even more restrictions such
>as owning devices that can monitor these frequencies. There is even a
>more restrictive bill proposed that covers most of the radio spectrum...

This angers me. Not so much because I want to eavesdrop, but I don't like such government intrusion. I hardly doubt radio enthusiasts have the lobbying power to prevent almost any law from passing. Also, I know nothing about ham, but don't most ham radios have such full coverage now, or do they only receive in their respective bands?

Do cemetery workers prefer the graveyard shift?

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Jroulier@albany.net

2135. UNIDEN MR8000, PRO 2006, AOR 8000, KENWOOD R5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmlac123@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031823165101.SAA23514@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166667

I'm thinking of selling my radios
Uniden MR800 asking w software asking 400.00 or best offer
Radio Shack Pro 2006 w/ mods asking 300.00 or best
AOR AR 8000 w/ci-v mod asking 400.00 or best
Kenwood R5000 shortwave reciver w/ MFJ filter and Grove tun4 pre amp asking
600.00 or best offer.
I bought all the radios new and have all the books for them
email a rmlac123@aol.com till the 15 of april or at rmalc1@juno.com
73's Randy

2136. Re: Pro-2035-mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tramd300@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980318233419O1.SAA28226@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166668

I am also interested in this mod.
Please E-mail me direct.
Thanks...

TRAMD300@aol.com

2137. Bearcat 9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: brewdog67@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980318234446O1.SAA28615@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166669

I am looking for any modifications or "tricks" that can be done to a uniden bearcat 9000xlt. Any responses are greatly appreciated!!!

You can email me at:
brewdog@aol.com

thanks!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

2138. medical helicopter freqs in the state of wisconsin wanted please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "B.D.ALLEN" <allenb@itis.com>
Message-ID: <01bd52c6$611af200$030b53d1@default>
Source record: 166670

any help or advice would be appreciated

allenb@itis.com

2139. One last letter to my senators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <6epmor$a73$1@quasar.dimensional.com>
Source record: 166671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Okay, I'll try one more time with my senators... this is the letter,
translated from TeX. Yes, it rambles, but I want to get this thing
out as soon as possible! Comments are welcome, though.

=====
The Hon. Ben Nighthorse Campbell
380 Russell Senate Office Bldg.
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510-0605

Dear Senator Campbell:

I am writing to you to voice my opposition to H. R. 2369 RFS, titled
"The Wireless Privacy Enhancement Act of 1998" which recently passed in
the House and was referred to the Senate Commerce Committee.

While the intent of this Bill -- to protect privacy of cellular and
cordless telephone users -- is good, it is deeply flawed:

o This Bill doesn't actually add any protection above that already
provided in existing laws. [1]

o The Bill provides the illusion of privacy instead of real privacy.

o The Bill "inverts" the Communications Act of 1934 -- Currently,
the radio spectrum is treated as public but still recognizes that
privacy must be respected. If this Bill becomes law, the radio
spectrum will be considered off-limits except for a short list of
exceptions; a unique situation among Western democracies.

As a member of the Electronic Frontier Foundation, I have a strong interest
in privacy -- *real* privacy as provided by voice and data encryption.
As an Amateur Radio license holder, I'm deeply concerned about the
misconceptions many people have about cordless and cellular
radio-telephones. As a scanner enthusiast I'm offended at being dismissed
out-of-hand as an "electronic stalker." [2]

The "electronic stalkers" in Colorado are paramedics, police officers,
EMTs, professionals, shut-ins, and Amateur Radio Emergency Service
volunteers. Some of these "electronic stalkers" helped set up emergency
shelters during the October Blizzard, drove food and water trucks to Alma
for the Salvation Army, and provided emergency communications for the Red
Cross during the Fort Collins flooding. [3]

Outlawing scanners will not stop a determined, motivated criminal. Anyone
with an old television or VCR can hear cell phone conversations. [4]

Adding components to a child's walkie--talkie can be used to monitor cordless telephones. [5] Someone with more knowledge of radio can build these interceptors from scratch. *Even cellular phones themselves can be switched into a diagnostic mode to monitor other phones!* [6]

This is the nature of radio. No law can change it.

What *would* change this, however, is allowing -- and encouraging -- real digital encryption in the United States; the same kind of encryption which is commonplace in Europe and is used on cell phones in Canada. [7] Legalizing this common knowledge will not constitute a threat to the U. S. national interests. It will, however, guarantee a cell phone user's privacy and make illegal cell phone cloning impossible.

No one disputes the need for privacy for individuals using cell phones. As a cell phone user, I don't want to be monitored, either. But "shotgunning" the Communications Act to no tangible gain will only add the illusion of privacy. How many people will have their credit card numbers stolen, or homes "cased" before a real solution is in place? How many government officials will have sensitive conversations intercepted by "unfriendly" embassies before encryption is mandated for cellular phones?

I ask that you not be swayed by the Cellular Telephone Industry Association and other interests in this: Banning radio reception will not solve this problem; strong encryption is an excellent solution.

Sincerely,

Eric F. Richards

Footnotes:
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[1] The Communications Act of 1934, The Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986, and 1994 amendments to the latter.

[2] Thomas Wheeler, president, CTIA, to the House Subcommittee on Telecommunications, Trade and Consumer Protection, February 5, 1997

[3] Judge for yourself: http://www.frii.com/~rmedic/ and .../~rmedic/rmmn.html provide information on how to listen to a weekly on--air meeting of Colorado scanner enthusiasts.

[4] UHF former broadcast channel 70

[5] Radio Shack 1998 catalog, page 68, all models

[6] The most common phone used in this way is the infamous Okidata 900, used by cybersleuth Tsutomu Shimomura to track down hacker Kevin Mitnick.

[7] Popular Communications, February 1998, reports that Qualcomm ran ads in Canada touting their phones, which stated: "Before you ask what kind of bonehead would broadcast his confidential business, may we ask if you have an anti--evesdropping phone?"

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Eric F. Richards
efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
"The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
- Dilbert

2140. 10 Channel UHF VHF Hi/Lo Programmable Scanner up for Auction !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John P Corea <jcorea@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <35106280.B1491CE8@monmouth.com>
Source record: 166672

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8631602

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mailto:jcorea@monmouth.com
http://www.monmouth.com/~jcorea/index.html

2141. 10 Channel UHF VHF Hi/Lo Progammable Scanner up for Auction !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John P Corea <jcorea@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <35106340.63A9C7AF@monmouth.com>
Source record: 166673

sorry, that last link was incorrect :-(
here is the right one :-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8631982

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mailto:jcorea@monmouth.com
http://www.monmouth.com/~jcorea/index.html

2142. Re: Pro-2035-mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: DoubleDiamonds@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6epm18$r6d$1@newsd-141.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 166674

Search between 1105.00-1114.00 and you will get the images. Turn your squelch down and you got it!

2143. Motorola Mintor VHF Pager Needed, Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <emw28@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6epupb$4j6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166675
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello.

I am in need of Motorola Mintor pager, or similar type of pager that can be used for monitoring a local fire department here in the Twin Cities. I would need it setup for 154.070.
Can anyone make any suggestions as to where to locate such a pager as well as getting it programmed/crystallized for the above frequency?

Note: PL or paging tone aspect would not be needed. I am just looking for a simple and convenient way to monitor this particular frequency.

Thanks very much!

emw28@aol.com

2144. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <35108924.42FA@nidlink.com>
Source record: 166676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> In article <6ec4p1$mc6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, ptcarter@ingr.com says...
> >
> >Hello-
> > I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240
> >MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only that
> >frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on that
> >repeater). I'm looking for something light (i can put in my pocket or on my
> >belt, with a earphone)and as simple as possible. Has anyone put one together
> >that can tell me the difficulties and the cost. I've been reading the news
> >archives and stumbled on the MC3363 from motorola which seems like the best
> >solution. If you have experience with this IC or if you know of a simpler
> >path to achieve my goal, please let me know.
> > I read the app notes (AP980) from motorola. Here are my concerns. First
> >off, it said not to breadboard this circuit, but to use copper traces because
> >occllations will occur. My only tools are a soldering iron, a simpson meter,
> >and some Radio Shack PC board. Will this be a problem? I have pretty
> >limited electronic skills and test equipment. Also, the notes say I can flip
> >dip switches and get 256 2-meter frequencies. This is cool, but I only need
> >one. Can I use a crystal instead? Has anyone a shematic that will make this
> >reciever work? Any push in the right direction will be appreciated.
> >
> >Thanks,
> >
> >Paul Carter KF4JIR

Also try Hamtronics. They have a good website.

David, WA7ZYQ

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While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

2145. GE MPI SERIES HAND HELD RADIOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your Name <WILLIEB@POSTOFFICE.WORLDNET.ATT.NET>
Message-ID: <6epshr$d1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166677

HELP
I NEED MANUALS FOR GE MPI SERIES HAND HELD 2 WAY RADIOS

2146. Re: Pro 26 questions (cellular, antenna, and others)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bfwinstead <winstead@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <A1B67322F8EB7B61.B0D958ED38B31684.8B11AF8E2375C841@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 166678

Jeff wrote:
>
> On Wed, 18 Mar 1998 00:39:02 -0600, grovedev@webtv.net (Chris Larkin)
> wrote:
>
> >
> >
> >The PRO-26 is MOST DEFINITELY discontinued. It's not even listed in
> the
> >1998 RS catalog.
>
> Yes, I stand corrected. I called the day after I made that post to
> see for myself, and was told it was discontinued. The reason I didn't
> think so was because the man who sold it to me said he didn't know why
> it was on sale for so little because they weren't discontinued. But,
> I really did just buy it for $199.00, and at a Radio shack store.
> I'll scan the receipt if proof be needed.

Discontinued? yes
Still available? yes
$199? yes

2147. Pro 51 Date Code 7A4 for sale on Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Henry <robh@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <6epumffft1@nntp0.cleveland.oh.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166679

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8407892

That is the link, $110 takes it, brand new condition, works perfectly.

2148. Re: Watson Scanner antenna in So. Cal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David L. Lapoff" <David.Lapoff@trw.com>
Message-ID: <351078A5.11145BB@trw.com>
Source record: 166680

Rick,

Not true. I just purchased 2 Watson antennas (Supergainer and
Airgainer) from a company up in Silicon Valley. See the following URL:
http://www.best.com/~scanner/

I've found the owner extremely helpful in any question I've asked.

-Dave-

Rich Wells wrote:

> ICE T wrote:
> > Who sells these in So. Cal?
> > I live in Torrance, and I have called HamRadio OUtlet and Jun's
> already.
>
> I don't think there are any distributors of the Watson line
> here in the US. EEB use to do it but they are no longer
> available for the hobbyist.
>
> Try Durham Radio in Canada. Think they're the closest.
> Good luck!
>
> Strong signals,
> Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
> New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
> Scanning USA columnist

2149. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Dodge <dodgefam@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <35101143.581AB216@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Source record: 166681

Ramjet wrote:

> Try this. I find it works great for cordless phones also.
> hope this helps...
>
> jim bevenour <ekorb@hcil.net> wrote in article
> <6enosj$sk8$1@news.outfitters.com>...
> > The local police go to "code" which is called, I think, inverted
> audio,
> does
> > anyone know where I can by a kit to descramble? A friend of mine
> bought
> one
> > from a place in New York but lost the address.
> >
> > ekorb@hcil.net
> >
> >
> >
> >
>
>
>

Uh that link you posted dosn't work buddy

maby you could post one that would

2150. Re: Listening to phones while on airplanes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: krkirkwood@sprintmail.nospam.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f7a540bcf120b339896a7@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 166682

PakRat (PakRat@anonymous.com) said ...

>
>
> FAR 91.21 does. It states and I'm para-phrasing; "No person may
> operate, nor may any operator or pilot in command allow the operation
> of , any portable electronic device on ;
> 1) Air Carrier or Commercially Certificated Flights
> 2) Any aircraft operated under Instrument Flight Rules
>
> Although it doesn't mention scanners per se, they are portable and
> they are electronic, so the regulation does apply.
>
> Mike
>
I'm don't think that a "verbatim" interpretation of the that FAR is totally accurate. Notebook computers, walkman's, and the like all certainly qualify as portable electronic devices. The caveat to this FAR is "approved portable electronics". Having just returned today from a business trip, the flight attendants briefing is still quite clear. They tell you that you can only use approved portable electronic devices above 10K feet. Of course the "non-descript" use of "approved" leaves a lot to the imagination. One interpretaion could be that, since they only specifically mention cell phones as not being approved for use, that anything else could be considered approved.....
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-K2
Never share a foxhole with anyone who is braver than you.....

2151. Re: Broadcasting scanner over Internet: is it legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracy Justus <serviceSPAM@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <6eq1tc$c99$1@nnrp2.snfc21.pbi.net>
Source record: 166683

Why don't you check with the people who run www.policescanner.com? They broadcast several police and fire agencies.

David Michael Hand wrote in message <350E6B48.4A2F0559@scf.usc.edu>...
>I am a student, and I am planning on using a RealAudio server to
>broadcast the radio traffic of my university's intra-campus
>transportation service (trams, etc.). Would this be legal?
>
>I certainly don't want to find the FCC at my dorm room door one day,
>ready to confiscate my computer and haul me off to prison.
>
>Please send me any responses via email, as well as postiong them to this
>newsgroup.
>
>--
>David Michael Hand
>http://www-scf.usc.edu/~hand
>Cogent, Avril (UO)

2152. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6eq514$ku8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166684
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6em78d$ceb@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>
> In article <6eds7krka1@news3.microserve.net>, tyler <tyler@nospam.com>
wrote:
> >
> >>If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
> >>same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
> >>(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"),
>
> >My neighbor doesn't transmit pictures of themselves into my home.
>
> Better re-think that statement. (Consider light as E-M waves.)
>
> >I'm going to laugh when they come into your house and take all of your ham
> >gear claiming you can't listen to anyone.
>
> Not likely. There are two broad categories of radio hobbiests - those
> licensed to transmit, and those who can only listen. You might fall
> into the latter category. That's fine - when I was young I was a listener,
> having built a shortwave radio - that's all it took to get me studying
> for my license. Now, unlike some scanner enthusiasts, I don't sit for
> hours listening to my neighbors' phone calls, but rather carry on 2-way
> communications with other amateurs around the Pacific. Anyone is invited
> to join in (that's called a "round table" - three or more hams); no
> eavesdropping takes place as we're all part of the conversation.

Unfortunately, Uncle Sam and the new media don't know the difference, though.
They routinely confuse Amateur radio with scanners. While listening to the
gossip and drug dealers often are boring, the police, fire, EMS, and
buisnesses are always interesting. I often bring a handheld scanner with me
to sporting events or other places so I can know what's really occuring when
fights and crowd control problems break out.
> Hopefully, you can join us some day!
I have a license, but I personally find my hobby more rewarding.

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2153. Re: Is There A Price Guide For Used Scanners (Old & Newer)?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bc2001@juno.com
Message-ID: <6eq5d8$l3j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166685
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6emh1e$2fd$1@usenet51.supernews.com>,
radioman@localnet.com wrote:
>
> Anyone know if there is any sort of guid for pricing used scanners,
> not just the newer and more popular ones? It wouldber nice to know
> going prices for units from the 70's and 80's as well as the more
> current ones.
>
>
Orion makes blue books that list prices for electronics. Scaners are listed in the car stereo gook i beleive the books are expensive and prices on older units are very low but they are about the only one out there.Before you spend the money on one stop by a pawn shop and see if they use Orion and take a look at one to see if it is what you want.

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2154. Re: Pro-2035-mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanist@acmenet.net
Message-ID: <6eq7etmug1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166686

I have ONE European CPU for the 2035/42 left from Jav. in the
UK for sale. If you are VERY HANDY with an iron this is the piece.
It will open up the entire 800mhz band and you will have a new freq range.
It wil also upgrade a 2035 to a 2042 and will have all the bells and
whistles that The Shack (RHANT RHANT) forgot to, OR were
TOO stupid to include in the 2035.
reply to:
scanist@acmenet.net

In article <1998031823341901.SAA28226@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
tramd300@aol.com (TRAMD300) wrote:
>
> I am also interested in this mod.
> Please E-mail me direct.
> Thanks...
>
> TRAMD300@aol.com
>

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2155. Re: ICOM R-1 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jason <outrun@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6eq40rhnr1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 166687
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

AgentBlue wrote:
>
> Hi. I'm looking for an Icom R-1 or an R-10. If you have one with the
> manual, and original accessories, please e-mail me. I have a brand new
> pro-64 for trade so maybe we can work something out. Direct e-mail is
> appreciated. Thanks, AgentBlue

Why do you want in Icom-r1 it is not that good of a scanner. You should
get an AR-8000.

come chat on Irc.dalnet #scanning

2156. Are there any Bearcat 700a Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Travis Pickerill <traviswilliam@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35108DB3.CEBAC505@geocities.com>
Source record: 166688

I own a Bearcat 700a and am wondering if the is anyway to tweak or modify it. Please e-mail me if you know of anything.

T-Pick

2157. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Randall T. Markley, Jr." <tmarkley@vantek.net>
Message-ID: <6eq2d3nhu1@news.socomm.net>
Source record: 166689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

>>> >If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
>>> >same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
>>> >(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
>>> >voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
>>> >rooted problem.
...

If someone next door is standing in front of an open window naked as a jaybird, they have given up their right to privacy. If someone makes a phone call which emits radio waves which pass through my house, my property, and my body, then the person making the phone call has also given up their right to privacy. If someone is burglarizing my house, I have the right (in my city, state) to shoot him so long as it is in the front side of their body. Soon I may shoot them in the back too if they are fleeing (legislation pending in TN). I should have the right to do whatever I want to the radio waves because they are trespassing on MY property and in MY body. The government does not own my property or myself. The day they try is the day of the beginning of the next Civil War as far as I am concerned.

2158. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: PEZkknopp@citynet.net
Message-ID: <PEZkknopp-ya02408000R1803982000590001@news.netaxs.com>
Source record: 166690
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In article <350FFC27.BF862052@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:

> Knopp wrote:
> >
> > In article <350A24DE.B5A0BC98@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:
> >
> > > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > > >
> > > > In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
wrote:
> > > > >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
> > > > >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
> > > > >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
> > > > >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.
> > > >
> > > > If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls)
in the
> > > > same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of
binoculars
> > > > (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> > > > voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> > > > rooted problem.
> > > >
> > > > Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
> > > > that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
> > > >
> > > Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
> > > you nuts? Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as
> > >
> > No...using your RADIO to listen to communications that are meant to be
> > heard by third parties isn't a equal comparison to looking into other
> > people's windows. Using a illegal modified scanner in order to eavesdrop
> > on conversations you aren't supposed to be hearing...IS though.
> >
> WHAT is a conversation I'm not supposed to be hearing? Military traffic?

Any private conversation.

> Guess what? No illegal to listen to. Portable non-cell phones? No
> illegal to listen to. The only thing that is illegal to listen to is
> cell phones because the cell phone industry subverted the people of this
> country's rights.

yawn It's not illegal to sit in front of your window hoping that the
girl next door will accidently keep her blinds open while she changes
either.

> > > long as we did not repeat it. It is time to go back to that. This
> >
> > You can listen to whatever is on your radio. Things change though when you
> > make attempts to illegally intercept things that wasn't meant for your
> > ears. It's called an "invasion of privacy".
>
> No, it's called the airwaves are owned by the public and I'm part of the
> public and therefore I can listen if I so choose.

Phone lines cross my property. I guess I've got a right to tap into those too.

> > > doesn't get the Democratic scum of the hook, however, since they
> > > recorded and leaked a cell phone call to the media. This was illegal all
> > > along.
> >
> > Yeah...maybe we can hook a wire to your phone lines....as "long as I don't
> > repeat it"?
> You are a loon. Wired lines are private property. Wiretaping without
> legal court order is and should be a crime. Only a fool has an
> expectation of privacy when he uses his cell phone.

Yeah...imagine a person depending on others obeying the law.

--
Please remove PEZ from the address to reply via E-Mail. This is a
"Spam-Buster".

2159. Re: ICOM MODEL IC-R100,800 MODIFICATION INFO NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Smith <jtsmith@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6eq4ah$t8a@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 166691

go to my website at
http://www.mindspring.com/~jtsmith
and check out the ICOM PCR1000 pages

de John

Dickemmm wrote in message <19980317110201.GAA21906@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>Looking for Modification info to restore 800mgz for my Icom IC-R100 Scanner
>Reciever! Will pay for proper info,E mail Dickemmm@AOL.Comm
>

2160. Ga FCC Frequencies Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Smith <jtsmith@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6eq4ue$rj9@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 166692

I have posted VHF, UHF and 800-1200 MHz
frequencies from the FCC database in .dbf
file format. These are PKZIPPED files.

You can download them at my website at

http://www.mindspring.com/~jtsmith

under the Interests section under the active
java buttons for the ICOM PCR1000 page.

Have fun and enjoy.

de John K3GO

2161. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Bonde <stderr@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <35108EBF.C760731E@mailexcite.com>
Source record: 166693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

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Knopp wrote:
>
> In article <350FFC27.BF862052@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:
>
> > Knopp wrote:
> > >
> > > In article <350A24DE.B5A0BC98@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:
> > >
> > > > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > > In article <6e54u0$clf$1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
> wrote:
> > > > > >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
> > > > > >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
> > > > > >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
> > > > > >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.
> > > > >
> > > > > If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls)
> in the
> > > > > same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of
> binoculars
> > > > > (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
> > > > > voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
> > > > > rooted problem.
> > > > >
> > > > > Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
> > > > > that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
> > > > >
> > > > Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
> > > > you nuts? Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as
> > > >
> > > No...using your RADIO to listen to communications that are meant to be
> > > heard by third parties isn't a equal comparison to looking into other
> > > people's windows. Using a illegal modified scanner in order to eavesdrop
> > > on conversations you aren't supposed to be hearing...IS though.
> > >
> > WHAT is a conversation I'm not supposed to be hearing? Military traffic?
> >
> Any private conversation.
>
If you don't encrypt and you use radio waves, you don't have a private
conversation. Any fool knows that.
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> > Guess what? No illegal to listen to. Portable non-cell phones? No
> > illegal to listen to. The only thing that is illegal to listen to is
> > cell phones because the cell phone industry subverted the people of this
> > country's rights.
>
> *yawn* It's not illegal to sit in front of your window hoping that the
> girl next door will accidently keep her blinds open while she changes
> either.
I guess that's kept you out of jail so far.

>
> > > > long as we did not repeat it. It is time to go back to that. This
> > >
> > > You can listen to whatever is on your radio. Things change though when you
> > > make attempts to illegally intercept things that wasn't meant for your
> > > ears. It's called an "invasion of privacy".
> >
> > No, it's called the airwaves are owned by the public and I'm part of the
> > public and therefore I can listen if I so choose.
>
> Phone lines cross my property. I guess I've got a right to tap into those too.

Easements exist for those lines. They are there legally and you have no
right to tape into them.

>
> > > > doesn't get the Democratic scum of the hook, however, since they
> > > > recorded and leaked a cell phone call to the media. This was illegal all
> > > > along.
> > >
> > > Yeah...maybe we can hook a wire to your phone lines....as "long as I don't
> > > repeat it"?
> > You are a loon. Wired lines are private property. Wiretaping without
> > legal court order is and should be a crime. Only a fool has an
> > expectation of privacy when he uses his cell phone.
>
> Yeah...imagine a person depending on others obeying the law.
>
The law is an infringement on the citizens of the United States rights.
It doesn't even apply to anything but cell phones even though much more
traffic goes through portable phones.

2162. Re: PRO-34 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tweek@netcom-NO.SPAM-com
Message-ID: <EpzoF5.1FD@moraga.ness.com>
Source record: 166703

Marc <mkortlander@** monmouth**.com> wrote:
>>AFAIK, it isn't even illegal to receive
>>and monitor those frequencies... although I do believe it is illegal
>>to monitor or receive cellular transmission on those frequencies.
>
>Something else you don't know, eh? It is unlawful to
>intercept cell phone transmissions

Hmmm. Looks like you can't read. The above statement includes two
distinct parts:

1) it isn't even illegal to receive and monitor those frequencies...

2) it is illegal to monitor or receive cellular transmission on those
frequencies.

What part of the above, Marc, don't you understand?

>>Unless Tauzin's bill has passed the Senate and been signed into law, I
>>do believe that the only rules in effect for modifying a scanner in such
>>a way, is if the primary intended use of the scanner is to receive cellular
>>signals.
>
>It isn't illegal to possess the equipment, it is illegal to
>sell, or use equipment that is capable of hearing the cell
>freqs.

Wrong. Read the law. It is not illegal to sell or use equipment
which is capable of of hearing cellular freqs. It isn't illegal
to sell or use equipment which is capable of hearing cellular calls.
It isn't even illegal to manufacture equipment capable of receiving
cellular frequencies or calls, UNLESS that equipment is capable of
scanning four or more frequencies.

Now, if the primary intended purpose of the equipment is to monitor
cellular calls, and you don't intend to use it on other frequencies
as well, then it just might be illegal.

Let me just point out to the other folks, that Marc is a bit pissed at
me because he made a claim as to what the law was in some instance, but
wouldn't back up his claim with a citation. He claimed that it was
the duty of the people claiming there was no such law, to prove him
wrong... So Marc, I suppose you want me to prove that there is no
such law making it illegal to use a scanner capable of receiving
cellular frequencies? Prove it yourself.

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-------------------------------------------------------------------------
| Had your share of stoopid(tm) people? | |
| View the "Contra Costa Whines" at | [This space for lease] |
| http://www.io.com/~tweek/cocowhine/ | |
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2163. Re: Listening to phones while on airplanes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: PakRat@anonymous.com
Message-ID: <350f1061.87096029@news.altopia.com>
Source record: 166704
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On 16 Mar 1998 16:09:54 GMT, famwiley@aol.com (Famwiley) wrote:

>>Except for Delta and a few other carriers, use of a

>>scanner onboard is a violation of the the airlines (and FAA) rules.

>
>which FAR's govern the use of scanners? I thought so
>
>kevin

FAR 91.21 does. It states and I'm para-phrasing; "No person may
operate, nor may any operator or pilot in command allow the operation
of , any portable electronic device on ;
1) Air Carrier or Commercially Certificated Flights
2) Any aircraft operated under Instrument Flight Rules

Although it doesn't mention scanners per se, they are portable and
they are electronic, so the regulation does apply.

Mike

2164. Re: Is VOX recording possible on a PC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: hunter@tig.com.au
Message-ID: <350f2889.14570396@news.tig.com.au>
Source record: 166705
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On 16 Mar 1998 06:15:40 GMT, "Just Me" wrote:

>I would like to record the stuff that happens while I am at work but would
>like to do it through my PC. Does anyone know if this is possible and if
>so how. Are there any Programs out there that would make this alil easier?
>
>rbarrett@thegrid.net
>--
>Just me

I use scanner recorder. It's free, it has a good user interface and it
works great.

get it at:

http://www.davee.com/scanrec.html

Enjoy.

2165. Re: Need AOR 1000 help!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6en7nd$f5t$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 166706

"Chris G" <chrisg@ducker.com> wrote:

>A friend plugged the power supply into the headphone jack on his AOR1000XLT
>and saw a blue flash. I took it apart and can see no visable signs of
>damage (fried components, etc.)--the unit turns on, does not light up, no
>readout on the LCD, and only makes static out of the audio.

>Anyone have this happen and fix it? I can do it, and would *really*
>appreciate either a narrative of the repair for this, or better yet a
>schematic and pcb layout.

>Thanks a million, gang --Chris

The only thing I can think of (and this is probably only a small part
of the problem) is to reset the microprocessor.

This isn't for the non-tehnical type, as it requires soldering on a
surface-mount PC board in order to install, then remove, a jumper.
the radio will need to be disassembled as well. The instructions for
reloading the operating system and resetting the processor might be
found on the Javiation home page (in the UK).

I had an AOR AR1000XLT that was acting up with a variety of problems.
I reset the processor and reloaded the limits and it all came back
100%. This isn't to say this will fix yours, but it couldn't hurt and
is probably worth the try!

You will have to be careful, though, The Euopean models are different
than the US ones in some circumstances. When I reset my AR1000XLT, it
wouldn't work by entering the data listed for the AR1000, but by using
the AR2000 data it worked fine.

Best of luck...

Steve

2166. Re: Reusable Alakine Batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bjfranske@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980318012450001.UAA17026@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166707

I made the mistake of using them in a CB. It doesn't rechg. but don't blow up. BUT... If You try to rchg. enough you will get leaks. Tip: You can easily clean up the liquid if you notice it right away. If it has been there for a while.... Good luck

2167. TERMALINE COAXIAL RESISTOR "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6en8nm$nj6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166708

I have for sale.
Good working codition.
$ 100.00 / EA Plus UPS
" TERMALINE COAXIAL RESISTOR "
* Model :8401
* Watts : 600
* Ohm : 50
- Bird Electronic Corp -
Thanks

2168. THE LOCALS ARE AT IT AGAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031803024500.WAA05225@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166709

>Well,
>I sopent some time listening to the local swap net on 146.940 Last
>night. Good items for sale.

Glad to hear it. So what's the problem?

>The only problem was, we had some jerks who were playing (nothing new
>here). Still, it does present some problems when a few bad apples make
>life hard for the rest of both the amateur and cb communities..

And what terrible crime might these "jerks" be guilty of?

>Basically, what I am talking about is the deliberate retransmission of
>the 146.940 swapnet on the 11 meter cb band (specifically, 27.365 lsb).
>The retransmission included names, callsigns AND phone numbers...

So what? If the participants didn't want their phone numbers made public, they wouldn't have given them out on 2 meters in the first place.

>Now, I don't know if anything can be done about this, and frankly, I
>have given up any hope that an equitable solution may be found...

Why should anything "be done about this?" Hell, if anything, you should be grateful that someone is giving added and additional exposure to your cause.

>Perhaps its time we just started policing both bands with vigilance

Oh boy, here we go. A blind guy is gonna threaten to take matters into his own hands and clean up the bands. Don't make me laugh.

>
>The only real bad thing about all this is, I heard several hams on a
>local simplex frequency commenting about how they "raised a ruckus" with
>the cb'ers. Some of these guys are extras!

Sounds like the problem then rests with your ham buddies, not the CBers.

>What I'd like to know is why they would even consent to behave in such a
>fashion (much to the discredit of the ham community). They basically
>make all radio operators (whether they be ham or cb'er) look bad.
>
>Oh well, I leave the commentary up to the rest of you..
>
>Thoughts anyone?

Yes. You worry too much. Enjoy life and quit trying to find a solution for a non-existent problem
.

2169. Re: Discone for low band reception (30-50 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny V Mullins <jvmullins@kih.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5221$863105c0$487069ce@jvmullins>
Source record: 166710

Frank, I'm not kidding, you'd be as well off with a well placed metal coat hanger for 30 --- 50 mhz. at this time I have three antennas in use, on a coaxial switch for comparison purposes, one of the three being a late model R.S. discone. (loaded center element to enhance low freq.reception) .The discone is great above 150 mhz. but below 100 mhz. --- forget it,--- !!!!!!!!

Johnny V Mullins

Fbals <fbals@aol.com> wrote in article <19980315182901.NAA05206@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> I am interested in how this antenna with the vertical whip performs on the low
> band. Especially during periods of low band skip on the 26 to 27 Mhz CB
> frequencies also. I have heard both good and bad and would like actual user
> comments.
>
> Frank
>

2170. FS: AR8000 wide range receiver / scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: R H Oemar <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <350F3AD1.77F3@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 166711
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

For sale:

AOR scanner receiver model AR-8000, Ser# 051140, continuous coverage
0.5MHz-2GHz all mode, 1000 memory, 1 yr old, original owner (bought from
Javiation UK), very good condition and extra clean. Detailed spec. can
be found at http://www.javiation.co.uk/ or http://www.demon.co.uk/aor/

Price COD USD485 shipping included (FedEx priority).

Please email if interested.

Thanks,
RH Oemar
YD1CDJ

2171. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rimshot <hihat@bang.com>
Message-ID: <6enkp5$9us@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 166712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

D Stark wrote in message <6emgoj$15f2$2@node17.frontiernet.net>...
>
>Darrell A. Larose wrote in message
><6ejq2g$kue@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>>You can buy unblocked Icom, Bearcat Uniden etc... scanners in Canada
>>The only company selling blocked scanners is Radio Shack who thinks
>>USA laws apply in Canada...
>
>
>Radio Shack apparently knows more about Canadian law than do most
>Canadians (at least in this newsgroup). Monitoring of telephone
>conversations transmitted over the radio is illegal in Canada, whether
>you want to believe it or not.
>
>Don't bother arguing the point. I've been over this ground before,
>and I have the relevant Canadian statutes on my website.

So what?
It's still legal to OWN unblocked scanners in Canada ya indignant blowhard.

2172. Other MDT Protocols???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: coffeeman@feedME
Message-ID: <350f5677.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 166713
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.feedme

Hi,I am wondering if anyone out there has any info on the "RD-LAP" mdt protocol?

It is a moto. wireless data protocol used for mdt transmissions.
This RD-LAP protocol can be used on the same terminal type as the more known MDC 4800 protocol.
The terminal is a MDC9100 series and supports the following transmission types:
MDC4800
RD-LAP 9.6
RD-LAP 19.2

In what band of frequencies is the RD-LAP protocol usually used? 400MHz,800MHz, both??
Is it an encrypted protocol or is it like the fun and easy MDC4800 protocol we a ll know ??

thanks!

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2173. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim bevenour <ekorb@hcil.net>
Message-ID: <6enosj$sk8$1@news.outfitters.com>
Source record: 166714

The local police go to "code" which is called, I think, inverted audio, does anyone know where I can by a kit to descramble? A friend of mine bought one from a place in New York but lost the address.

ekorb@hcil.net

2174. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
Message-ID: <350f68f6.15447322@news>
Source record: 166715
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote:

> In article <6ejn52lgj1@quasar.dimensional.com>,
> "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com> wrote:
> >
> > How 'bout "I OWN A SCANNER AND I CONTRIBUTE!"
> > You might get more attention that way. (Contributing, that is.)
>
> Contribute $$ to a PAC, or by community service, or ...? Not sure what you
> meant.

I meant $$. Specifically to whoever runs against Markey and Tauzin.

> > I guess the point I was making is that politicians seem to believe that
> > legislation can change physics.
> >
> They do believe that, and it would take a lot of talking to show them
> otherwise.

Yeah, like one of them getting burned badly after this law passes (and

the next, and the next, and...)

And, of course, it's political suicide to undo the damage once it
passes. (Can't you see the ad? "Congressman Schmoe wants you to
get your credit card number stolen.")

Hey, .uk readers -- Receiver owners no longer have to have licenses,
correct? How long did it take for that abomination to be undone?
What is the story behind that? I've only seen occasional mentions
of it.

2175. Re: mobile phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <350f6860.7316888@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166716

On Sun, 15 Mar 1998 02:51:14 GMT, bababooey@howard-stern.com (Baba Booey) wrote:

<snip>
>Again some ignorant user mouthing off American legislation to an
>international audience. Just because it's illegal for YOU doesn't mean
>it's illegal for others. I can't STAND asshole Americans who think
>their rules are applicable for the whole world.

I think maybe you meant "Americans who are assholes" rather than "asshole Americans..." HTH

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

2176. U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@albany.net
Message-ID: <350f7212.18595367@news.albany.net>
Source record: 166717

I checked the web, and found contradictory answers. Is it illegal to listen to any oral transmission or only cell/cordless phones? Why are cell freqs blocked, but not cordless? Is it illegal to own one that has cell capabilities, or just using it to do so? If it's illegal to sell cell capable radios and or show people how to modify theirs, isn't 80 percent of those of us on this news group criminals? I tried reading the fcc page, but it made it sound as if all scanning was illegal.

Do cemetery workers prefer the graveyard shift?

Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
Jroulier@albany.net

2177. Re: NYT frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigdiq@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6enuetocd1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6ela3odbk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
bigdiq@hotmail.com wrote:
>
> Hello..
>
> I am wondering if anyone has set up a set of channels for cruising down the
> New York State Thruway...
>
> I don't travel downstate (Albany to NYC) all that often, so i never get to
> see what freqs (that I hastily punched in just before the trip) are working
> and which aren't.
> I am mostly interested in Thruway-only frequencies (maintenance and Police).
>
> So, what frequencies do YOU listen to when you speed, er I mean, travel at a
> safe rate of speed down I-87?
>
> Please respond to:
>
> Spoof@
> roo.
> unixnet.
> org
>
> Thanks!
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>

Thanks to those who replied...
It turns out that the frequencies for the NYSP up and down the thruway flip
back and forth from 453.425 and 453.525
Anyone know the PL's, splits on these frequencies?

Also- what about the more mundane agencies (like the Thruway authority)?

Thanks

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2178. Re: Pro 26 questions (cellular, antenna, and others)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: grovedev@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6enq66sdd1@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 166719

The PRO-26 is MOST DEFINITELY discontinued. It's not even listed in the 1998 RS catalog.

2179. WV, Berkeley County codes needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark G. Taylor" <N3TEL@intrepid.net>
Message-ID: <350F800E.BF4D1DD4@intrepid.net>
Source record: 166720

I need the 10-codes for Berkeley County Fire Dept, and Sherrifs Dept.
I have the State Police codes already, but they are different.
Thanks!

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Visit:
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Haven/3248/
for my PGP public key.
Or:
http://www.pgp.com/
To learn more about PGP.

2180. PerCon Spectrum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ff53@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <350f7bda.85262372@news.apex.net>
Source record: 166721

I want to take this time to post a message about this company.

I had a problem with my software that I purchased about two years ago, it quit working. I called my friend, we all have one the computer gu-ru, to ask him for help. I also posted a note here in the newsgroups asking for assistance, with no result.

I called the company and talked to a gentelman, I forget his name, for awhile, which I have to say is alot more time than any company has ever spent with me on a brand new product that I have purchased and had a problem with. He was very helpfull and took the time to go down the list of all the possible causes of my trouble in a nice professional maner and eventually arived at the source of my problem.

I want to thank him, sorry I have forgotten your name, but I know he reads these pages because he remembered my post, he went beyond being nice to assist me, a person that he knew nothing about and had a two year old product, and solved my problem.

I think we need more companies like this one, and more people like the service person I talked to. I am now planning on upgradeing to a new product from them, and I am shure that I will get what I pay for with this company, and more.

Thank you PerCon keep up the good work!!

Mark McDougal
ff53@hotmail.com

2181. Software for ALINCO DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dieter Hirt <DieterHirt@swol.de>
Message-ID: <350FB269.7A223F9@swol.de>
Source record: 166722
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hello,

first, sorry for my verry bad english.

Iï¿½m search software (freeware, shareware, commercial) for my DJ-X10
scanner.
Do you know any links in the web ?

Best regards
Dieter

2182. Re: Watson Scanner antenna in So. Cal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <350FBDBD.4679FB01@vnet.com>
Source record: 166723

ICE T wrote:
> Who sells these in So. Cal?
> I live in Torrance, and I have called HamRadio OUtlet and Jun's already.

I don't think there are any distributors of the Watson line
here in the US. EEB use to do it but they are no longer
available for the hobbyist.

Try Durham Radio in Canada. Think they're the closest.
Good luck!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

2183. Re: Help With Amtrak Trip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6eoens$44i@HOPPER.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 166724

VOiCES <voices@jaypoc.com> asked:
> I am taking a trip from Penn Station in New York to Rochester, NY by
> Amtrak, and I wanted to know what freqs. I should monitor. Thanks

New York-Spuyten Duyvil Amtrak 160.920
Spuyten Duyvil-Poughkeepsie Metro-North 160.950
Poughkeepsie-Albany (MP 130) Conrail 161.070 (possibly 160.980 ?)
Albany-Buffalo Conrail 160.800

2184. Re: Line of Sight?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rparsons@tappublishing.com
Message-ID: <6eoiv5$g94$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166725

>
> In the March issue of Amateur Radio Trader there is a nifty nomogram for
> determining line-of-sight transmitter range for VHF/UHF using frequency,
power
> in watts, antenna height, and antenna gain as inputs. I tried to find the
ART
> site on Earthlink to see if it was downloadable from there, but no luck.

The URL for our site is http://amradiotrader.com. We do not have the nomogram you are referring to posted yet, but I have requested a copy and will put it on the site when it becomes available to me.

- Robert Parsons
Systems Engineer
TAP Publishing Company (Publisher of Amateur Radio Trader)

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2185. FS: Pro-39

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald W. Chapman" <dwc@mallsurfer.com>
Message-ID: <350FCBC4.122F14A4@mallsurfer.com>
Source record: 166726

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PRO-39 Cellular mod done. Hi-cap nicad batteries installed.
Manual included
$175.00 shipped

dwc@mallsurfer.com
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2186. FS-Copy of Magnavox D-2999 owner + service manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eomff$pf4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,alt.radio.scanner

>
>
>>Complete photocopy of Magnavox/Phillips D-2999 shortwave receiver
>>owner and service manuals. Service manual has 11 X 17 schematics and
>>circuit pictorials. Both manuals $30 + $3 shipping to lower 48
>>States.
>

2187. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbryant@NO-SPAMcannet.com
Message-ID: <6eomrlhpn1@akron5.neo.lrun.com>
Source record: 166728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In article <6el1fe$l4n@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>In article <350D805A.DCE@home.here>, Mr. Clem <not@home.here> wrote:
>>> >If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in the
>>> >same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of binoculars
>>> >(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
>>> >voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
>>> >rooted problem.
>
>>Does anyone know of a mod for my binoculars to allow them to see thru
>>window shades and draperies?
>
>You could use an infrared camera.

I think that a lot of you are missing the big picture. That is the fact that you're expecting privacy from something that isn't at all that private. After all, a cell phone is a radio. The radio waves are transmited in all different directions. Anyone can pick them up with the proper equipment. Yet, we expect the government to pass laws to ensure our privacy instead of going under the assumption that others may be listening in on our transmissions. It's completely different from someone spying on you in your home.

I remember stories of hams that were burglarized because they announced their vacation plans over the local repeater. Caution was not used in what they discussed. Is it so hard to use caution in cell phone conversations? Do we really *need* this law? Have we come to expect too much from modern technology and thrown common sense out the window, and thus expect the government to take the place of our lack thereof?
--
Anti-spam measures in place. Delete the obvious for my proper e-mail address.

Tom - N8ECW

2188. FS - Photocopy of Sony CRF-1 Service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eomfr$pf4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166729
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

>Complete photocopy of service manual with circuit board layouts and
>pictorials. $30 + $2 shipping to lower 48 States.

2189. Netset Pro-46

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bjornol@vestfoldnett.no
Message-ID: <350FE1CB.751730B0@vestfoldnett.no>
Source record: 166730
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

NETSET PRO-46 Model No. 20-9305
100 Channel Direct Entry Programmable Scanner (handheld)

User manual for programming anyone ?

Please reply to: bjornol@vestfoldnett.no

2190. BC 895XLT - RS232C Port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: someone@where.com
Message-ID: <350f7a49.2000441@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166731

I am looking or some infomation on the RS232C port. I recently bought
a Uniden BC 895 XLTscanner and have found several software programs
for it's control but I don't know anything about the hook up.

1) Is the cable something I can pick up at radio shack or a computer
store, or is it a special item?
2) Is the connection on the computer end serial port or parallel port?
3) Any and all other info anyone can give me on this subject would be
welcome.

Thanks in advance for the help.
Tom

2191. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6eos5k$rlu@sjx-ixn7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In <6el1fe$l4n@news.Hawaii.Edu> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
writes:
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>In article <350D805A.DCE@home.here>, Mr. Clem <not@home.here> wrote:
>>> >If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls)
in the
>>> >same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of
binoculars
>>> >(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize
your
>>> >voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
>>> >rooted problem.
>
AGEISM is your problem...

and a loss of humanism...

remember: body watching is a sport
and should be encouraged...it keeps
people young at heart and the heart
stays young as long as there is LUST
in one's leer...

bill conduit
etc.

2192. Re: UBC3000 Discriminator Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwt2@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <350ff792.56404537@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166733

On 15 Mar 98 11:02:21 GMT, "Matthew Bonser" <mb@dove.mtx.net.au> wrote:

>Does anyone have information on where to tap the Discriminator on the
>Uniden UBC 3000 Handheld scanner??
>
>Any help appreciated
>
>Cheers.
>
>Matt
>
>P.S. Private email returns are fine.

It was scarey tapping the Discriminator. First thing I did was to grind my soldering iron tip to a finer tip. Smallest wire I could find to connect to the Discriminator. I placed wet paper towel on the chip to keep it cool. I had problems soldering to the tab on the pc board, which is connected directly to the pin I wanted. I ended up soldering to the pin directly. VERY QUICKLY. Good Luck with yours mine works.

2193. Re: BC 895XLT - RS232C Port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: maxinnis@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031816433001.LAA27292@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166734

>Subject: BC 895XLT - RS232C Port
>From: someone@where.com
>Date: Wed, Mar 18, 1998 02:40 EST
>Message-id: <350f7a49.2000441@nntp.ix.netcom.com>

>I am looking or some infomation on the RS232C port. I recently bought
>a Uniden BC 895 XLTscanner and have found several software programs
>for it's control but I don't know anything about the hook up.

did you look at radio manager www.interplaza.com/bensware? the program includes instructs for the cable. if you don't want to make it yourself, enter dev software sells it cheap. serial port connection
Max Innis

2194. FS: Radio Shack 2006 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eou9e$4ss@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166735

FS: 2006 Scanner
Very nice condition/box/manual.
Receives everything.
Price:305.00 I'll pay shipping.
Reply E-Mail.
Rich

2195. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdmandus@pgh.nauticom.net
Message-ID: <350ffa80.0@pgh.nauticom.net>
Source record: 166736
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:

: That the government might be monitoring phone calls doesn't bother
: me in the least. Individual rights has to take a back seat to national
: security, in my opinion. Feel free to disagree in an intellectual manner.

You may feel that way until the day when they break down your door. Some
of the best conservatives and libertarians were liberals that "have been
mugged."
Chuck, 'nuff said....

DE KA3WRW

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"We've upped our standards, so up yours!" - Pat Paulsen - 1968

2196. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ramjet <Ramjet@noway.com>
Message-ID: <6eoujj$6l6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166737
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Shortcut to Invert.exe.lnk

Try this. I find it works great for cordless phones also.
hope this helps...

jim bevenour <ekorb@hcil.net> wrote in article
<6enosj$sk8$1@news.outfitters.com>...
> The local police go to "code" which is called, I think, inverted audio,
does
> anyone know where I can by a kit to descramble? A friend of mine bought
one
> from a place in New York but lost the address.
>
> ekorb@hcil.net
>
>
>
>

[Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Shortcut to Invert.exe.lnk]

end

2197. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <350FFEE2.3B27@c-com.net>
Source record: 166738

Ramjet wrote:
>
> Try this. I find it works great for cordless phones also.
> hope this helps...
>
> jim bevenour <ekorb@hcil.net> wrote in article
> <6enosj$sk8$1@news.outfitters.com>...
> > The local police go to "code" which is called, I think, inverted audio,
> does
> > anyone know where I can by a kit to descramble? A friend of mine bought
> one
> > from a place in New York but lost the address.
> >
> > ekorb@hcil.net
> >
> >
> >
> >
>
> Name: Shortcut to Invert.exe.lnk
> Part 1.2 Type: unspecified type (application/octet-stream)
> Encoding: x-uuencode
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2198. Freqs for Motorola P110's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcsp@usa.net
Message-ID: <6ep3io$708$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166739

Anyone know the frequencies for Motorola P110 handhelds and/or have a rough idea of the range of these things?

John

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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2199. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6ep0lg$8ac$2@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 166740

Jeff wrote in message <350f7212.18595367@news.albany.net>...
>I checked the web, and found contradictory answers. Is it illegal to
>listen to any oral transmission or only cell/cordless phones? Why
are
>cell freqs blocked, but not cordless? Is it illegal to own one that
>has cell capabilities, or just using it to do so? If it's illegal to
>sell cell capable radios and or show people how to modify theirs,
>isn't 80 percent of those of us on this news group criminals? I tried
>reading the fcc page, but it made it sound as if all scanning was
>illegal.

There are several good summaries of the state of current U.S. law online. You can start with the NF2G Scannist Pages at www.ggw.org and follow the United States Nationwide link.

Over the years, ham operators have learned that, when there is a question as to the interpretation of a rule or regulation, you DO NOT ask the FCC.

73 de Dave, NF2G

2200. Re: NYT frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6ep0le$8ac$1@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 166741
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>It turns out that the frequencies for the NYSP up and down the
thruway flip
>back and forth from 453.425 and 453.525
>Anyone know the PL's, splits on these frequencies?
>
>Also- what about the more mundane agencies (like the Thruway
authority)?

Actually, those frequencies, and the Troopers that patrol the Thruway,
ARE the Thruway Authority.

For more details (including PL), see the NF2G Scannist Pages New York
Statewide section.

www.ggw.org/nf2g

2201. Re: Upstate New York - Western Vermont CTCSS Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6ep0li$8ac$3@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 166742

>I would appreciate any info for PL frequencies or codes for Northern
NY
>or Western Vermont or Massachusetts. I'm especially interested in
the
>area of Albany, NY and within a 75 mile radius of there. I'm using
a

Take a look at the NF2G Scannist Pages - covering almost all of
upstate NY - at www.ggw.org/nf2g

2202. BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511E6B4.1085@parg.org>
Source record: 166494

> *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > You can NOT defend yourself or give a
> > credible answer to the question. Instead
> > you give an answer with insult intended by
> > using the letters "stupid" FOUR times. YOU
> > TOTALLY side-stepped the question, as you have done
> > for the last TWO years!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> You are so damned dumb, Hermie, that you
> can't ask a straight question, much less

Once again BILL CHEEK you show how stupid you
are! I have stated the same question TWICE & you still
can't understand? Everyone else can so why can't YOU?

The reason you can't is because YOU, BILL CHEEK, are a STUPID
BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Again, you can't find anything REAL to defend yourself with
so you use your little school yard type name calling. You
used teh "hermie" thing FOUR times.

Obviously, you are desperate!

2203. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511E573.52A4@parg.org>
Source record: 166495

MAlexder wrote:
> You are a filthy hypocrite. YOU have never contributed a single, cogent
> on-topic response in that same time. You have posted

Not true!

Infact, I have made SEVERAL on-topic posts. Most recently abut the use
of WD-40 as contact cleaner & someone wanting freqs for the Portland
Oregon area.

2204. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511E772.5541@parg.org>
Source record: 166496

JPGRIFF wrote:
> Sorry for the off-topic post, but there must be a way to filter out the
> crap on this NG.

Yea, well the best way to prevent a problem is to get at the SOURCE!

THAT is why several of us are after Bill Cheek to change his ways!

2205. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511E9D0.6BA2@parg.org>
Source record: 166497

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Yes it is unbelievable. You must be blind in
> one eye and unable to see out of the other.

Typical Bill Cheek. Somone posts a polite message & Bill
responds with insult!

How sad Bill is!

2206. FS: PRO-67 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6esn8ianb1@news2.ispnews.com>
Source record: 166498
Cross-posted to: mi.forsale,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALE:

Radio Shack PRO-67 Scanner Radio... brand new, in the box, with manual!

Only: $100.00 + shipping cost.

Bill Crocker

2207. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511E98C.71A5@parg.org>
Source record: 166499

Jumpin' Jack Flash wrote:
> Mackey resents Cheek's knowledge,

hehehehe

There is nothing to resent in Cheek's knowledge!!!

I mean, really, his knowledge is how to send e-mail bombs thru the
internet,
how to lie & deceive people, how to use metallic schrewdrivers on RF
oscillators, & how to use WD-40 as contact cleaner (flammable!!).

WHAT is there to resent about THIS type of knowledge?

-- NOTHING --

2208. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <3511E212.E4A4D16C@netwit.com>
Source record: 166500

-John- KA0SSF wrote:

> > *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > > You can NOT defend yourself or give a
> > > credible answer to the question. Instead
> > > you give an answer with insult intended by
> > > using the letters "stupid" FOUR times.

Just go away. Find another newsgroup to infect. You're a bitter little toad. How many times did you get your ass kicked in school? *Everyone* hates your guts. *Everyone* wants to get a hold of you and throttle the daylights out of you. Don't delude yourself. You're a pathetic little prick tapping away at your keyboard while the rest of the world plots your demise.

2209. Scanners in Airports

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Chauza <jeff_chauza@waddill.com>
Message-ID: <3511EDDB.A5643834@waddill.com>
Source record: 166501

I will be traveling from Dallas/Fort Worth to Kansas City tomorrow and would like to take my scanner. Are there any laws that prohibit scanners in airports?

Thanks,

Jeff

2210. Military Aircraft Frequencies (225-400)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Buford T. Justice" <BT_Justice@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3511ED57.F4C12F5@usa.net>
Source record: 166502

I need military aircraft frequencies for Illinois and primary ones for
the entire U.S. If you have some, please email them to me at
BT_Justice@usa.net

Thanks,
Buford T. Justice

2211. Re: Savannah police frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Smith <jtsmith@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6esrf1$62p$1@camel29.mindspring.com>
Source record: 166503

Download the databases on my ICOM-PCR1000 page under
"Interests". Towards the end of my comments about the
IC-PCR1000 I have 3 databases for the state of Georgia
VHF, UHF and 800MHz. They are zipped format.

Excel can open them as they are <filename>.dbf format

http://www.mindspring.com/~jtsmith

Have fun

John K3GO

Ed Wood wrote in message <6esn58lrr1@news2.infoave.net>...
>Need Savannah, GA police frequencies.
>
>Thanks for your assistance.
>
>Ed
>

2212. PRO 2006 on Auction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rssmith@cei.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f7bb8983efffb5c989680@news.cei.net>
Source record: 166504

Have a Realistic PRO 2006 on auction at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8410839

Auction ends Sunday afternoon, March 22. If you have been looking
for a 2006 in "like-new" condition, this is it.

2213. Motorola PL Tone Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug MacDonald <n7pww@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eAIrzG3U9GA.269@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 166505

Wanted 100hz. PL tone Vibrasender and Vibrasponder pair.
If you know what they are and you have some, please respond.
Need for Mocom 70 low band on 6 meters.
Doug N7PWW

2214. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Call <n3xl@fast.net>
Message-ID: <3511DF07.46FD75A9@fast.net>
Source record: 166506

Ramsey makes a kit for around $29.00. Try
http://ramseyelectronics.com/.

joe wrote:
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> Matt Dodge wrote:
> >
> > Ramjet wrote:
> >
> > > Try this. I find it works great for cordless phones also.
> > > hope this helps...
> > >
> > > jim bevenour <ekorb@hcil.net> wrote in article
> > > <6enosj$sk8$1@news.outfitters.com>...
> > > > The local police go to "code" which is called, I think, inverted
> > > audio,
> > > does
> > > > anyone know where I can by a kit to descramble? A friend of mine
> > > bought
> > > one
> > > > from a place in New York but lost the address.
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> > > > ekorb@hcil.net
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> >
> > Uh that link you posted dosn't work buddy
> >
> > maby you could post one that would
> wasn't a link links look like this http://www.infidels.org/
>
> Ramsey is the name of a company that sells kits.

2215. is it legal to bring a radio scanner from europe to the u.s.a.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "scatman55 at hotmail.com"
Message-ID: <35117eaa.25832198@news1.tinet.ie>
Source record: 166507

Is it possible to bring a radio scanner from europe to the u.s.a
legally?

2216. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031915213701.KAA13951@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166544

>I checked the web, and found contradictory answers. Is it illegal to
>listen to any oral transmission or only cell/cordless phones?

It is basically illegal to monitor any electronic communication except for those authorized by the Chapter 119 exemptions. Fortunately, those exemptions include all government (except scrambled), aviation, marine and most of the other things scannists and SWLs like to monitor.

> Why are cell freqs blocked, but not cordless?

Cell freqs are grouped together. Cordless freqs. are interspersed among freqs used by other services.

> Is it illegal to own one that has cell capabilities

No

>, or just using it to do so?

Yes

> If it's illegal to sell cell capable radios and or show people how to modify theirs, aren't t 80 percent of those of us on this news group criminals?
>
It is currently illegal to sell NEW cellular capable radios, and you'll always be able to show or tell someone how to do the mods.
However, if HR2369 passes the Senate and becomes law it will be illegal to sell any cellular capable scanner, even one 10 years old, although possession will still be legal (makes no sense to me). It will also be clearly illegal to modify even your own scanner to receive either cellular or PCS frequencies.

John Ward

2217. Re: Paging Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35114744.13187018@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 166545
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

sam stahl <cigar@vivid.net> wrote:

:Can someone please email a list regarding pager frequencies in Atlanta,
:GA (or anyonewhere else, i figure they are similar). I know that 462.*
:has lots of pager activity, but any more help would be greatly
:appreciated.
:
:thanks!!!
:
:direct email appreciated...

Here they are all between 148 and 150 Mhz.

:sam stahl
:cigar@vivid.net

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To reply via email please remove the Xs from my
return address.

2218. Re: digital mode scanners, are they available (or will they ever be?)???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <3511474b.13194036@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 166546

Eric Oyen <n7zzt@psn.net> wrote:

:I am reading with interest the fact that some cities are now going 100%
:digital on all their city services... Is there a scanner that will be
:made for these new services, or will congress (in its infinite wisdom)
:dash any hopes for future scannists (through the passage of laws)?????
:
:IF so, is there also a possibility of converting existing technology to
:the future modes?

No

:
:Eric.

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return address.

2219. FS Cushman CE-15

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ere3h$pe6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166547

I have a for sale.
Cushman CE-15 Spectrum Monitor / 2EA
Make an offer
Thanks

2220. SSTV HELP NEEDED!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmpress@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <6erdspdbi1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166548

Please could some one tell me what you need to receive SSTV in the U.K.
I
have just been watching a very interesting tv programme.

Can normal
satellite tv equipment be modifided to receive SSTV?

Please E-Mail me at
cmpress@bigfoot.com

Many thanks

Colin

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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2221. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gmcfatri@city.virginia-beach.va.us
Message-ID: <35113ab3.6842177@RIPTIDE.MAIN.VA.US>
Source record: 166549
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

On 17 Mar 1998 15:53:11 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

snip...

>That the government might be monitoring phone calls doesn't bother
>me in the least. Individual rights has to take a back seat to national
>security, in my opinion. Feel free to disagree in an intellectual manner.

Which of our Founding Fathers said: "Those who value security over
freedom deserve neither"?

Have you ever read "1984"?

Have you been reading the newspapers lately about the secret spying
groups in Mississippi?

I guess you would have felt right at home in East Germany during the
heyday of the Stasi wouldn't you?

I guess you don't mind filling a cup whenever your employer or a Fed
might tell you to eh?

Of course, I assume you don't really believe what you said and was
just trolling right?

2222. F.S.: Radio Shack Pro 39 scanner $175.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <35114B5C.69E5@nidlink.com>
Source record: 166550
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Radio Shack Pro 39 scanner

The usual VHF/UHF coverage, but includes full 800 mHz cellular coverage
(in correct increments, unlike most unblocked scanners)

200 channels plus programable band scan

Uses standard nikads or alkalines, can recharge nicads in the radio.

easily a 9 on a scale of 1 to 10 always kept in a case.

Includes case, manual, antenna, a.c. adapter. Believe I have the
original box.

$175.00 plus ups.

Thanks,

David, WA7ZYQ

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

208-245-2070 (north Idaho)

While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

2223. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Identity Crisis <R.S.Wilson@herts.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <3511307E.7A9B@herts.ac.uk>
Source record: 166551
Cross-posted to: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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Pantsmaster wrote:
>
> On Mon, 16 Mar 1998, Home to roost wrote:
>
> > On Mon, 16 Mar 1998, Identity Crisis wrote:
> >
> > > Lindsay Hillier wrote:
> > > >
> > > > SCREW YOU 'YA JERK!!!! WHY'D YOU POST SOMETHIN' IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM
> > > > WITH IT?????????? JERKS LIKE YOU MAKE THE WORD A MISERABLE PLACE TO
> > > > LIVE.
> > > >
> > >
> > > I totally agree the word would be a better place without all this
> > > voilence and agressive sentences clogging up the paragaph as a hole.
> >
> > I am with you on this one Richy Rich, although a little confused about
> > the word 'voilence' as I believed this to be a rare form of doily
> > making. Should this be in the above paragraph then it is a feat that
> > should be lauded, and not the person castigated against. I find this
> > also in the word 'agressive' which I belive must be a mistype as no one
> > has performed the South American ritual 'El aghress' for some time, so
> > for this person to be an agressive, ie one who performs the ritual, would
> > be rather hard. Aside from this I am in total agreement.
> >
> > Sarah
>
> Cool, but then your opinions dont count... shame.

so says a man that strives to be blonde !
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2224. unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Prall <johnpr@gwtc.net>
Message-ID: <01bd535a$0df405a0$1006010a@JOHNPR.gwtc.net>
Source record: 166552

please unsubscribe

2225. Re: Internal Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <351153FF.6560@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166553

Flipper wrote:
>
> To All,
>
> Can anyone tell me if there is a scanner that has a internal speaker larger
> or louder then the one's Bearcat, Radio Shack, Uniden, etc? I drive a semi
> and it is very hard for me to hear what is being broadcast. I know that I
> can use a external speaker and even a headphone. But due to the fact they I
> drive Hazmat my company will not allow me to use these external products..
>
> Thanks
>
> Scan Man

Hi Scan Man:

My only suggestion is to wire an external speaker to boost that audio.
I have 2 Bearcats and when that little signal is amplified, the sound
is unbelievable. You forget you have a small handheld next to you.

Good Luck and happy scanning,
Bill

2226. UBC9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Fred&#65533;n <dan.freden@swipnet.se>
Message-ID: <890328138.207419@mn8>
Source record: 166554

Hi,

I&#65533;m planning to buy the UBC9000XLT, is it any good?

// Danne

2227. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6erjriptu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jeff;
Get real!!!

What has bodies got to do with eavesdropping?

In article <6ep7no$b5n@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>
> BAYCITVIDGRP <myway@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
> > AGEISM is your problem...
> > and a loss of humanism...
> > and should be encouraged...it keeps
> > people young at heart and the heart
> > stays young as long as there is LUST
> > in one's leer...
>
> Don't forget that I live in Hawaii - we have the world's most beautiful
> women on our beaches. (One of them is my very pretty Vietnamese girl-
> friend.) But just as you must respect their privacy after they leave
> the beach by not peering in their homes, you shouldn't be eavesdropping
> on their wireless phone calls.
>
> Jeff
>

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2228. unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Prall <johnpr@gwtc.net>
Message-ID: <01bd535e$4b5a9220$0e06010a@JOHNPR.gwtc.net>
Source record: 166556

Please unsubscribe

2229. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6epo0i$l9a@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 166557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Bill Bonde <stderr@mailexcite.com> wrote:
>Knopp wrote:

>No, it's called the airwaves are owned by the public and I'm part of the
>public and therefore I can listen if I so choose.

"Public property" is not always accessible to the public; for example,
we tax-payers "own" the military bases, but try to muscle your way
onto one, and you'll end in jail, hopefully for a long time.

>> Yeah...maybe we can hook a wire to your phone lines....as "long as I don't
>> repeat it"?

>You are a loon.

Now now; try to reply in an intellectual manner.

>Wired lines are private property. Wiretaping without
>legal court order is and should be a crime. Only a fool has an
>expectation of privacy when he uses his cell phone.

Taps can be done off of a person's property.

Followups directed to the two scanner NGs.

Jeff

2230. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6erlae$ego@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 166558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

F. Barry Mulligan (mulligan@ACM.ORG) writes:
> The questions keep coming up, different laws are mentioned, and most
> replies are of the form "I'll do anything I bloody well please and no law
> can stop me". The following is a short dissertation on the various laws and
> their effect.
>
> The laws of the United States, passed by Congress, are codified as the
> United States Code (USC). It is divided into titles covering various subjects.
> Title 18 includes the criminal laws and penalties; Title 47 covers
> telecommunications. A law can be refered to by its original name (i.e. "The
> Communication Act of 1934") or its entry in the USC. A specific section
> would be refered to by title/USC/part/section, i.e. 47 USC 605.
> To carry out the law, the various government agencies create regulations,
> which are codified as the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). It is likewise
> divided into titles, with the FCC's rules in 47 CFR.
>
> 18 USC 119 bars the disclosure of any electronic communications to
> which you are not a party (with certain legal exceptions), and sets the
> penalties. 47 USC 605 (the Communications Act of 1934) also bans the
> disclosure or use of third-party communications. With minor changes, this
> has been the law for 60 years.
>
> In 1986 Congress passed the Electronic Communications Privacy Act (the
> ECPA), which added definitions to the law that banned listening to cellular
> telephones. It also banned the monitoring of broadcast auxiliary, SCA and
> scrambled signals.
>
> In 1992 Congress passed the Telephone Disclosure and Dispute Resolution
> Act (TDDRA), which instructed the FCC to ban the manufacture or import of
> scanners capable of receiving cellular. In accordance with this law, the FCC
> modified 47 CFR Parts 2 & 15, effective 26 April 1993. Note that this does
> not affect the sale of such scanners, so long as they were made or imported
> before the cutoff date. It also does not bar individuals from modifying
> their receivers.
>
> On 25 Oct 94, the Digital Telephony act was signed. Buried in one of the
> additional sections was a change to 18 USC 2510 & 2511 that added cordless
> phones to the original ECPA ban on receiving cellular.
>
> In short:
> It is illegal to manufacture or import cellular-capable scanners.
> It is illegal to listen to cellular (and cordless) transmissions.
> It is illegal to divulge any communication to which you are not a party.

>
> Now, please - we all know the first two are: 1) stupid; 2) unenforceable;
> and 3) widely ignored. It is not really necessary to post the obvious to
> the whole world (unless you have an irresistable urge to demonstrate even
> less sense than the legislators who enacted them).
>
> /* barry /&

Excellent post! But with the new Bill that passed Congress, you can add
It WILL be illegal to own a device capable of recieving cell, cordless, PCS
and other forms of "private" electronic communications...

I said WILL as the Bill passed in Congress, but not in the Senate YET!!!

2231. Question ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: WIZZERD@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6erje6$1m2$1@newsd-164.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 166559

If i use a scanner and if am listening to cellier phone calls , can i be arrested or fined ?
Does a police officer have the right to take away your scanner if he sees you using one ?

2232. CART (Championship Auto Racing Teams) Frequencies for 1998

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alec Isaacson <alec.isaacson@connects.com>
Message-ID: <35116077.A9F39ADF@connects.com>
Source record: 166560

I am looking for the 1998 frequency list for CART races (I'll be at the Cleveland Medic GrandPrix in July).

I've seen the 1997 list a few places on the web, but no one seems to have the '98. None of the services that sell racing frequencies seem to have them either.

Thanks.

Alec Isaacson
alec.isaacson@connects.com

2233. Help whith a discone Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Dodge <dodgefam@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <35116B36.F26035E7@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Source record: 166561
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Hi everyone,
One quick question... does anyone have a picture of a discone or
a scantenna that i could use as a visual template. I find it difficult
to turn pages on pages of text in to a scimatic for an antenna

Thanks, matt

2234. Re: Question ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6erq12$gkv@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 166562
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

JOSE COBOS (WIZZERD@webtv.net) writes:
> --WebTV-Mail-1649733213-1918
> Content-Type: TEXT/PLAIN; CHARSET=US-ASCII
> Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7BIT
>
> If i use a scanner and if am listening to cellier phone calls , can i be
> arrested or fined ?
> Does a police officer have the right to take away your scanner if he
> sees you using one ?
>
Only if you are stupid enough to announce that you are monitoring cell phones. The couple in Florida were charged because they taped Newt on his cell phone and sold the tape to the news media. If you quietly use a scanner and monitor cell phone, don't go around blabbing about it...

If you have police frequencies plugged into your scanner, and you are doing something that attracts the police officer's attention, you may be delayed (some areas do have restrictions on the mobile use of scanners) For example you get stopped for a routine traffic stop, late at night they may wonder why you are monitoring the police, they may assume you are prowling... If you aren't doing anything wrong, they still may take a bit longer, they may run your plates, DL, name through NCIC and CNI just to find out who you are and what you are up to. Again it's a case of ATTRACTING ATTENTION TO YOURSELF! If you get stopped, turn off the scanner so the officer doesn't hear it. If they ask tell them it's a ham radio..

Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

"Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

2235. Re: UBC9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: avcbob@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980319194020001.OAA17122@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166563

Hi Dan,

I've got one and I really like it. I am a ham and general user, but others here on this net have very specific needs and they may have other thoughts.

Bob

2236. Re: MDT prelims./software Plans

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric <UnholeyNOSPAM@flink.com>
Message-ID: <35116A94.BC67D069@flink.com>
Source record: 166564

> Sorry to jump in here guys....but where can I find these plans and
> software??? Thanks!!

Try this Link has some mdt and trunking software. Some files include how to make a data slicer.http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Lab/1067/PROJECTS.HTM

2237. Re: MDT prelims.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric <UnholeyNOSPAM@flink.com>
Message-ID: <35116B90.4AA0C5EF@flink.com>
Source record: 166565

> Sorry to jump in here guys....but where can I find these plans and
> software??? Thanks!!

This site has some trunktracking and mdt decoding software. Some of the files on this site include how to make a data slicer.

http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Lab/1067/PROJECTS.HTM

2238. Baltimore MDT Frequencies...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Domonkos <domonkos@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35117A8A.79F9F74@erols.com>
Source record: 166566

What if any frequency is used by Baltimore County MDT systems? Thanks.

Andy

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My Sony FD-7 Digital Photo Web pages http://www.erols.com/domonkos
and also at http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/9870/

While there, visit my Astro Photo Page...
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2239. Discriminator: Pro2045 and Pro64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Domonkos <domonkos@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35117AD8.54EFEFBA@erols.com>
Source record: 166567

What are the best taps for the discriminators in either the Pro2045 or Pro64 scanners (besides directly to the IC itself). Thanks!

Andy

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My Sony FD-7 Digital Photo Web pages http://www.erols.com/domonkos
and also at http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/9870/

While there, visit my Astro Photo Page...
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2240. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: William McGuire <wmcguire@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <35117F39.308B33D3@interlog.com>
Source record: 166568
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Dave ,
I think you should get your facts straight, it is not illegal to monitor
telephones transmitted over the radio in Canada,but it is illegal to
tell any one about the conversation you hear.

73 de Bill , VE3YPM

____
WILLIAM MCGUIRE
mailto:wmcguire@interlog.com
Port Charlotte FL
SUPPORT THE ORGAN DONOR PROGRAM
____

2241. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: pxhxz@cadence.com
Message-ID: <6es2c0$8k4$1@news.cadence.com>
Source record: 166569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In article <6eehb0$haj@news.Hawaii.Edu> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>Wire-tapping someone's telephone has been illegal for quite a long
>time. Now ask yourself how listening to a phone conversation
>via a scanner is different from wire-tapping that party's phone.
>Your intent is the same - to spy on your neighbor.

The intent is not quite the same.

One method is intrusive, the other is not (or actually intrusive in another way).

In the case of wiretapping -- I have to have physical access to the wire. If the wire does not cross my property, I would have to tresspass in order to apply the tap.

Also, conversation along a wire isn't broadcast, it travels along the wire to the destination. Wiretapping requires I physically attach equipment to physical objects that I normally do not have access to.

In the case of listening to a broadcast conversation -- in this case the radio waves are crossing through space I control.

It is similar to the difference between tresspassing into your neighbor's yard in order to put your ear against the window in order to hear a whispered conversation -- in which the participants have a reasonable expectation the conversation will not be overheard, and sitting in your living room with the window open listening to a shouting match in your neighbor's house.

Yes, you could close your window and not listen, but you are under no obligation not to listen -- whereas you ARE under an obligation not to tresspass and listen to a whispered conversation in which you must take extraordinary actions to overhear.

In the case being discussed, the person was listening to a legal police scanner, and the radio waves impinged on the scanner and were reproduced. If you don't want conversations overheard -- either don't broadcast them, or use a technology that scrambles and encodes the broadcast so that only the intended recipient(s) can decode it.

-Pete Zakel
(phz@seeheader.nospam)

"What the hell are you getting so upset about? I thought you didn't believe in God."

"I don't," she sobbed, bursting violently into tears, "but the God I don't believe in is a good God, a just God, a merciful God. He's not the mean and stupid God you make Him out to be."
-Joseph Heller

2242. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Bonde <stderr@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <35117DAF.DB4A805B@mailexcite.com>
Source record: 166570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> In article <350E4824.6D54@connectnet.com>, sbc <sbc@connectnet.com> wrote:
>
> >I am glad to see that the FCC is still giving out licenses to idiots.
>
> One item that's common among you folks obsessed with eavesdropping on your
> neighbors - when you can't debate an issue, you resort to name-calling.
> I must have struck a nerve, eh?
Calling you an idiot isn't name called, it's an identification
procedure.

>
> >I could go on, and on, but never ANYTHING on the phone that you would
> >not say in an elevator full of FBI Agnts!!!
>
> That the government might be monitoring phone calls doesn't bother
> me in the least. Individual rights has to take a back seat to national
> security, in my opinion. Feel free to disagree in an intellectual manner.
Interesting. So the public can't listen but the government can.
Individual rights be damned.

2243. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Bonde <stderr@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <35117C0B.3BF40C4@mailexcite.com>
Source record: 166571
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Bill Bonde <stderr@mailexcite.com> wrote:
> >Knopp wrote:
>
> >No, it's called the airwaves are owned by the public and I'm part of the
> >public and therefore I can listen if I so choose.
>
> "Public property" is not always accessible to the public; for example,
> we tax-payers "own" the military bases, but try to muscle your way
> onto one, and you'll end in jail, hopefully for a long time.
>
Granted but this right to listen if I choose was granted to the public
right at the start of radio as part of the conditions for private
for-profit usage of our airwaves. It is, for example, legal to listen to
military communications.

> >> Yeah...maybe we can hook a wire to your phone lines....as "long as I don't
> >> repeat it"?
>
> >You are a loon.
>
> Now now; try to reply in an intellectual manner.

How can you respond to silliness that would claim that illegal wiretaps
are the same as listening to radio? 'As long as I don't repeat it' is
one of the rules set forth allowing us to listen to our airwaves and is
fair.

>
> >Wired lines are private property. Wiretaping without
> >legal court order is and should be a crime. Only a fool has an
> >expectation of privacy when he uses his cell phone.
>
> Taps can be done off of a person's property.
>
Wired lines are private property. What are you claiming? That from your
property you can connect to other phone lines other than your own? What
are you, a phone phreak?

> Followups directed to the two scanner NGs.
This group added back in since I'm not going to groups I don't read for
this.

2244. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Bonde <stderr@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <35117D08.2C0085F8@mailexcite.com>
Source record: 166572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Don Curtis wrote:
>
> In article <350DE575.E2FD0333@olg.com>, JoeR <talon2@olg.com> wrote:
> >May I interject? The airwaves belong to the public, and last time I looked, a
> >cellular telephone was nothing more than a radio. The cellular industry put one
> >over on the public, stating that a cell phone was as convenient and secure as a
> >landline. Anyone with any technical knowledge of the subject knows that's a
> >crock. The bottom line is if you don't want me listening to it, then ENCRYPT
> > IT!
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> >
> And last time I looked, Army tanks and Air Force airplanes are "public
> property" also....so does that mean you can just go "borrow" one when ever you
> feel like it?
>
> I agree with the idea of encryption...that's why I've got a digital cell
> phone, not an analog one. But, that doesn't change the concept that just
> because something is there...that it's yours to use (or listen to) at will.
This right was moved from the government to the people when the
government asked the people to allow it to regulate and sell access to
their airwaves. This law is theft of a right of the people and is wrong.
I couldn't care less about personally listening to cellophane
conversations. I don't own a scanner that can pick them up. I own three
cell phones and talk for about 2000 minutes per month, so I'd be the one
being listened to.

2245. HELP:ICOM IC-H16T FREQ.EXP.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kdalsboe@online.no
Message-ID: <6es4r1jat1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166573

Is ther anybody out there!!!! who can help me to expand the Frequncy-coverage on an Icom IC-H16T , with the MRH 4.4b software.
I have heard that you can expand the freq.coverage , to over 250MHz , and that it is in the "dealer mode" that you do it.

I have the access-code for the "software" but i don't know what adr. I do have to change , to get a wider freq.area.

I have also heard that I can get AM-mod. on the air-band (110-136 MHz), also by changing some adr. in "dealer-mode" , so if somebody knows how to do this , I would be very happy if You could send me an e-mail with instructions how to do this . Or give me an e-mail adr. so I can contact you . Forever yours : kdalsboe@online.no
THANK YOU !

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2246. Re: Monitoring Newt's conversations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric <UnholeyNOSPAM@flink.com>
Message-ID: <35118419.C347BA8A@flink.com>
Source record: 166574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

They seem more convinced that legislation can change human nature and our need to

> be free (and no I don't mean anarchy) from oppression.
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>
> John Clark <n0uh@ibm.net>
> N0UH
>
> John Clark
> N0UH <n0uh@ibm.net>
> Netscape Conference Address
> Netscape Conference DLS Server
> Additional Information:
> Last Name Clark
> First Name John
> Version 2.1

They don't want to (change) human nature they want to (control) human nature.

You see, in a socialist raychem there are some things you must get rid of

God, (any thing that would assume that Mr. Clintion is not.)

Guns, (any thing that could over through Mr. Clintion or used in defence againsted the socialist revolution. / Peasants are
not allowed to have these they are children. People like MR. Clintion are of the highly evolved socially elite and are better
than you. If (you) were allowed to have guns you would just shoot each other and all be dead.)

any method of communication which cannot be monitored by the government, (Peasants must be monitored at all times and anything
said out against the government that peasant must be interrogated, imprisoned and executed.

Scanners, (any thing that would expose that our public safety system is not perfect and the truth about crime in your area.)

excuse misspellings.

2247. Probe 4.0 review

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevehan@ptd.net
Message-ID: <ZYgQ.868$gt2.2689122@nnrp2.ptd.net>
Source record: 166575

Greetings,

I have some comments posted on Probe 4.0 on my web page.
Looks like a nice upgrade!

Can find it at http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006

Steve

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+---+
| Steve Hancock, N3FWE stevehan@ptd.net |
| Dynamic IP for Chat: http://home.ptd.net/~stevehan |
| The Pro-2006/Probe Home Page http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006 |
| "The Truth is Out There" |
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2248. Re: Pro-2035-mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tazdvls@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031922314900.RAA12349@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166576

i agree on the 1105-1115 images for cell reception . I "heard" it works well!

2249. FS: old scanner manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6es8cd$2aj$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 166577
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have the following manuals available:

RCA Model 16S300 Scan-Aire 8ch 3 band factory operator's
manual - $5.00

Bearcat Model 211 Factory owner's manual $5.

Regency Model ACT-R-8H Factory instruction manual $5.

Regency Model TMR-8H/L Factory instruction manual $5.

Regency Model M 100 Factory owner's manual $5.

2ea. Sonar Model FR-104 & FR-105 monitor Rx instruction (service) manual
$8. each.

Regency Model ACT-R10 H/L/U Service manual $10.

Regency Model ACT-R-106 Service manual $10.

Ed

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==========

2250. Blue Angels VHF frquencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: root@127.0.0.1
Message-ID: <root-ya02408000R1903981621540001@128.196.139.12>
Source record: 166578
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Hi all,

Sorry if this question has been asked to death, but there is to be an air show at Davis-Monthan AFB here in Tucson this weekend (3/21-3/22) and the Navy Blue Angels will be performing. I was wondering if anyone out there knew the air-to-air VHF frquencies the Blue Angels use.

E-mail responses to the address below are prefered because of the short timing. Thanks!!

Robert

--
Robert Baker

To reply by e-mail, use: rbaker [at] u [dot] arizona [dot] edu

PGP 4096-bit key ID: 0x32464ED6
FP: CD5A 3166 497A DCBC 1479 3F85 CF31 AF07 3246 4ED6
PGP public key avalible on key servers.

2251. Re: APCO Project 25 - Standards for Public Safety Digital Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will Shaw <ccompany@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <6escno$p3l$1@nnrp3>
Source record: 166579

Is this anything like the sh*tty system Kansas City, MO got stuck with? All
I know is it's Ericcson and the toy walkie-talkies at RS work better ;).

--Will Shaw
PDNet Web Services

207.193.???.??? (I WANT A STATIC IP!)

2252. Re: For Sale ESN reprogrammer... Cheap Must see!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will Shaw <ccompany@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <6esdnbpuu1@nnrp3>
Source record: 166580
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.cellular.gsm,alt.cellular

(Omitted due to ISP restrictions)
From what I have picked up working for Southwestern Bell wireless, an ESN can be changed at the keypad for an Audiovox, but it requires a code from the carrier.

2253. FS/BC2500 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sanders <jdsand@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3511BD47.2868@flash.net>
Source record: 166581

HAVE A LIKE NEW BC2500 XLT HH. SCANNER WITH BOX..MANUAL...LEATHER LIKE CASE....POWER MODULE WILL SELL FOR $275.00 OR B.O....JOHN

2254. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511CA92.FB7@parg.org>
Source record: 166582
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill-

How sad that you can find NOTHING to give you a credible defense,
you can only find little smart-assed comments to try to take attention
away from your OBVIOUS guilt!

2255. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511CAEC.4CBC@parg.org>
Source record: 166583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

> And that's how we proved some of your lunacy postings were truly yours even when
> you followed them up with comments like: "The following is a forgery".

hehehehe, others were pointing out the OBVIOUS things that conflict with
messages originating from ME. YOU were to stupid to understand!

> You are retarded.

You must be looking in a mirror.

2256. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511CB96.B62@parg.org>
Source record: 166584

No problem!

The issue that grates at some of Bill Cheek's supporters is that
I have shown Cheek for what he is, a trouble maker. So then
people like RIchard Hendrick feel the need to protect Cheek
because he has basically become thier little knight in shining armour!

Tbrutis1 wrote:
> That's what I'd like to know, along with, exactly WHO is John Mackey, & what's
> been the big deal about his postings? Could someone please email me with any
> details,please? Something tells me I missed something somewhere.

2257. Garden State Parkway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James M. Park" <n1jkv@exit109.com>
Message-ID: <3511EA78.6B2A@exit109.com>
Source record: 166585

Does any one know the 800 mhz trunking freqs for the garden State Parkway

Much Thanks

2258. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511CC29.7FC0@parg.org>
Source record: 166586

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> John Mackey is the resident village idiot and
> troublemaker. He has been stalking Bill Cheek electronically for the
> last two years.

Not true.

Infact, Cheek has OPENLY admitted on this NG that he intentially
took me OUT of HIS KILLFILE so that he could start attacking me!
(would you like me to post that message?)

2259. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511CC5D.1D67@parg.org>
Source record: 166587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

YOU should try in sometime. Please make it VERY soon!

Macaroon wrote:
> Have YOU ever heard of shutting your pie-hole ?

2260. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh6hz@anomaly.ideamation.com.NO-SPAM
Message-ID: <6ese3nhfb1@anomaly.ideamation.com>
Source record: 166588
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6epo0i$l9a@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote:

>>No, it's called the airwaves are owned by the public and I'm part of the
>>public and therefore I can listen if I so choose.
>
>"Public property" is not always accessible to the public; for example,
>we tax-payers "own" the military bases, but try to muscle your way
>onto one, and you'll end in jail, hopefully for a long time.

"Muscleing" one's way onto a military base is often quite difficult, since they are usually surrounded by large quantities of chain link fences and barbed wire. Walking around on one can also get yourself killed quite quickly, should you happen to wander into a live-fire mortar range.

Of course, miltary bases don't happen to run right through my personal property, or my body for that matter, either.

>Taps can be done off of a person's property.

That's true, but it also requires you to have access to the physical telephone line. It also means you have to be able to readily identify the pair that the conversation is occuring on. Not an easy chore.

MD
--
-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have
-- with my guns.
--
-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

2261. Boston frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: lraymond@slkc.uswest.net
Message-ID: <3511D548.575B@slkc.uswest.net>
Source record: 166589

Could someone please tell me where I can find a listing of police, fire,
and other frequencies in Boston?

Thanks
Mike

2262. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6esk07$7u5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166590

>>
> >>Radio Shack apparently knows more about Canadian law than do most
> >>Canadians (at least in this newsgroup). Monitoring of telephone
> >>conversations transmitted over the radio is illegal in Canada, whether
> >>you want to believe it or not.
owhard.
> >
> Have you read the sections of The Criminal Code of Canada, and the Radio-
> Telecommunications Act that Mr. Stark cites? They do cloud this issue.
> These sections do very clearly state that monitoring any form of telephone
> conversations as being illegal. The statutes covers all forms of "private
> telephone" (including radio-telephone, which would include cell phones) by
> any type of device. So owning an unblocked scanner is legal, but using it
> would be a Criminal Code Offence (in USA terms, a felony).
>
> Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

I find this interesting because a few years ago, Popular Communications had a story about a tape recording of a cell-phone conversation being used in court as evidence for the prosecution. Evidently, that judge thought that Canadian laws did not cover cell-phones.

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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2263. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511E3FB.6120@parg.org>
Source record: 166591

You responded to messages I wrote regarding the use of WD-40 as contact cleaner & SWR issues.

Are you know denying you did this?

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> No, I did *not* confirm you've made relevant posts,

2264. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511E486.7F26@parg.org>
Source record: 166592

The Cb Guy wrote:
> Yes, and INFACT the reason you were in his killfile originally was
> because you would attack him on here if he said the word "boo".

You are full of shit but I'll make this entertaining & try your
side of the arguement. IF you statement above is true, then WHY
did he take me out of the kill file?

> You are an idiot MACKEY,

You can't answer my above question can you!!!!! I guess that makes YOU
the idiot!

2265. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3511E4FA.2F98@parg.org>
Source record: 166593

The CB Guy wrote:
> Why the change in the "from" in your e-mail Mackey....??
> Trying to weasel out of the hundreds of kill filters you're in?

No FOOL that is the problem people have with YOU, not me.

I am experimenting with different spam filters, by using different addresses, I can see how well each one works!

I doubt you are smart enough to understand.

2266. Process MIP refunds for big profits in your spare time!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: theebaker@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031901454000.UAA22261@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166598

Earn up to $1000 Every time someone receives an MIP refund. Call
818-368-7726. No experience necessary. You can do this in your spare time
very easily. 24 hour information. CALL RIGHT NOW OR WRITE DOWN THIS NUMBER!!!
818-368-7726 You've got nothing to lose and everything to gain!

2267. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rimshot <hihat@bang.com>
Message-ID: <6epti8$1v5@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 166599
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Darrell A. Larose wrote in message <6ep5o0$rnb@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>
>"Rimshot" (hihat@bang.com) writes:
>> D Stark wrote in message <6emgoj$15f2$2@node17.frontiernet.net>...
>>>
>>>Darrell A. Larose wrote in message
>>>><6ejq2g$kue@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>>>>You can buy unblocked Icom, Bearcat Uniden etc... scanners in Canada
>>>>The only company selling blocked scanners is Radio Shack who thinks
>>>>USA laws apply in Canada...
>>>
>>>
>>>Radio Shack apparently knows more about Canadian law than do most
>>>Canadians (at least in this newsgroup). Monitoring of telephone
>>>conversations transmitted over the radio is illegal in Canada, whether
>>>you want to believe it or not.

snip

>> So what?
>> It's still legal to OWN unblocked scanners in Canada ya indignant
blowhard.
>>
>Have you read the sections of The Criminal Code of Canada, and the Radio-
>Telecommunications Act that Mr. Stark cites?

Yes, thoroughly.

>They do cloud this issue.

No they don't.
It is quite clear that you may "own" an 800mz unblocked scanner.

>These sections do very clearly state that monitoring any form of telephone
>conversations as being illegal.

I never said they didn't.

>The statutes covers all forms of "private
>telephone" (including radio-telephone, which would include cell phones) by
>any type of device. So owning an unblocked scanner is legal, but using it
>would be a Criminal Code Offence (in USA terms, a felony).

So what, that DOES NOT mean you can't own them.
You can own 150 of them if you want to.
Mr.Stark claimed that Radio Shack understood the laws of Canada better than

most Canadians in this NG.
He is wrong.
He is a blowhard (at least on this issue he has quite an attitude,
therefore, I displayed my attitude)

Radio Shack is simply making a corporate decision to not sell unblocked
scanners in Canada.
Not based on any Canadian law, but because they want to curry favor with
Uncle Sam.
I, fortunately, do not have to listen to Uncle Sam in his new dictatorial
form.
Nor does any Canadian.
We have enough problems of our own without inheriting garbage regulations
from the States.
Soon you people won't even be able to listen to your local police.
They will all be in the 800 band.
And you will have assisted them in this.
Good luck to you down there.
The police state is fast approaching.

>Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca
>
> "Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
> and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

2268. Re: Pro 26 questions (cellular, antenna, and others)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <35107b76.2528247@news.total.net>
Source record: 166600

I bought a second pro-26 at $299 CAN. It's on sale as a discontinued
product for a couple of months now... I guess you don't find it
anymore...

On Wed, 18 Mar 1998 23:12:03 GMT, jroulier@albany.net (Jeff) wrote:

>On Wed, 18 Mar 1998 00:39:02 -0600, grovedev@webtv.net (Chris Larkin)
>wrote:
>
>>
>>
>>The PRO-26 is MOST DEFINITELY discontinued. It's not even listed in the
>>1998 RS catalog.
>
>Yes, I stand corrected. I called the day after I made that post to
>see for myself, and was told it was discontinued. The reason I didn't
>think so was because the man who sold it to me said he didn't know why
>it was on sale for so little because they weren't discontinued. But,
>I really did just buy it for $199.00, and at a Radio shack store.
>I'll scan the receipt if proof be needed.
>
>
>
>-----
>Do cemetery workers prefer the graveyard shift?
>-----
>Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
>Jroulier@albany.net

Joli Gar&#65533;on (&#65533;galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
&#65533;tudient @ Informatique et Math&#65533;matiques d'Universit&#65533; McGill
Montr&#65533;al, Qu&#65533;bec, Canada
C&#65533;: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit&#65533; McGill)

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why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
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Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.

Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

2269. Re: BC 895XLT - RS232C Port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Crowmanjcrowcms@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35107ec1.164746808@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166601

maxinnis@aol.com (Max Innis) wrote:

Does this "enter dev software" have a web site?
John

>>Subject: BC 895XLT - RS232C Port
>>From: someone@where.com
>>Date: Wed, Mar 18, 1998 02:40 EST
>>Message-id: <350f7a49.2000441@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
>
>>I am looking or some infomation on the RS232C port. I recently bought
>>a Uniden BC 895 XLTscanner and have found several software programs
>>for it's control but I don't know anything about the hook up.
>
>did you look at radio manager www.interplaza.com/bensware? the program includes
>instructs for the cable. if you don't want to make it yourself, enter dev
>software sells it cheap. serial port connection
>Max Innis
>

2270. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <6eq0o6$ej6@jupiter.planet.net>
Source record: 166602
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

dac_nospam@compuserve.com (Don Curtis) wrote:

>In article <350DE575.E2FD0333@olg.com>, JoeR <talon2@olg.com> wrote:
>>May I interject? The airwaves belong to the public, and last time I looked, a
>>cellular telephone was nothing more than a radio. The cellular industry put one
>>over on the public, stating that a cell phone was as convenient and secure as a
>>landline. Anyone with any technical knowledge of the subject knows that's a
>>crock. The bottom line is if you don't want me listening to it, then ENCRYPT
>> IT!

>And last time I looked, Army tanks and Air Force airplanes are "public
>property" also....so does that mean you can just go "borrow" one when ever you
>feel like it?

This isn't any analogy at all. Public Property isn't the issue.
It is the reception of radio waves which are propogated everywhere.
I could care less about listening to cellular or cordless (both
are now illegal to listen to), but the ability to listen (or rather
the ability to prohibit reception) is in the service provider.
Unless one expects every scanner and many other
radios to be confiscated, the reception of cellular
and cordless is a given....regardless of any laws to the contrary.

>I agree with the idea of encryption...that's why I've got a digital cell
>phone, not an analog one. But, that doesn't change the concept that just
>because something is there...that it's yours to use (or listen to) at will.

Yet the concept you speak of does not change reality.

Bill Sohl K2UNK
ARRL Local Gov't Liaison, Mt. Olive Township, NJ
No Code International, member - 1007
Visit the No-Code WEB site: http://www.nocode.org

2271. software with scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: St&#65533;phane Th&#65533;berge <stheberg@mediom.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <35108AAE.1B3ABE6C@mediom.qc.ca>
Source record: 166603

Can anybody tell me where i can find software on the net to install on
my pentium2 and work with me pro-2006. Any software include if you know
software that can decode flex pager.

I would like to expand me way to monitoring with a computer.
don`t forget any file.

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Sti¿½phane Thi¿½berge
Beauport,Qc
Stheberg@mediom.qc.ca
ICQ # 9202102
wwp.mirabilis.com/9202102
Pagette: 864-5941

2272. Any fix for the HORRIBLE bleed problem on MVT9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <7904A7DBDC96BEB5.518A9ECF72FF4FC6.1BA8EAAC3BEA2F94@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 166604

Here's my problem: I cannot listen to *any* frequency without *heavy*
bleed-in from other frequencies. I've tried fiddling with *all* the
settings for over four hours just trying to pick up the local
repeater. If anybody else in the area is on packet radio, I hear the
repeater for a few seconds, then packet, then repeater, packet, etc at
about 10 second intervals.

It's horrible.

I can't pick up anything unless it's out in nowhere frequency-land.

Any suggestions?

2273. bc142xl mods- Know any?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dude <lawdude678@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6eq2fm$nnk@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166605

Ive never modified before and think I'll try first on an older bc142xl I've got laying around. Any mods would be appreciated. Ive heard that this little 10 channel can be modified to accept 16 channels. This modification- and any others- would be appreciated. Please post here. Thanx

BTW- I have scanned the web and havent found any mods for this lowly model.

2274. Cruise Ship Frequencies???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: malpass@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35108fce.2619462@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 166606

Do they use VHF/UHF radios for crew communications on cruise ships (specifically Carnival cruise lines)? If so, where can I find the frequencies??

2275. Re: 10 Channel UHF VHF Hi/Lo Progammable Scanner up for Auction !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mm505@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6eq4lr$m77@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 166607

John P Corea <jcorea@monmouth.com> wrote:

>sorry, that last link was incorrect :-(
>here is the right one :-)
>http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8631982

>--
> mailto:jcorea@monmouth.com
> http://www.monmouth.com/~jcorea/index.html

A 10 channel V/U scanner? $35.00

2276. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6eq4c3$6be@HOPPER.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 166608

The questions keep coming up, different laws are mentioned, and most replies are of the form "I'll do anything I bloody well please and no law can stop me". The following is a short dissertation on the various laws and their effect.

The laws of the United States, passed by Congress, are codified as the United States Code (USC). It is divided into titles covering various subjects. Title 18 includes the criminal laws and penalties; Title 47 covers telecommunications. A law can be refered to by its original name (i.e. "The Communication Act of 1934") or its entry in the USC. A specific section would be refered to by title/USC/part/section, i.e. 47 USC 605.
To carry out the law, the various government agencies create regulations, which are codified as the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). It is likewise divided into titles, with the FCC's rules in 47 CFR.

18 USC 119 bars the disclosure of any electronic communications to which you are not a party (with certain legal exceptions), and sets the penalties. 47 USC 605 (the Communications Act of 1934) also bans the disclosure or use of third-party communications. With minor changes, this has been the law for 60 years.

In 1986 Congress passed the Electronic Communications Privacy Act (the ECPA), which added definitions to the law that banned listening to cellular telephones. It also banned the monitoring of broadcast auxiliary, SCA and scrambled signals.

In 1992 Congress passed the Telephone Disclosure and Dispute Resolution Act (TDDRA), which instructed the FCC to ban the manufacture or import of scanners capable of receiving cellular. In accordance with this law, the FCC modified 47 CFR Parts 2 & 15, effective 26 April 1993. Note that this does not affect the sale of such scanners, so long as they were made or imported before the cutoff date. It also does not bar individuals from modifying their receivers.

On 25 Oct 94, the Digital Telephony act was signed. Buried in one of the additional sections was a change to 18 USC 2510 & 2511 that added cordless phones to the original ECPA ban on receiving cellular.

In short:
It is illegal to manufacture or import cellular-capable scanners.
It is illegal to listen to cellular (and cordless) transmissions.
It is illegal to divulge any communication to which you are not a party.

Now, please - we all know the first two are: 1) stupid; 2) unenforceable; and 3) widely ignored. It is not really necessary to post the obvious to the whole world (unless you have an irresistable urge to demonstrate even

less sense than the legislators who enacted them).

/* barry /&

2277. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdy52150@prairie.lakes.com
Message-ID: <6eq6fq$ec8$1@usenet11.supernews.com>
Source record: 166609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

PEZkknopp@citynet.net (Knopp) wrote:

>In article <350FFC27.BF862052@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:

>> Knopp wrote:
>> >
>> > In article <350A24DE.B5A0BC98@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:
>> >
>> > > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> > > >
>> > > > In article <6e54u0clf1@gte1.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
>wrote:
>> > > > >Congress passed a law that limits our rights to listen to radio
>> > > > >waves that pass through our houses. Until Congress the ban on
>> > > > >scanners that receive cellular telephone frequencies, we were
>> > > > >allowed to listen to anything as long as we did not discuss it.
>> > > >
>> > > > If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls)
>in the
>> > > > same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of
>binoculars
>> > > > (an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
>> > > > voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
>> > > > rooted problem.
>> > > >
>> > > > Our Congress is doing exactly what I pay them to do. It's just a pity
>> > > > that the Electronics Privacy Act isn't enforceable.
>> > > >
>> > > Listening to radio is the same as looking in other people's windows? Are
>> > > you nuts? Since radio began we've had the right to listen to anything as
>> > >
>> > No...using your RADIO to listen to communications that are meant to be
>> > heard by third parties isn't a equal comparison to looking into other
>> > people's windows. Using a illegal modified scanner in order to eavesdrop
>> > on conversations you aren't supposed to be hearing...IS though.
>> >
>> WHAT is a conversation I'm not supposed to be hearing? Military traffic?

>Any private conversation.

>> Guess what? No illegal to listen to. Portable non-cell phones? No
>> illegal to listen to. The only thing that is illegal to listen to is
>> cell phones because the cell phone industry subverted the people of this
>> country's rights.

>*yawn* It's not illegal to sit in front of your window hoping that the
>girl next door will accidently keep her blinds open while she changes
>either.

>> > > long as we did not repeat it. It is time to go back to that. This
>> >
>> > You can listen to whatever is on your radio. Things change though when you
>> > make attempts to illegally intercept things that wasn't meant for your
>> > ears. It's called an "invasion of privacy".
>>
>> No, it's called the airwaves are owned by the public and I'm part of the
>> public and therefore I can listen if I so choose.

>Phone lines cross my property. I guess I've got a right to tap into those too.

nope thye have an easement
>> > > doesn't get the Democratic scum of the hook, however, since they
>> > > recorded and leaked a cell phone call to the media. This was illegal all
>> > > along.
>> >
>> > Yeah...maybe we can hook a wire to your phone lines....as "long as I don't
>> > repeat it"?
>> You are a loon. Wired lines are private property. Wiretaping without
>> legal court order is and should be a crime. Only a fool has an
>> expectation of privacy when he uses his cell phone.

>Yeah...imagine a person depending on others obeying the law.

>--
>Please remove PEZ from the address to reply via E-Mail. This is a
>"Spam-Buster".

Let The White Rose enlighten you.

http://prairie.lakes.com/~gdy52150/whiterose.htm
gdy weasel

Michael Ejercito the psycho wrote:
>Huh I thought that since most women watch violent TV p[rogramming,
>they would be desensitized to violence.

2278. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35149c59.17336689@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166610
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

On Wed, 18 Mar 1998 21:19:42 -0600, "Randall T. Markley, Jr."
<tmarkley@vantek.net> wrote:

>
>>>> >If you consider of your eavesdropping hobby (scanning phone calls) in
>the
>>>> >same sense as peering in your neighbor's window with a pair of
>binoculars
>>>> >(an act of being a "Peeping Tom"), then hopefully you'll realize your
>>>> >voyeurism is not healthy and may be an indication of some deeply
>>>> >rooted problem.
>...
>
>If someone next door is standing in front of an open window naked as a
>jaybird, they have given up their right to privacy. If someone makes a
>phone call which emits radio waves which pass through my house, my property,
>and my body, then the person making the phone call has also given up their
>right to privacy. If someone is burglarizing my house, I have the right (in
>my city, state) to shoot him so long as it is in the front side of their
>body. Soon I may shoot them in the back too if they are fleeing
>(legislation pending in TN). I should have the right to do whatever I want
>to the radio waves because they are trespassing on MY property and in MY
>body. The government does not own my property or myself. The day they try
>is the day of the beginning of the next Civil War as far as I am concerned.
>

I seem to remember a few years ago some old folks videotaping a
couple through a window having sex. The old folks were heros
and the couple went to jail. Poor old USA is becoming more sad
each and every day. A victim of the moral majority i'm afraid.

2279. Re: "I own scanners and I vote" bumper sticker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rimshot <hihat@bang.com>
Message-ID: <6eq83c$9o2@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 166611
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

iwstirn@bigfoot.com wrote in message <6epmpn$4ok$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <350f68f6.15447322@news>,
> efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu (Eric F. Richards) wrote:
>
>
>> > > How 'bout "I OWN A SCANNER AND I CONTRIBUTE!"
>> > > You might get more attention that way. (Contributing, that is.)

Yeah, you'll be contributing with the sharp increase in traffic citations
you'll recieve because you dare think you have the right to listen to the
police comms.
--
Rimshot

2280. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ziggy@junoNOSPAM.com
Message-ID: <3511a2c9.45142085@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 166612
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 16 Mar 1998 18:12:32 GMT, ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA (Darrell A. Larose) wrote:

>You can buy unblocked Icom, Bearcat Uniden etc... scanners in Canada
>The only company selling blocked scanners is Radio Shack who thinks
>USA laws apply in Canada...

Can anyone give a url or phone number where they sell these scanners???

Remove NOSPAM in email address ot reply

2281. Re: FS AOR AR8000 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4leu@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031905182600.AAA01435@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166613

AR8000 has been sold.

Thanks KE4LEU

2282. Re: FS AOR AR3000 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4leu@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031905190900.AAA29736@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166614

AOR AR3000 has been sold.

Thanks KE4LEU

2283. Re: Bob Grove testimony

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikenra@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031905302801.AAA03306@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166615

In article <6dnciasoc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, iwstirn@bigfoot.com writes:

> It was my impression Bob Grove was willing to point to gun owners to take
>the heat off of scanners. Good thing no scanner owners have guns, huh?
>
>

This one does!! ;-)
Mike NRA

"Better people be distressed by my freedom than my oppression" - Mike NRA
National Rifle Association Life Member

2284. Re: Bob Grove testimony

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikenra@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031905303000.AAA03314@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166616

In article <34FF7F61.4051D909@mich.com>, Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com> writes:

>You don't have to be on this newsgroup too long to realize that scanner-geeks
>ain't too savvy!
>
> Tim

ROFLMAO
Mike NRA

"Better people be distressed by my freedom than my oppression" - Mike NRA
National Rifle Association Life Member

2285. Re: Bob Grove testimony

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikenra@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031905302700.AAA01626@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166617

In article <synman-ya023480000503981616550001@news2.transport.com>,
synman@ramparts.com (Lot 47) writes:

>You know, that's really a good point.
>We are pretty much one and the same people, gun owners and radio owners.
>Not all of course, but I'd wager a majority of "us" own and use both. It's
>really a shame we don't have as politically savvy an organization as the
>NRA to front our battles in Congress.
>
>

Excellent point Sir. The anti freedom forces attack on a number of fronts,
Guns, Scanners, Smoking, BBQ'ing, etc. Perhaps some enterprising group of
people will band together to form a group to protect the rights of us scanner
enthusiasts.
Mike NRA

"Better people be distressed by my freedom than my oppression" - Mike NRA
National Rifle Association Life Member

2286. Re: Freqs for Motorola P110's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gmacdoug1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031905320700.AAA01918@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166618

>Anyone know the frequencies for Motorola P110 handhelds and/or have a rough
>idea of the range of these things?

Usually 154.570, 154.600, or 151.625. 1 watt power, short range.

KD6CWU

2287. Re: BC 895XLT - RS232C Port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: orlscan@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031905455601.AAA05506@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166619

i hear enterdev's support really stinks

2288. Re: Freqs for Motorola P110's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: e10mo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031905574600.AAA05421@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166620

>Anyone know the frequencies for Motorola P110 handhelds and/or have a rough
>idea of the range of these things?
>
>John

The P110 is a Motorola programmable portable that if the P110 is the U.S.model
they are as follows:

VHF P110-Output 2watt(low power model)5watt(high power model)
136-162
146-174

UHF P110-Output 2watt(low power model)4watt(high power model)
403-433
438-470
465-495
490-520

P110 is part of the Motorola Radius line and this particular radio came
put 1991&1997-when it was discontinued forU.S. production except the export
models.

Used primarly by,security,construction,retail sales,production(movies
etc)

The way to tell the differnce between low power model to high power
model,vhf or uhf is for example:

Model no:P23QLCXXXXXXX

The 2-tells you it is a low power,and the 3 tells you it is a VHF model.
If the 2 was a 4,it would be high power.The 3 if it was a 4,it would be
UHF.

Model no is on the inside of the radio if you were to remove the battery of the
back of the radio,there will be a serial no plate.

Regards,

Koichiro Taguchi
sales/marketing

American Radio Exchange

"your Motorola radio HQ"!!!

http://www.usedradio.net

2289. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@juno.com>
Message-ID: <B0B13E33766DD838.13E714FC2B393E39.C4325032A626F5A3@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 166621

Matt Dodge wrote:
>
> Ramjet wrote:
>
> > Try this. I find it works great for cordless phones also.
> > hope this helps...
> >
> > jim bevenour <ekorb@hcil.net> wrote in article
> > <6enosj$sk8$1@news.outfitters.com>...
> > > The local police go to "code" which is called, I think, inverted
> > audio,
> > does
> > > anyone know where I can by a kit to descramble? A friend of mine
> > bought
> > one
> > > from a place in New York but lost the address.
> > >
> > > ekorb@hcil.net
> > >
> > >
> > >
> > >
> >
> >
> >
>
> Uh that link you posted dosn't work buddy
>
> maby you could post one that would

In the meantime, to answer the original question. Get a Ramsey ss-70 kit and you'll be able to do what your asking. A word of caution though, don't ever let them know about it or find it, and don't advertise it to friends. Take it from someone who has been there, it WILL cost you alot more than the $39 for the kit if you do...

Radioman

2290. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbrutis1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031906163801.BAA09426@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166622

In article <6em697$c3t@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>In article <350E4824.6D54@connectnet.com>, sbc <sbc@connectnet.com> wrote:
>
>>I am glad to see that the FCC is still giving out licenses to idiots.
>
>One item that's common among you folks obsessed with eavesdropping on your
>neighbors - when you can't debate an issue, you resort to name-calling. I must
>have struck a nerve, eh?

I for one, am not obsessed with listening to my neighbors. I figure, what I listen to in
the privacy of my own home, is my own business. If they didn't want the cordless & cellular phones listened to, then they should not have had the technology available to invent the radio receivers to listen to them. the same can be said for those that invented the cordless & cell phones. Both of those communication devices are technically radio transmitters. I along with God knows how many other people have a hobby of listening to the types of transmissions that come over these radios. These radio waves are transmitted through the air, & they come through the walls of my home. I do NOT go out & get them. Therefore, I have every right to listen to what is received through the air into my home. There is NO sensible way to enforce this ridiculous law. If those on the cordless & cell phones aren't involved in any legal activity, then they shouldn't worry wether their conversations are heard or not. hte cordless & cell phones were invented for those that were too lazy to walk into the house, or walk to a payphone. Where were all these whiners when the FBI was busy monitoring what was supposed to be private conversations that involved Martin Luther King that were later found out later to have been done without a court order? Because the FBI does it, that makes it ok?
Just an Opinion. Thanks for the Time.

73's,
tbrutis1@aol.com
That's because the #1 Fan of the AA Eastern League Binghamton Mets said so

2291. Re: Watson Scanner antenna in So. Cal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3510B7D2.6D81@ibm.net>
Source record: 166623

David L. Lapoff wrote:
> Not true. I just purchased 2 Watson antennas (Supergainer and
> Airgainer) from a company up in Silicon Valley. See the following URL:
> http://www.best.com/~scanner/
>
> I've found the owner extremely helpful in any question I've asked.

Thanks for the info Dave! And you are right, Glen is a great
guy and very helpful!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Scanner User FAQ http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA Columnist

2292. New Scanner Store

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhouse007@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031906484301.BAA11281@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166624

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Sun. Closed

Web Site Comming soon...

2293. Re: Any fix for the HORRIBLE bleed problem on MVT9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: shepgsd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980319072213801.CAA14311@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166625

Sounds like you are describing intermodulation. The Yupi9000 is VERY SENSATIVE and picky about what antenna you use. I assume you are using an external? Try a smaller antenna with less gain.

I also bought a 6 dollar adjustable attenuator from Ratt Shack... works great on all frequencies. My antenna tuner works wonders too. I haven't had any real problems with intermod except a bit on 43-49Mhz. What frequencies are you having trouble with? If your problems are not fixed with a different antenna there may be something wrong with your unit.

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>Here's my problem: I cannot listen to *any* frequency without *heavy*
>bleed-in from other frequencies. I've tried fiddling with *all* the
>settings for over four hours just trying to pick up the local
>repeater. If anybody else in the area is on packet radio, I hear the
>repeater for a few seconds, then packet, then repeater, packet, etc at
>about 10 second intervals.
>
>

2294. PRO-2006 Documtation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bgiese@ccsi.com
Message-ID: <6eqfut$u56$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166626

Does anybody have any documtation for PRO-2006, service, mods, or etc ??
Good copies will do.

Thanks,
Bill

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2295. Re: Emergency Alerting System mystery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: grohe@galaxy.nsc.com
Message-ID: <3510c5f2.19896356@139.187.81.1>
Source record: 166627
Cross-posted to: comp.dcom.telecom.tech,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

On 17 Mar 1998 23:46:03 GMT,
in the newsgroup rec.radio.scanner,
"Rich C" <spamnotrocourtney@worldnet.att.net>
from Private thoughtfully posted:

<johng-ya02408000R1603981322230001@news.cig.mot.com>...
> The "Emergency Alerting System" is the replacement for the
> Emergency Broadcast System........
>
> My question: Does anybody have any idea of the reason for using such an
> unusual data rate and choice of mark and space frequencies?

Rumor#1: So they are not easily reproducible by standard modems,
so the local prankster cannot trigger a false alert (although we
know that won't stop a determined "prankster").

Rumor#2: It's a compromise between bandwidth used and data rate.
Since the "alert" has to pass through multiple audio chains (some
not too good), it needs to be somewhat "robust", but it needs to
be fast enough not to take up too much time.

There is a an OES website for the California EAS system. There is
some good info there.

http://www.garlic.com/oes/eas.htm

There is some useful stuff at the bottom of this page:

http://www.thuneagle.com/same.html

The FCC has a page with PDF "manuals" for the broadcasters:

http://www.fcc.gov/cib/eas/

Hey Programmers! Is anybody working on software to decode the
EAS/SAME alerts? We're heading into Tornado Time. Here is a
chance to write something that may actually save lives!

Cheers,
Paul Grohe

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2296. BC890XLT & BC895XLT ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stuart Underwood <stu@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <3510DBE0.FBD01D70@harborcom.net>
Source record: 166628
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,scott@harborcom,pjgreene@harborcom.net

Greetings,
I understand it is unlawful to listen or monitor cellular telephone calls, but just for information only. Wasn't there a mod for the BC890XLT to extend receive from 800 mhz to 900 mhz, open the gap? If so, is the BC895XLT very similar to the 890. Would a mod be similar?
Thanks in advance. 73, Stuart

2297. Lockheed Martin Corporation, Syracuse, NY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <watnny@imcnet.net>
Message-ID: <3510B503.CC30D39C@imcnet.net>
Source record: 166629

Does anyone have the frequencies for security at their big plant in Liverpool ??? Or ANY freqs that I could check out while I'm down that way ???

Mike

2298. Re: John Mackey SUXXXXX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3510F2E9.C30@parg.org>
Source record: 166630

hehehehe,

Bill, I think you are lying!

If you aren't, then you are a BIG COWARD!

Actually, both are probably true!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Maybe you haven't met HIM. I've scoped you
> out several times, Ignats, and you never had
> a clue I was watching......

2299. Web Page Back Online

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <shortckt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3510E845.4C008004@primenet.com>
Source record: 166631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

My web page is back online and has been
updated significantly: http://www.qsl.net/k7on

73, Brian

--
"Nostalgia is a thing of the past."
--
Brian (K7ON) Short shortckt@primenet.com
http://www.primenet.com/~shortckt
1994 E Laguna Dr Tempe, Az 85282
Vox:(602)839-3484 Fax:(602)839-4829
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Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
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2300. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pantsmaster <pj6bn@herts.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.980319103631.19211A-100000@sirius>
Source record: 166632
Cross-posted to: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998, Home to roost wrote:

> On Mon, 16 Mar 1998, Identity Crisis wrote:
>
> > Lindsay Hillier wrote:
> > >
> > > SCREW YOU 'YA JERK!!!! WHY'D YOU POST SOMETHIN' IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM
> > > WITH IT?????????? JERKS LIKE YOU MAKE THE WORD A MISERABLE PLACE TO
> > > LIVE.
> > >
> >
> > I totally agree the word would be a better place without all this
> > voilence and agressive sentences clogging up the paragaph as a hole.
>
> I am with you on this one Richy Rich, although a little confused about
> the word 'voilence' as I believed this to be a rare form of doily
> making. Should this be in the above paragraph then it is a feat that
> should be lauded, and not the person castigated against. I find this
> also in the word 'agressive' which I belive must be a mistype as no one
> has performed the South American ritual 'El aghress' for some time, so
> for this person to be an agressive, ie one who performs the ritual, would
> be rather hard. Aside from this I am in total agreement.
>
> Sarah

Cool, but then your opinions dont count... shame.

2301. Wide Band Pre-Amp F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "news.toad.net" <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bd532e$869ed880$1d1e31d1@wendy-s-avon>
Source record: 166633

Hamtronics Wide Band receiver pre-amp.

Bought to use with scanner at a customers office. Still not enough gain to to overcome all of the walls in the building. Works good, just one two many cement walls, and management says "keep antenna at your desk!"

Customer can't use it, so he needs to sell it. Only about two weeks old. Asking $50.00 shipped with pre-pay. C.O.D. at additional cost.

Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Oner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net
(410) 360-2260

2302. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Home to roost <sc5ar@herts.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.980319123314.29370C-100000@sirius>
Source record: 166634
Cross-posted to: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998, Pantsmaster wrote:

> On Mon, 16 Mar 1998, Home to roost wrote:
>
> > On Mon, 16 Mar 1998, Identity Crisis wrote:
> >
> > > Lindsay Hillier wrote:
> > > >
> > > > SCREW YOU 'YA JERK!!!! WHY'D YOU POST SOMETHIN' IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM
> > > > WITH IT?????????? JERKS LIKE YOU MAKE THE WORD A MISERABLE PLACE TO
> > > > LIVE.
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> > I am with you on this one Richy Rich, although a little confused about
> > the word 'voilence' as I believed this to be a rare form of doily
> > making. Should this be in the above paragraph then it is a feat that
> > should be lauded, and not the person castigated against. I find this
> > also in the word 'agressive' which I belive must be a mistype as no one
> > has performed the South American ritual 'El aghress' for some time, so
> > for this person to be an agressive, ie one who performs the ritual, would
> > be rather hard. Aside from this I am in total agreement.
> >
> > Sarah
>
> Cool, but then your opinions dont count... shame.
>
sniff *whimper* They do to!!!

whimper some more

Bully

sniff and wipe snotty nose on sleeve

2303. Re: bc142xl mods- Know any?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick J Neary <pjneary_nospam@nospam.cs.buffalo.edu.spamnot>
Message-ID: <6er6g8bdt1@prometheus.acsu.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 166635

dude <lawdude678@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
: Ive never modified before and think I'll try first on an older bc142xl I've
: got laying around. Any mods would be appreciated. Ive heard that this
: little 10 channel can be modified to accept 16 channels. This
: modification- and any others- would be appreciated. Please post here.
: Thanx

: BTW- I have scanned the web and havent found any mods for this lowly model.

It's probably similiar to my BC140, which i expanded from 10 to 16 channels.
Open it up and look to see if there is a diode over the the processor chip
If it uses the same processor as my 140, its the UC-1116 chip. If there is
a diode over it, clip one side, making sure you have some space to solder
it back together in case the clip has no effect. If it works you should
now have 16 channels. You can help me out as well. Does your scanner have
a priority and or instant weather button? I was able to mod my 140 to have
priority, but I am interested in hacking an instant weather button if possible
It is also possible to tap the discriminator and scan pins easily. This would
be an ok radio if it had more frequency coverage... Let us know how you make
out. Please email me with the specific factory feature of your radio so I can
try to hack up that instant weather button.. I'll post new mods to my web
page for all to share.

--Patrick (pjneary at cs dot buffalo dot edu)
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Patrick James Neary Computer Science Major
SUNY at Buffalo Computer Science Undergraduate Lab Consultant
pjneary@cs.buffalo.edu http://www.cs.buffalo.edu/~pjneary

2304. Re: Any fix for the HORRIBLE bleed problem on MVT9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanist@acmenet.net
Message-ID: <6er9av$9jf$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166636

Guys,
On the Bandercom web site they list a MVT9000 with or without
the 'bleed' mod.......maybe they can point you in the right direction.

>
> I also bought a 6 dollar adjustable attenuator from Ratt Shack... works great
> on all frequencies. My antenna tuner works wonders too. I haven't had any
> real problems with intermod except a bit on 43-49Mhz. What frequencies are you
> having trouble with? If your problems are not fixed with a different antenna
> there may be something wrong with your unit.
> >
> >Here's my problem: I cannot listen to *any* frequency without *heavy*
> >bleed-in from other frequencies. I've tried fiddling with *all* the
> >settings for over four hours just trying to pick up the local
> >repeater. If anybody else in the area is on packet radio, I hear the
> >repeater for a few seconds, then packet, then repeater, packet, etc at
> >about 10 second intervals.
> >
> >
>
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2305. Re: AR8000 antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zeno.Sloim@milab.se
Message-ID: <6erbmibjq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166637

In article <3506802E.855960D0@vnet.com>,
Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net> wrote:
>
> buck100@hotmail.com wrote:
> >Did anyone replace that thing?
> >
> >It is so damn stiff..
> >
> >which one did you replace it with?
>
> Forget the stiffness issue...it is one of the
> worst stock antennas ever supplied on a radio.
> Have a look at my antenna page for a few hints
> on a replacement :
>
> http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/ANTENNA.HTM

The best antenna for AR8000 (stationary) is DRESSLER ARA2000, or ,
if you have more space, a logperiodic CREATE + DRESSLER EWPA2000,
a low-noise amp.(50-2000MHz)

For mobile use I use a DIAMOND RH-790 (70-1500MHz) telescopic whip.

It's great!

Zeno Sloim

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2306. Re: BC890XLT & BC895XLT ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980319140632O1.JAA03337@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166638

>Subject: BC890XLT & BC895XLT ??
>From: Stuart Underwood <stu@harborcom.net>
>Date: Thu, Mar 19, 1998 03:48 EST
>Message-id: <3510DBE0.FBD01D70@harborcom.net>
>
>

>Would a mod be similar?
>Thanks in advance.

Your premise is incorrect. The two scanners are not at all similar.

2307. Re: Pro-2035-mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031914072300.JAA05169@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166639

>Subject: Re: Pro-2035-mods
>From: tramd300@aol.com (TRAMD300)
>Date: Wed, Mar 18, 1998 18:34 EST
>Message-id: <1998031823341901.SAA28226@ladder03.news.aol.com>
>
>I am also interested in this mod.
>Please E-mail me direct.
>Thanks...

There isn't one, at least not the "snip a diode" type.

2308. PRO-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: lagrip2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980319142307O1.JAA06993@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166640

ARE THERE ANY MODS FOR THIS SCANNER

2309. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6eram6$rem@dfw-ixnews2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166641
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In <6ep7no$b5n@news.Hawaii.Edu> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
writes:
>
>BAYCITVIDGRP <myway@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>> AGEISM is your problem...
>> and a loss of humanism...
>> and should be encouraged...it keeps
>> people young at heart and the heart
>> stays young as long as there is LUST
>> in one's leer...
>
>Don't forget that I live in Hawaii - we have the world's most
beautiful
>women on our beaches. (One of them is my very pretty Vietnamese girl-
>friend.) But just as you must respect their privacy after they leave
>the beach by not peering in their homes, you shouldn't be
eavesdropping
>on their wireless phone calls.
>
>Jeff

I speak da kine u not acknowlege brah

national security...with is bs...

I used to livm on dem beaches in Waikiki...know
dem well brah...plenny time livm Wakikik in
hotels and in my cah during my beach-bumbing
days and den up in otha places: Kaimuki,Makiki
and Kanoehe

plenny lovely women da beaches...yes...meet
dem on more than beaches...

shakah brah....

bill conduit
etc.

2310. Re: Any fix for the HORRIBLE bleed problem on MVT9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: shepgsd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980319150640001.KAA10216@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166642

>Guys,
>On the Bandercom web site they list a MVT9000 with or without
>the 'bleed' mod.......maybe they can point you in the right direction.
>

I have the modified MVT9000 with the "bleed mod" from Banercom and I am not having any major intermod problems. But the bleed mod has to do with leakage of the IF inside the radio causing images on frequecies 11.7 Mhz higher.

What this guy is talking about is NOT "bleed" its intermodulation. You MUST use an appropriate antenna for the frequency you are listening to with this radio. A radio shack telescopic will out perform nearly ANY other for stuff above 43Mhz. If you try to use a 30 foot long wire for 155Mhz you are going to have problems... unless you use an antenna tuner...its the nature of the beast. For HF a 30 antenna will be fine with the Yupi. This is a powerful radio but also complicated... not for beginners.

2311. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351234ea.138329678@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166643

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

tired_of_spam@this_address.com (Q) wrote:

> >Do YOU post anything about scanners and scanning?

> I don't *have* to post anything. I read & learn, much like the
> majority of this NG. Bill, feedback is a gift...enjoy it
> appropriately!

Yeah, well, just so's you understand, then, that no
one else *has to* post anything about scanning, either.

Communication is a 2-way sort of deal.

-- ----
Bill Cheek - President/CEO/Publisher \ /
COMMtronics Engineering/World Scanner Report \/
Box 262478 ~ San Diego ~ CA ~ 92196-2478 /\
bcheek@san.rr.com ftp://204.210.11.204 / \
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
-- ---

2312. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <35134E25.1452@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166394

hmmmm, I might be too. Who is this "Mackie" that you are talking about?

Lot 47 wrote:
> As I have probably complained before, it's damnably embarrassing to live in
> the same burg as J.Mackie.

2313. Re: PRO-67 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6evgrh$8g6$1@news2.ispnews.com>
Source record: 166395
Cross-posted to: mi.forsale,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

This item has been sold.

>Radio Shack PRO-67 Scanner Radio... brand new, in the box, with manual!

2314. Re: digital mode scanners, are available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rimshot <hihat@bang.com>
Message-ID: <6evgm4$ef4@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 166396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jack wrote in message <35163544.25454286@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...

>>I have, and use, a digital scanner. It is called a Motorola Astro
>>Mobile.
>
>Check out:
>http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/8539/GSMINDEX.HTM
>
>very interesting...

Okay, has anyone heard of this?
Very interesting indeed
--
Rimshot

2315. Re: BC-895 Power pack question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: someone@where.com
Message-ID: <3512df9a.1990291@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166397

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 04:16:57 GMT, swrosch@ibm.net (Scott M. Wrosch)
wrote:

>Howdy everyone!
>
>I just purchased a BC-895 the other day, and I love it.
>However, I have noticed something with it that I'm rather
>worried about. I don't know if its normal, but this is my
>first scanner that isn't a handheld. Anyways, the
>wall wart gets extremely warm when it's left on for even
>just as little as an hour. This isn't normal, is it?
>
>Thanks,
>Scott

Scott,
Every Uniden scanner I have, whether hand held and having the battery
recharged or any of my base scanners, all the wall plugs/transformers
are warm within a couple of minutes of being pluged in. It's normal
as far as they all do it.

2316. Re: Scan-L listserv address?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathy De Viney <cdeviney@ipa.net>
Message-ID: <351347E3.4CFC8AD1@ipa.net>
Source record: 166398

listserv@UAFSYSB.UARK.EDU
subscribe SCAN-L .... to subscribe
signoff SCAN-L ... to unsubscribe

CATHY

The Hunters wrote:
>
> Would someone please provide the Scan-L (or another scanning related)
> listserv address to me? Thanks for the help.
>
> Jay
> Joono_is_junk@juno.com
> lpn93@erols.com

2317. Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathy De Viney <cdeviney@ipa.net>
Message-ID: <35135127.B58694DB@ipa.net>
Source record: 166399

If anyone has ever had the need for a "portable power pack" or
"emergency power supply", you can order the parts from:

ALL ELECTRONICS
Fax 818/781-2653 7 days/24 hours
818/904-0524 Customer Service and Information
800/826-5432 toll free
http://www.allcorp.com
allcorp@allcorp.com

The parts you will need are:
CAT# GC-6322
12V 3.2 Ah Battery
Rechargable sealed lead-acid battery pack WITH wall-wart charger.
Battery measures 9.25" X 2.55" X 1.27"
Weight = 2.9 lbs
Price = $15.00

CAT# CLP-29
Adaptor Cord for Battery Pack
Allows charging from automobile lighter socket and connection of other
devices via cigarette plug.
Price = $2.50
{This is a Y-adapter...the tail of the Y attaches to the battery, and
there is a male and female cigarette-type plug on the other end.}

This adapter will also work with CAT# GC-1223U, a USED 12V 2.3 Ah sealed
lead-acid battery, measuring 7.13" X 2.385" X 0.92" which costs $9.00.
The catalog does not say if a charging unit comes with this battery (I
did not order this one, just thought I'd mention it though).

Shipping is $5.00. I ordered mine Monday A.M. and received the shipment
via UPS Friday P.M. A free catalog comes with the order, filled with
all sorts of other useful, and inexpensive type electronic stuff.

If you have anything that will run off the cigarette lighter in your
car, this is a very nice setup, for mobility and/or emergency purposes.
It easily fits in a fanny pack. You can run your scanner, CB radio,
cellular phone, boombox, spotlight, laptop, etc. We have 4 similar type
items, from 31 Ah wheelchair battery, to 7 Ah, to 4 Ah, to this 3.2 Ah.
It is nice to take on trips...the kids can listen to their CD players
for extended times, without eating up a ka'zillion AA batteries, and I
can recharge my scanner. It is a good idea to have a 12V fluorescent
light and AM/FM radio around if the electricity goes out, as well as
your
scanner, CB, cellphone.

Just thought I would pass this on, for anyone who might be interested.
Not a bad setup for $22.50.

CATHY

2318. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6euonk$q7o@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 166400
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

CHARLES MANDUS <cdmandus@pgh.nauticom.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:

>: That the government might be monitoring phone calls doesn't bother
>: me in the least. Individual rights has to take a back seat to national
>: security, in my opinion. Feel free to disagree in an intellectual manner.

>You may feel that way until the day when they break down your door. Some

Doubtful that would happen, for my door is open whenever I'm at home
(it gets quite warm here in Hawaii). I'd give the authorities full
access to my home anytime they so desired entry.

What's ironic here is that if martial law were ever declared, it might
be *me* breaking down *your* door!

Jeff KH2PZ

2319. wanto to buy a scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mainboard <mainboard@redestb.es>
Message-ID: <01bd5415$e7739500$feca7ac3@mainboardredestb>
Source record: 166401

I am interested in buy a Scaner , Spain , portugal or Andorra area
please e-mail me

2320. Re: Columbia- Howard Co. MD Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "ka3jjz@erols.com" <ka3jjz@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3512F142.2BA7@erols.com>
Source record: 166402

Richard Wooden wrote:
>
> Anyone have an up to date list of freqs for the Columbia MD, area?
> Richard Wooden
> rwooden@x.home.com
> remove the x. from above address to reply via email
Please be more specific; I have just over 4000+ frequencies for
the state of Md. What exactly are you looking for?
73s Mike ka3jjz@erols.com

2321. It covers 150 khz - 108 mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ettf4$mi6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166444
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Pllus 115 MHZ - 223 MHZ with the included converter.

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 03:30:37 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
(Kin Ho) wrote:

>I have two (2) Sony Pro-80s for sale. They are both in excellent
>cosmetic and electrical condition. Each comes with the original
>manual, VHF adaptor, leather carrying case, battery holder, nicads,
>and antenna. Would like to sell for $175 each + actual shipping cost.
>
>For those unfamiliar with the Pro-80, here are some basics:
>
>* Handheld battery operated unit
>* 40 memories in any combination of sw/am/fm/vhf freqs.
>* 3 scan modes.
>* Am narrow/wide mode
>* Fm narrow/wide mde
>* Upper/Lower ssb mode with knob adjustment
>* Fine tunning control
>* Tone hi/low
>* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
>* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
>* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.

2322. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032014334000.JAA06859@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166445

>Subject: Re: STOP IT N O W
>From: *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
>Date: Thu, Mar 19, 1998 22:41 EST
>Message-id: <3511E573.52A4@parg.org>

>Not true!
>
>Infact, I have made SEVERAL on-topic posts. Most recently abut the use
>of WD-40 as contact cleaner & someone wanting freqs for the Portland

Oh, I see two on-topic posts out of what, 2000?

2323. Re: Phoenix PD to go digital.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Simmont <simmont@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <35128BF1.41D8@extremezone.com>
Source record: 166446

Eric Oyen wrote:
>
> Well,
> heres the latest skuttlebutt for Phoenix PD.
> It seems that besides going to the 800 MHz trunked system inside of 3
> years from now, the Frequencies will also be digitally encoded. This may
> present most scanner users with extreme difficulty in listenin in on the
> local police.
>
> Since this is still "skuttlebutt", I was wondering if there is any real
> truth to it, and if so, will scanner manufacturers be able to keep pace
> with the changing market?

We'll have to wait & see. Phoenix's first plans were to have they system
in place by the end of 1997, but those plans were canceled. They city
wants to put Police, Fire, and all other city services (sanation dept,
water dept. etc.) on the system, one problem being is the PhxFD
dispatches several cities and fire districts on automatic aid. Should be
interesting to see how well Phx sells its idea to make all the current
VHF/UHF radios in the city obsolete.

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CHARLES SIMMONT ICP509/DISPATCHER
INCIDENT COMMAND PAGE OF ARIZONA
ARIZONA'S PUBLIC SAFETY INCIDENT NOTIFICATION SYSTEM
http://www.axtek.com/n7qyk/icp.html

OTHER NOTIFICATION SYSTEMS
http://www.axtek.com/n7qyk/icp/other.html

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2324. Re: Scanners in Airports

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Simmont <simmont@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <35128CAC.6149@extremezone.com>
Source record: 166447

Jeff Chauza wrote:
>
> I will be traveling from Dallas/Fort Worth to Kansas City tomorrow and
> would like to take my scanner. Are there any laws that prohibit
> scanners in airports?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Jeff

Well I have taken my scanner to the airport to monitor the Air freq's
while waiting for an arriving flight. Nobody seemed to care that I was
listening to the tower, police, fire etc... I also kept the volume low,
and kept to myself. Being a bother to others at the airport and causing
a general disturbance might get you some trouble, but if you do it
right, they will just think you are listening to a normal FM radio :)

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2325. BC235xlt & Pro 90 info...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Biltmoir <twb12@sham.net>
Message-ID: <6eu0bn$8cu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166448
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have both of these trunk trackers, and although they are supposedly identical in design, with only cosmetic differences, the Pro 90 has more "static" in it's receive than the Uniden model does. I used a ScanTenna on the roof with a spitter. The same signal (strength) reached both units at the same time...they sat side by side and I raised and lowered the volume of each one by one to compare received signals.

The 235 is consistently "quieter" as far as noise during receive - almost full quieting, (if you've used repeaters, you know what I mean...) where the Pro 90 always has a much higher static level with the reception - you can still hear the calls, but lots more static.

I returned my first unit to Radio Shack and exchanged it for another one. The new one was just as bad. I took the Uniden down to the store with me, and let them hear the difference themselves. While they could not come up with any explanations, all the units they had in stock (we tried 4 of them) were the same - much more noise in the receive than the Uniden. We tried switching rubber ducks, and using the store antenna on the roof.

If your thinking of buying a trunk tracker - you're still better off (besides the extra battery and charging cradle) in buying the Uniden.

Although no one seems to know why, there is a difference...

Terry Biltmoir

2326. Sell or Swap...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: #629371@att.net
Message-ID: <6eu15h$c42@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166449
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

The following gear is in excellent condition - No C.O.D's - some help on shipping - advise zip code in reply. All prices OBO...

May swap for 895 Trunk Tracker or other scanners.

1. *Kenwood TS-870S Xcvr - Serial # 70600274 - $1450 - SOLD
2. *RS HTX-202 2mtr Hand held w/batt & ant - $95 - SOLD
3. *MFJ 20mtr (cw) QRP transceiver - $90 - SOLD
4. Icom IC-PS15 Pwr Supply - $100
5. Pyramid Phase III 35 amp (variable) dual mtr Pwr Supply - $100
6. Emco PS-12L (HD) 10 amp Pwr Supply - $25
7. *Kenwood PS-52 Pwr Supply - matches 870 - $105 - SOLD
8. Kenwood SP-31 Spkr - w/audio filters - matches 870 - $75
9. Kenwood SW-2100 SWR/PWR meter (dual) - matches 870 - $90
10. Oskerblock SWR-200 SWR/PWR meter (dual) - $55.
11. Daiwa CN-101L SWR/PWR meter (15w/150w/1.5kw) - $70
12. *Icom HM-12 hand mike - $20 - SOLD
13. *Icom HM-7 hand mike - $30 - SOLD
14. Alfa 7705 Capacitance Meter w/case/leads - $50

Inquiries welcomed.

John Lewis
WA6SPA/0
St. Louis, Mo. 63116

Remove the pound sign (#) from E-mail address to reply.

2327. Re: bc142xl mods- Know any?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick J Neary <pjneary.cutoutthis@dont.cs.spam.buffalo.me.edu>
Message-ID: <6eu3ir$p7f$1@prometheus.acsu.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 166450

dude <lawdude678@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

: Pat :-(Unfortunatly I dont have that diode. While I do have the same
: processor, the 142 only has a black wire that crosses it. That wire does
: not attach (at least not visably) to the processor. Guess Im stuck with 10
: chs.
Don't give up yet! If you have the same processor as mine, there *must* be a
way to switch it to 16 channels. Try and figure out what pins the black wire
goes across on the processor using a meter.
You can try clipping that wire, and resoldering it back together if it doesn't
work. If you're uncomfortable cutting the wire let it go for now until we can
gather more info

--Patrick (pjneary at cs dot buffalo dot edu)

: dude

--

Patrick James Neary Computer Science Major
SUNY at Buffalo Computer Science Undergraduate Lab Consultant
pjneary@cs.buffalo.edu http://www.cs.buffalo.edu/~pjneary

2328. Freq lookup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTDoyle <dtdoyle@shore.net>
Message-ID: <6eu3gl$l8e@fridge.shore.net>
Source record: 166451

Just wondering,Is there a service avalible on the NET
that would allow me to input a freq and have who it is assigned
to come back ?
There is one i found that lets you input callsigns like
(AF116) but i'm talking stricly numerical.

2329. Re: Antenna Location: Outside or Attic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: tired_of_spam@this_address.com
Message-ID: <35129d2d.15743447@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 166452

Excellent! Thanks for the suggestions. The attic sounds more attractive all the time, plus I like the idea of shielding it from the elements. I see a weekend project forthcoming...

-Erik

2330. BCXLT 2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: HH <ncornett@7cities.net>
Message-ID: <6euatf$rr4$1@sloth.swcp.com>
Source record: 166453

BCXLT need freqs for image 800 cell, thanks.

ncornett@7cities.net

2331. Re: Scanners in Airports

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6eu9ic$3e0@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 166454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jeff Chauza (jeff_chauza@waddill.com) writes:
> I will be traveling from Dallas/Fort Worth to Kansas City tomorrow and
> would like to take my scanner. Are there any laws that prohibit
> scanners in airports?
>
AFAIK there would be no problems, some airlines will put restrictions
on the use of scanners in aircraft as the RF and IF oscillator can
cause interference with some aircraft avionics

2332. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bkmagic@bigfoot.NOSPAMcom
Message-ID: <3512b4af.74563842@news.packet.net>
Source record: 166455
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

On 19 Mar 1998 21:23:12 GMT, pxhxz@cadence.com (Pete Zakel) wrote:

>In the case of wiretapping -- I have to have physical access to the wire.
>If the wire does not cross my property, I would have to tresspass in order
>to apply the tap.

So you don't think there's any telephone lines on public property?

>Also, conversation along a wire isn't broadcast, it travels along the wire
>to the destination. Wiretapping requires I physically attach equipment to
>physical objects that I normally do not have access to.

Anybody has access to the telephone poles and wires than run down
public streets.

>It is similar to the difference between tresspassing into your neighbor's
>yard in order to put your ear against the window in order to hear a whispered
>conversation

Or you could use hi-tech equipment to pick up the whispered
coversatons from across the steet. Those sound waves travel through
the airwaves too.

>-- in which the participants have a reasonable expectation the
>conversation will not be overheard

Participants in a cell phone conversation have a right to privacy and
the same reasonable expectation.

Bob K (remove NOSPAM to reply by email)

2333. Re: ICOM R-1 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: AgentBlue <JDay98@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <3512BCF6.6BA70DC2@prodigy.net>
Source record: 166456
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I know the R-1 has only 100 channels, but i just need a scanner to cover cell phones and millitary...so, an R-1 (unblocked) would do the trick perfectly.

--AgentBlue

jason wrote:
>
> AgentBlue wrote:
> >
> > Hi. I'm looking for an Icom R-1 or an R-10. If you have one with the
> > manual, and original accessories, please e-mail me. I have a brand new
> > pro-64 for trade so maybe we can work something out. Direct e-mail is
> > appreciated. Thanks, AgentBlue
>
> Why do you want in Icom-r1 it is not that good of a scanner. You should
> get an AR-8000.
>
> come chat on Irc.dalnet #scanning

2334. Boston frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary.saffer@channel1.com
Message-ID: <40.87103.2433@channel1.com>
Source record: 166457

L>Could someone please tell me where I can find a listing of police,
L>fire, and other frequencies in Boston?

Try http://world.std.com/~mtiernan/scanners.html this should get you
started.

Gary

* CMPQwk 1.42 129 *There are 5 boxes to Freedom: Ballot, Witness, Jury, Soap & Cartridge"

2335. WiNRADiO 3000i DSP Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3512ba12.82600340@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166458

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.shortwave

Posted as a public service for information only. I do
not sell nor have available the WR-3000i..

WR-3000i-DSP Signal Conditioner

The Signal Conditioner is a standard digital signal processing "applet"
now supplied as part of the WiNRADiO WR-3000i-DSP receiver software.
This feature provides high performance post-demodulation audio
filtering, which is particularly useful when receiving AM, CW and SSB
signals.

To run this DSP applet, select the corresponding item in the
WR-3000i-DSP menu (ie. 'DSP | Start applet | Signal Conditioner').

The following controls are available:

1. Bandpass Filter enables the audio 'brick wall' band pass
filter. See '6' and '7' to tune the filter response in real time.

2. Noise Reduction enables adaptive random noise filtering. This option
works better for higher signal-to-noise ratios.

3. Auto Notch enables adaptive automatic heterodyne cancellation. The
Auto Notch eliminates multiple tones from the audio spectrum. This is
very useful to cancel 'carrier whistles' while receiving SSB-modulated
signals.

4. Marker Tone activates generation of audible tone with its frequency
equal to the center frequency of the pass band of the filter. This is a
useful guide for tunning-in on CW signals. The real-time FFT display
provides a complementary visual guide.

5. Gain sets the pre-processing numerical gain of the signal inside the
DSP. This parameter helps to resolve the 'signal-to-noise vs. audio
distortion' trade-off. If the filtered signal sounds too distorted,
choose a lower gain. The 'AGC' option activates an automatic gain
control algorithm. This function does not replace the main 'hardware'
AGC of the actual receiver, as it is applied only inside the DSP as an
automatic numerical amplification adjustment.

6. Low/High/Centre/Width parameters control the corresponding pass band
frequencies of the filter. The two pairs (Low/High and Centre/Width)
are synchronized, so that a change in one parameter is subsequently
reflected in the others. The entered numbers are rounded to 10Hz steps.

7. Interactive filter tuning control is one of the most impressive features of this facility. You can independently drag the lower and upper transition bands with the mouse. It is also possible to move the entire pass band ('tune' the filter), simply by dragging the 'top' (the upper horizontal part) of the displayed filter shape. As the filter shape is displayed above the real time FFT display using the same frequency scale, it is possible to tune the filter precisely to isolate interesting signal peaks buried in noise, using the real-time FFT spectrum.

8. Real-time FFT display shows the real-time spectrum of the audio signal. The vertical range of the display is 80dB. Frequency axis marks are displayed above this display.

9. FFT Source - selects whether the FFT is computed before or after filtering of the signal.

10. Bar toggles between displaying spectral envelope and spectral lines, while Grid enables the green rectangular grid on the FFT display.

11. Exit stops the Signal Conditioner applet and unloads the DSP, so that other task (a different applet or the Sound Recorder) can be executed. It is possible to stop the applet by selecting 'DSP | Stop applet' in the WR-3000i-DSP menu.

12. About displays the version info.

13. Settings are used to store and quickly retrieve different combinations of control parameters. To Store the current setting, type any desired name into the 'listbox' entry line and the click the 'Save' button. To recall pre-stored settings, simply select the proper name in the 'listbox'. To remove a selected item from the list box, click the 'Delete' button.

The band pass filter uses finite impulse response (FIR) design, so the phase delay response is inherently linear. This filter is also ideal for 'cleaning up' any data mode before outputting the signal to a third party decoder. To adjust the filter to any FSK modulated signal, set the lower cutoff frequency ('LOW') slightly below the lower tone and the higher cutoff frequency above the higher tone of the signal.

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2336. Mackey Beaten

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: pja <pja@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <3512C094.73726DFA@pacifier.com>
Source record: 166459

That Mackey bastard has been beaten down. He always thought
he was so smart shooting his mouth off all of the time like a damn
childish idiot. HA HA HA Mackey you LOSER. Good ridens
to you forever.

2337. Doesn't MACKEY have a LIFE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: pja <pja@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <3512C1E6.A0F9B9AB@pacifier.com>
Source record: 166460

Doesn't Mackey have a life away the computer. He must
be answering posts 3 or 4 hours a night.

2338. Ham Radio License Exams - March 22 - Lindenhurst NY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom KA2D <ka2d@li.net>
Message-ID: <6eugg3pnh1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 166461
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

VE -Lindenhurst,LI March 22, 1998

The Great South Bay ARC hosts ARRL amateur radio exams every 4th
Sunday at 12:00 NOON....no reservations required. This is no VE
in the month of JUNE 1998.

Exams are given from Novice to Extra class.
All exams are ARRL/VEC, CW exams are multiple choice w/ full headphones.
The examination site is in the ARES/RACES room located in the basement.
Access is at the rear of the building via stairs. Ring TOP buzzer for
entrance.

Location: Babylon Town Hall
Emergency Operations Center
200 East Sunrise Hwy.
North Lindenhurst, NY

Talk in : 146.685/r 136.5pl

Please bring the following:
- Photocopy and original of current Amateur Radio License if licensed.
- Photocopy and original of CSCE(s) that are current.
- two forms of ID, at least one photo ID.
- pens or pencils.
- Calculator for math problems on exams, no pocket computers are allowed.
- 1998 Exam fee is $6.35, please bring exact change.
* Novice exams (elements 1A & 2) are free.

For addition information you may contact:
Michael Grant N2OX (516) 736-9126 or globalcm@erols.com

Information is also available during the GSBARC 2 meter info net every
Monday evening at 7:00 pm on the W2GSB repeater, 146.685 -600 4Z(136.5)
PL required. You may also write to:

Great South Bay ARC
P.O. Box 1356
West Babylon, NY 11704

Visit GSBARC online at http://www.li.net/~tomcar/gsbarc.htm

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/EX

2339. Re: Help whith a discone Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Dodge <dodgefam@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <351270ED.18E409B8@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Source record: 166462
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Matt Dodge wrote:

> Hi everyone,
> One quick question... does anyone have a picture of a discone
> or
> a scantenna that i could use as a visual template. I find it difficult
>
> to turn pages on pages of text in to a scimatic for an antenna
>
> Thanks, matt

hi,one more thing the Discone on this page

http://www.northcountryradio.com/discfig2.htm

Is made for 700-2000MHz is it use full for freqs. under the 700 mark.
say around 100-150 and 400-450??

Please and thanks.

2340. Pro-32 Mods? ANY???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: aacj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980320213943O1.QAA06773@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166463

Anyone know of any mods for the Pro-32 for 800/900 or more channels? Please email me direct.

2341. Re: Freq lookup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3513e31b.4418969@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166464

On 20 Mar 1998 15:55:01 GMT, DTDoyle <dtdoyle@shore.net> wrote:

>Just wondering,Is there a service avalible on the NET
>that would allow me to input a freq and have who it is assigned
>to come back ?
>There is one i found that lets you input callsigns like
>(AF116) but i'm talking stricly numerical.

Try:
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts

very nice!!!

2342. Re: Lockheed Martin Corporation, Syracuse, NY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6eupedlqo1@news5.ispnews.com>
Source record: 166465

Mike:

I found the following freqs. listed for Lockheed, in Liverpool, NY;

156.025
156.075
156.240
156.300
156.375
156.525
156.625
156.725
156.875
and...
160.675

If their security is their own, then you'll probably find them in this list.
If it's an outside firm, then you would need their company name to track it
down.

Bill Crocker

Michael wrote in message <3510B503.CC30D39C@imcnet.net>...
>Does anyone have the frequencies for security at their big plant in
>Liverpool ??? Or ANY freqs that I could check out while I'm down that
>way ???
>
>Mike
>

2343. wtb: icom r-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlong@magnus.acs.ohio-state.edu
Message-ID: <rlong-2003981717480001@ts3-12.homenet.ohio-state.edu>
Source record: 166466

Please indicate age, condition and price in email.

ron
rlong@osu.edu

2344. Re: Pro-32 Mods? ANY???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3512f544.97757276@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166467

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

aacj@aol.com (AACJ) wrote:

> Anyone know of any mods for the Pro-32 for 800/900 or more channels? Please
> email me direct.

My well-known and well published Extended Memory
mods will work in the PRO-32 to yield anywhere
from 3200 to 12,800 channels. The procedure isn't
something that lends itself to a text file where
you clip a diode and add a resistor. But it will
work in the PRO-32, that's for sure.

If I were you, I'd practice up on taking that
PRO-32 apart and putting it back together. It
ain't the easiest scanner in the world to work on.
And you will need to figure out where to stick
four to six switches of some sort.

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2345. OPTO IS SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbarton73@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eutjm$170@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166468

Opto 456 is sold.

Thanks,

2346. Re: Good Bye John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3514f8d8.98673545@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166469

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

formerly@known-as.3MTA3 (Macaroon) wrote:

> >I decided to slap you back on my Shit List again.

> It's about goddamn time, you instigating ass wipe.

Instigating?

Excuse me. I don't instigate. The very worst I do
is a little trolling once in a while.....but not
unless there are some suckers worth catching.

And "Ass wipe"?

More like Ass Kick. That one idiot knows personally
all about my Size #13EE. It went in so deep it
STILL sticks in his craw. Personal problem, though.

> I was getting tired of correcting the retard.

I can well imagine. It isn't possible to correct
an imbecilic idiot nincompoop. It's a wonder you
didn't strain your liver.

Seriously.......

2347. Re: Mackey Beaten

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3515fa83.99100205@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166470

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

pja <pja@pacifier.com> wrote:

> That Mackey bastard has been beaten down.

How?

Who would be so silly as to whack a steaming dukey?

> He always thought he was so smart shooting
> his mouth off all of the time like a damn childish idiot.

"Like" one? Hah!

> to you forever.

Forever?

I do't know what's happening, but if he got kicked
off of one ISP, he will just go get another one.
He's had so many these past couple of years.

2348. Looking For:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: firecomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032023422001.SAA27155@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166471

Hi

Looking for a old Radio Shack Patrolman Scanner. This is a mobile scanner, which the light roll from left to right. Must be in mint condition.

Thanks Firecomm

2349. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35132944.7BE2@parg.org>
Source record: 166472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Macaroon wrote:

> Good idea. Just sent off a few.

BAD idea, your pathetic complaints are futile!

> Problem is, when John gets canceled, he'll just find another account.

I've NEVER been canceled before so why should I start now?

2350. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <351329C7.7DFD@parg.org>
Source record: 166473

The Cb Guy wrote:

> Why do some people stop at grusome accident scenes?

Don't ask me, go ask some Philosophy Professor.

> Why do some people stick odd objects in certain orifaces?

I'm sure you know alot about that!

> Why did you clip the rest of my post?

Because it was gibberish that made no sense!

2351. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35132AE1.2784@parg.org>
Source record: 166474

I only gave two as an example, there were numerous others.

MAlexder wrote:
> Oh, I see two on-topic posts out of what, 2000?

2352. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35132B3A.4C43@parg.org>
Source record: 166475

On what authority do you have to speak for everyone?

allsafe wrote:

> *Everyone*
> hates your guts. *Everyone* wants to get

2353. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35132A4D.6795@parg.org>
Source record: 166476
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Macaroon wrote:

> I'm waiting. Just like I've been waiting for posts from you since NOVEMBER !

I've been waiting for YOU to identify YOURSELF since before November
but you have continued to act in coward mode & NOT identify yourself.

2354. Re: Good Bye John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35132C85.6055@parg.org>
Source record: 166477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hehehe,

and BILL CHEEK knows about my size #15EEE boot!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> all about my Size #13EE. It went in so deep it
> STILL sticks in his craw. Personal problem, though.

2355. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35132E51.39D7@parg.org>
Source record: 166478

Lot 47 wrote:
> As I have probably complained before, it's damnably embarrassing to live in

bullshit snipped!

You are a pathetic little fool, aren't you!

2356. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35132DAB.4D64@parg.org>
Source record: 166479

Bill Cheek wrote:

> The name of that PARG outfit is, guess what?
> Phantom Amateur Radio Group.

No FOOL, it is "Phantom's Amateur Radio Group, International"!

2357. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35132F05.B4C@parg.org>
Source record: 166480

The Cb Guy wrote:
> You said it shouldn't be used, and then posts were made that disproved
> your one idea. (references to electronics authorities)
> I suppose you'll deny that too?

I don't deny that! There are some people who, like Bill Cheek, really
don't know what they are doing.

But anyway, even if someone did argue the validity of the data within
my post, it was on-topic which was the original accusation you made.
(that it was NOT on-topic).

You better go back to the drawing board & try again!

2358. Re: Doesn't MACKEY have a LIFE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35132F81.7D73@parg.org>
Source record: 166481

OBVIOUSLY, YOU don't have much life as YOU are doing the very
same thing!

pja wrote:
> Doesn't Mackey have a life away the computer. He must
> be answering posts 3 or 4 hours a night.

2359. Re: Mackey Beaten

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35132FC3.329B@parg.org>
Source record: 166482

Really Bill!

How do you figure that?

I have had the same ISP for over a year!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> I do't know what's happening, but if he got kicked
> off of one ISP, he will just go get another one.
> He's had so many these past couple of years.

2360. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35132A11.A7144C99@netwit.com>
Source record: 166483

-John- KA0SSF wrote:

> On what authority do you have to speak for everyone?
>
> allsafe wrote:
>
> > *Everyone*
> > hates your guts. *Everyone* wants to get

I dunno John, it seemed rather obvious. You don't get "atta-boy" replies. Everyone (except your forged personas) has really rotten things to say about you John.

Face it, you're a pathetic and delusional little troll. You do have amusement value. "You're the "Otis" of Mayberry rec.radio.scanner. You're Damon Wayons as the "homeless guy"; filthy and three sheets to the wind, stumbling about with a mayonaise jar of shit and piss tucked under your arm; disgusting most, and amusing the rest with your delusional take on the world."

2361. Re: Blue Angels VHF frquencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sanow <sanow@erinet.com>
Message-ID: <35132BA4.ADEA0B22@erinet.com>
Source record: 166484
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Often they will 'simulcast' both VHF & UHF. Try to get someone who is a pilot to look up the freqa for the airbase in the Airport Facility Directory, or the IFR supplement. Also, plane to plane comm is usually done on a discrete FM channel as opposed to the VHF/UHF AM Air to Air, Ground to Air etc. so that's a whole different ballgame. I don't imagine they give out those freqs willy nilly. However, they usually DO have a practice the day before or maybe 2 days before, on location, so you could go out to the area and do a search/scan. I imagine it would be pretty much line-of-sight reception. Good LUCK!

RB wrote:

> Hi all,
>
> Sorry if this question has been asked to death, but there is to be an air
> show at Davis-Monthan AFB here in Tucson this weekend (3/21-3/22) and the
> Navy Blue Angels will be performing. I was wondering if anyone out there
> knew the air-to-air VHF frquencies the Blue Angels use.
>
> E-mail responses to the address below are prefered because of the short
> timing. Thanks!!
>
> Robert
>
> --

2362. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35132BCF.97B3E2F7@netwit.com>
Source record: 166485

Lot 47 wrote:

> As I have probably complained before, it's damnably embarrassing to live in
> the same burg as J.Mackie.

> (As if Tonya Harding and her gang that couldn't shoot straight weren't bad
> enough ... WE'VE got John Mackie, to boot!) Oh happy day - FUCK!

What burg would that be? I wouldn't mind dropping by Mackey's squalid little dwelling; to converse on similar interests.

2363. Re: BCXLT 2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A.T. Domonkos" <domonkos@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35133070.43F9FF5B@erols.com>
Source record: 166486

I thought all the 2500's were cell-restorable.

Andy

HH wrote:

> BCXLT need freqs for image 800 cell, thanks.
>
> ncornett@7cities.net

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==========
My Sony FD-7 Digital Photo Webpage: http://www.erols.com/domonkos

While there, follow links to my Astro Photo Pages...
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2364. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rimshot <hihat@bang.com>
Message-ID: <6evbof$jf@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 166487
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hans Holm wrote in message ...
>I believe that William is correct.

You are right.
William is correct.
--
Rimshot
>
>William McGuire wrote in message <35117F39.308B33D3@interlog.com>...
>>Dave ,
>>I think you should get your facts straight, it is not illegal to monitor
>>telephones transmitted over the radio in Canada,but it is illegal to
>>tell any one about the conversation you hear.
>>
>>73 de Bill , VE3YPM
>
>
>

2365. Re: Internal Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathy De Viney <cdeviney@ipa.net>
Message-ID: <35128C1E.B7779791@ipa.net>
Source record: 166488

You can attach a cassette adapter, from the earphone or external speaker
jack, to play through a cassette player, if you have one. There is also
a mono to stereo adapter ($2) that is helpful, so you can hear it out of
all the speakers in your vehicle, not just one side.

BFoy wrote:
>
> Flipper wrote:
> >
> > To All,
> >
> > Can anyone tell me if there is a scanner that has a internal speaker larger
> > or louder then the one's Bearcat, Radio Shack, Uniden, etc? I drive a semi
> > and it is very hard for me to hear what is being broadcast. I know that I
> > can use a external speaker and even a headphone. But due to the fact they I
> > drive Hazmat my company will not allow me to use these external products..
> >
> > Thanks
> >
> > Scan Man
>
> Hi Scan Man:
>
> My only suggestion is to wire an external speaker to boost that audio.
> I have 2 Bearcats and when that little signal is amplified, the sound
> is unbelievable. You forget you have a small handheld next to you.
>
> Good Luck and happy scanning,
> Bill

2366. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <35134C10.72A5@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hehehe,

so you think!

The fido system I was on DID NOT allow file attachments, they were
cut from the message they were attached to & only the message itself
was passed thru! This was done to prevent trouble makers LIKE YOU
from doing what you just admitted to!

drago wrote:
> It was more fun when John was posting through FidoNet, sending him and
> the Fido sysops HUGH files was a great way to impress the sysop who
> was letting him post. :-)

2367. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <35134CEA.674C@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166490

allsafe wrote:

> I dunno John, it seemed rather obvious. You don't get "atta-boy"
> replies.

Hardly true, for example "Compania" & "Brian Reed" both made recent
posts supporting me and there have been numerous others.

Sounds like you are talking out your ass, AGAIN.

2368. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <35134D39.2D41@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166491

Yea, right, you are ONE person. The same person who was argueing
that AOL is a really good ISP!

hhehehehehehhahahahaahaha

The Cb Guy wrote:
> He speaks for me.....I hate you!!!

2369. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <35134DBE.128F@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166492

What evidence or proof do you have to support your statement, Blake?

Blake Bowers wrote:
> John, there are literally HUNDREDS of people after you to get you to
> change your ways.

2370. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charlie Warfield, Jr." <charlie66@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <6evfld$ar2$1@nntp0.milwaukee.wi.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166493

-John- KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Yes it is unbelievable. You must be blind in
> > one eye and unable to see out of the other.
>
> Typical Bill Cheek. Somone posts a polite message & Bill
> responds with insult!
>
> How sad Bill is!

I used to be a regular on here but got out of the habit many months ago when I grew tired of the Cheek-Mackey pablum. It seems I haven't missed much.

To chime in on "Who are 'Bill' and 'John'":

Bill is a self-righteous creep who is lucky to have the technical expertise he does, because sure as flies on shit he aint makin' it on personality. He's the kind of guy they had in mind when they invented the term "road rage". He's the kind of guy who arrives late at a party and then tells everyone he's late because he was busy performing the world's first brain transplant or similar heroic feat. The three words that describe him best are: "what a jag!" The reason he likes himself so much is because no one else does.

John, and I admit I am just speculating here, is a retired and/or unemployed old bastard with waayyy too much time on his hands. He's the kind of guy who waits on hold for half an hour for a phone company billing rep so he can get an eight cent refund on a wrong number call. He's the kind of guy who still broods because some schoolyard bully punched him out 50 years ago. He's the kind of guy that calls the police and demands they immidiately race over with lights a-blazin' when a car with a loud muffler comes down his street at 11 pm. Nothing is too petty or insignificant for John, and he never, ever lets anything go and gets on with his fruitless, meaningless, pointless, lifeless life.

I'll check back here again in about 4-6 months to see if there's anyone still on this NG besides Bill & John.

Later...

2371. Re: bc142xl mods- Know any?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dude <lawdude678@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6esdo8$jfa@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166508

Pat: Yes the bc142xl has instant weather and priority features. If you need any specifics let me know and i'll try my best to get it for ya. I appreciate yer post and am logging off to give it a try now :) I dont have e-mail (or at least dont know that I do) so we'll have to chat in posts.

With gratitude,

Dude

Patrick J Neary wrote: <snip>
Does your scanner have a priority and or instant weather button?

2372. PA Fish Commission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marty(smiley)" <martyrip@ptdprolog.net>
Message-ID: <3511C10B.7396@ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 166509

I'm looking for input PL TONES for 44.960Rpt./45.300Input

@ @ N3PTU
^ 73's from Marty (Smiley)
___/ Email martyrip@ptdprolog.net

Pennsylvania Fish Commission

45.040 PL 136.5 F-1 Admin
44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5 F-2
44.840 PL 141.3 F-3 Common Channel
44.700 PL 136.5 F-4
45.440 PL 136.5
45.000 PL 136.5
45.300/
42.600 PL 136.5 F-10
On All Repeater outputs PL are 136.5 Fish Commission uses DIFFERING input
CTCSS (PL) tones for various area F-2 repeater
as follows:

WPAG268 CRADFORD CTY AT INT OF TWO TWP RDS WAYLAND CRAWFORD
WNYT804 RT 408 1 1/2 MI E TOWNVILLE CRAWFORD
WNAR622 HEIBLE RD RD 5 GREEN TWP ERIE ERIE
141.3 WNKE680 HAYS LOOKOUT TOWER STATE FOREST KITTANNING JEFFERSON
WNJB200 PENNDOT MAINTENANCE BLDG RT 258 MERCER MERCER
WNJB200 RT 337 10.5 MI S WARREN WARREN
KNIH871 599 BOLTON ST PITTSBURGH ALLEGHENY
KNIH868 FORBES STATE FOREST KOOSER JEFFERSON SOMERSET
KNIH872 CENTER HALL MOUNTAIN TRAILER PARK CENTRE HALL CENTRE
KNJR809 ROCKTON TWR ELLIOTT STATE PK CLEARFIELD CLEARFIELD
WNRF654 CHERRY SPRINGS ABBOTT TWP POTTER
WNJB200 TRI CO. SITE GAME LANDS 73 RT 162 3 MARTINSBURG BEDFORD
KNIS319 CLARKS KNOB U. STRASBURG FRANKLIN
WNKE680 ROBWOOD MT. E RT 220 SE OF GAME LAMONROETON BRADFORD
192.8 WNAG965 SHAFFERS PATH ARMSTRONG LYCOMING
KNIH867 PENOBSCOT MOUNTAIN WILKES BARRE LUZERNE
WNAG966 HIGH KNOB BLOOMING GROVE PIKE
141.3 KNIS318 MOUNT PENN L.ALSACE TWP BERKS
136.5 WNJB200 BOWMANS HILL CROSSING WASHINGTON CROSS BUCKS
186.2 KNIH869 PETERS MOUNTAIN HALIFAX DAUPHIN
218.1 WNBV865 1 MI NE HOLT WOOD MARTIC TWP LANCASTER
156.7 WNKE680 LITTLE GAP BLUE MT. 3 MI SE PALMERTON LEHIGH

Southwestern Region

F27 Supervisor F36 Armstrong
F28 Asst. Supervisor F37 Indiana
F29 Reserved F38 Westmoreland
F30 Beaver F39 Fayette
F31 Washington F40 Cambria
F32 Greene F41 Somerset
F33 Allegheny, South F42 Three Rivers
F34 Allegheny, North
F35 Allegheny, East

Southcentral Region

F56 Supervisor F63 Juniata / Mifflin
F57 Asst. Supervisor F64 Perry
F58 Reserved F65 Cumberland
F59 Blair F66 Adams
F60 Bedford F67 York
F61 Huntingdon F85 Daulphin
F62 Franklin / Fulton F86 Lebanon

2373. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3511c5ac.3123438@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166510

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 17:53:45 -0800, *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
wrote:

>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
>> John Mackey is the resident village idiot and
>> troublemaker. He has been stalking Bill Cheek electronically for the
>> last two years.
>
>
>Not true.
>
>Infact, Cheek has OPENLY admitted on this NG that he intentially
>took me OUT of HIS KILLFILE so that he could start attacking me!
>(would you like me to post that message?)

Yes, and INFACT the reason you were in his killfile originally was
because you would attack him on here if he said the word "boo".
You are an idiot MACKEY, but folks don't need to believe me to get
proof, all they need to do is read your posts.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

2374. Re: bc142xl mods- Know any?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dude <lawdude678@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6esha8$e2g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166511

Pat :-(Unfortunatly I dont have that diode. While I do have the same processor, the 142 only has a black wire that crosses it. That wire does not attach (at least not visably) to the processor. Guess Im stuck with 10 chs.

dude

2375. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dude <lawdude678@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6esi38$e2g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166512

NO!!! yer stuck in scanner hell 4 life =-)

John Prall <johnpr@gwtc.net> wrote in article
<01bd535e$4b5a9220$0e06010a@JOHNPR.gwtc.net>...
> Please unsubscribe
>

2376. Re: Probe 4.0 review

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Knut Otterbeck <otterbec@online.no>
Message-ID: <3511D296.3C93A40B@online.no>
Source record: 166513

I agree this looks to be the next winner :)

Great effort, Mr.Joseph!

Regards,
Knut Otterbeck

Steve Hancock wrote:
>
> Greetings,
>
> I have some comments posted on Probe 4.0 on my web page.
> Looks like a nice upgrade!
>
> Can find it at http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006
>
> Steve
>
> --
> +---+
> | Steve Hancock, N3FWE stevehan@ptd.net |
> | Dynamic IP for Chat: http://home.ptd.net/~stevehan |
> | The Pro-2006/Probe Home Page http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006 |
> | "The Truth is Out There" |
> +---+

2377. Trade 128 meg RAM for ham stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@joe.com
Message-ID: <3511d142.358896869@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166514

Trade 128 meg RAM for ham stuff

tpe@ix.netcom.com

2378. Re: APCO Project 25 - Standards for Public Safety Digital Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980320023340001.VAA27985@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166515

>Is this anything like the sh*tty system Kansas City, MO got stuck with? All
>I know is it's Ericcson and the toy walkie-talkies at RS work better ;).
>
>

Nope. Ericcson (GE) is not participating in APCO-25. We've had an APCO-25 CAI system up and running for about 8 months now and All of our users are extremely pleased. In defense of the 800 mHz trunked systems, whoever the manufacturer, most of the problems I've heard of have involved either a poor system design, or more than likely, the powers that be have cut back on the design in order to save money.

Bill Ford, WB5SXK
Systems Administrator
City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net

2379. Re: Why the BS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3512da3d.8389262@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166516

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 19:35:23 -0800, *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
wrote:

>You responded to messages I wrote regarding the use of WD-40 as contact
>cleaner & SWR issues.
>
>Are you know denying you did this?
>
>
>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>> No, I did *not* confirm you've made relevant posts,

You said it shouldn't be used, and then posts were made that disproved
your one idea. (references to electronics authorities)
I suppose you'll deny that too?

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

2380. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3513dad0.8536682@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166517

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 19:37:42 -0800, *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
wrote:

>The Cb Guy wrote:
>> Yes, and INFACT the reason you were in his killfile originally was
>> because you would attack him on here if he said the word "boo".
>
>You are full of shit but I'll make this entertaining & try your
>side of the arguement. IF you statement above is true, then WHY
>did he take me out of the kill file?
Why do some people stop at grusome accident scenes?
Why do some people stick odd objects in certain orifaces?
Because they do.
>
>
>> You are an idiot MACKEY,
>
>You can't answer my above question can you!!!!! I guess that makes YOU
>the idiot!
Why did you clip the rest of my post?...the part about YOU proving to
us all what an IDIOT you are.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

2381. Re: MACKEY - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3514de96.9502266@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166518

Good example you twit...this is exactly why you get into killfiles to
begin with.

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 19:47:00 -0800, *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
wrote:

>> *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>> > You can NOT defend yourself or give a
>> > credible answer to the question. Instead
>> > you give an answer with insult intended by
>> > using the letters "stupid" FOUR times. YOU
>> > TOTALLY side-stepped the question, as you have done
>> > for the last TWO years!
>
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>Bill Cheek wrote:
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>> can't ask a straight question, much less
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>Once again BILL CHEEK you show how stupid you
>are! I have stated the same question TWICE & you still
>can't understand? Everyone else can so why can't YOU?
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>The reason you can't is because YOU, BILL CHEEK, are a STUPID
>BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!
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>Again, you can't find anything REAL to defend yourself with
>so you use your little school yard type name calling. You
>used teh "hermie" thing FOUR times.
>
>Obviously, you are desperate!

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

2382. Savannah police frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: akaewood@hargray.com
Message-ID: <6esn58lrr1@news2.infoave.net>
Source record: 166519

Need Savannah, GA police frequencies.

Thanks for your assistance.

Ed

2383. EMBASSY FQ???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: honestbobs@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032003273500.WAA05803@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166520

Looking for U S Embassy fq. on low band 5 to 30 mhz.
Are they all secured ? OR IN THE CLEAR ?
Is there a web site ?
please email to honestbobs@aol.com

thanks
BOB

2384. FS- Sony Pro-80 handheld SW/VHF scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6esnnt$92g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166521
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have two (2) Sony Pro-80s for sale. They are both in excellent
cosmetic and electrical condition. Each comes with the original
manual, VHF adaptor, leather carrying case, battery holder, nicads,
and antenna. Would like to sell for $175 each + actual shipping cost.

For those unfamiliar with the Pro-80, here are some basics:

* Handheld battery operated unit
* 40 memories in any combination of sw/am/fm/vhf freqs.
* 3 scan modes.
* Am narrow/wide mode
* Fm narrow/wide mde
* Upper/Lower ssb mode with knob adjustment
* Fine tunning control
* Tone hi/low
* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.

2385. the bc9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: icrm <icrmx@ihugu.co.nz>
Message-ID: <3512EBD4.74CE@ihugu.co.nz>
Source record: 166522

can anyone detail modifications that are possible with the ubc9000, I have the 580-760 'cripple'. I am also interested in any undocumented features. thanks ianm

2386. FS:Pro-2045 with discrim output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeshivet@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032004130901.XAA16429@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166523

Hello
I have for sale a Pro -2045
features include
reception counter
beep disable
ctcss capable
weather alert
search and store feature
discriminator output
vfo knob
military air coverage
data skip
automatic sorting
no cell coverage that I know of
plus more
brand new condition with box and manual plus other goodies
300.00 includes ground shipping in con US.
please use private e-mail
jeshivet@aol.com

2387. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <3512015D.BEAF3E61@mich.com>
Source record: 166524

To complain about any irrelevent Usenet posts by Mackey, forward the
offending post & your complaint message to:

webmaster@parg.org
mscott@teleport.com

Most importantly, complain to abuse@sprintisp.com That's the
system that he posts most of his irrelevent material via, even though
he's set up his posts to show a couple different return mail addresses.

Prevention is better than cure.

-John- KA0SSF wrote:

> The CB Guy wrote:
> > Why the change in the "from" in your e-mail Mackey....??
> > Trying to weasel out of the hundreds of kill filters you're in?
>
> No FOOL that is the problem people have with YOU, not me.
>
> I am experimenting with different spam filters, by using different
> addresses, I can see how well each one works!
>
> I doubt you are smart enough to understand.

--
Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

2388. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <35120179.DBD24D45@mich.com>
Source record: 166525

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-John- KA0SSF wrote:

> > *-John_Mackey-* KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> > > You can NOT defend yourself or give a
> > > credible answer to the question. Instead
> > > you give an answer with insult intended by
> > > using the letters "stupid" FOUR times. YOU
> > > TOTALLY side-stepped the question, as you have done
> > > for the last TWO years!
>
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>
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http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

2389. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <3512012B.E937B926@mich.com>
Source record: 166526
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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> away from your OBVIOUS guilt!

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Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

2390. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wnewkirk@iu.net
Message-ID: <W3mQ.385$bF1.1910924@news1.atlantic.net>
Source record: 166527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

In <OcFRiopU9GA.267@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>, dac_nospam@compuserve.com (Don Curtis) writes:
>phone, not an analog one. But, that doesn't change the concept that just
>because something is there...that it's yours to use (or listen to) at will.
>Don

then you have to keep your signals away from my detection equipment.

the old rules of don't divulge what you heard were reasonable even for today. didn't make anyone a criminal for owning an 83 channel TV set (covers and can receive cell radio just fine..)

2391. Re: digital mode scanners, are they available (or will they ever be?)???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: DoctorsAreGreedyBastards@NoInsurance.net
Message-ID: <35120736.51928117@news1.lig.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166528

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 16:27:08 GMT, barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au (Barry
O'Grady) wrote:

>Eric Oyen <n7zzt@psn.net> wrote:
>
>:I am reading with interest the fact that some cities are now going 100%
>:digital on all their city services... Is there a scanner that will be
>:made for these new services, or will congress (in its infinite wisdom)
>:dash any hopes for future scannists (through the passage of laws)?????
>:
>:IF so, is there also a possibility of converting existing technology to
>:the future modes?
>
>No
>
>
>
>
>:
>:Eric.
>
>====================================
>To reply via email please remove the Xs from my
>return address.
NO not yet but you can bet somebody like the former Soviet Union in
need of cash very badly will be black marketing the suckers soon. The
russians are already selling tons of formerly top secret surveillance
stuff to whom ever wants it. Cameras that have no purpose but spying
are a nifty item you can pick up cheaply in the Russian federation
too!.

2392. Re: Bob Grove testimony

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Benjamin F. Hawkins" <bhawk41145@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6et2bv$n6d@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166529

Dear Mike and Group:

Some enterprising folks have already done that. They are called the Libertarian political party. I think there might be three or four members, counting myself. Most people are more afraid of the unknown (Liberty) than they are of the known (Oppression).

Best regards to all.
Ben Hawkins

Mike NRA <mikenra@aol.com> wrote in article
<1998031905302700.AAA01626@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> In article <synman-ya023480000503981616550001@news2.transport.com>,
> synman@ramparts.com (Lot 47) writes:
>
> >You know, that's really a good point.
> >We are pretty much one and the same people, gun owners and radio owners.
> >Not all of course, but I'd wager a majority of "us" own and use both.
It's
> >really a shame we don't have as politically savvy an organization as the
> >NRA to front our battles in Congress.
> >
> >
>
> Excellent point Sir. The anti freedom forces attack on a number of
fronts,
> Guns, Scanners, Smoking, BBQ'ing, etc. Perhaps some enterprising group of
> people will band together to form a group to protect the rights of us
scanner
> enthusiasts.
> Mike NRA
>
> "Better people be distressed by my freedom than my oppression" - Mike NRA
> National Rifle Association Life Member
>

2393. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351211f8.39560537@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166530

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Synman@cyber.org (Lot 47) wrote:

> So Mr. Mackie- you changed your name again- no biggie, it's just one more
> killfile...

It's easy to put Mackey and all his derivatives
on a Shit List. Just filter anything and everything
from PARG.ORG, including his call sign and last name.

The name of that PARG outfit is, guess what?

Phantom Amateur Radio Group. And it is a den
infested with vermin, critters, and other denizens
of moist, dark, dank places.

Remember the old saying, "Birds of a feather flock
together"? Well, that's ol Smacksie and his PARG
gooooooood buddies. No harm in filtering anything
that comes out of that pustule of humanity........

2394. FS: Uniden Bearcat BC100XLT Handheld Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35121F94.1275@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166531
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Uniden Bearcat Handheld Scanner

Features: -New NiCd Battery Pack
-(1) VHF Rubberduck Antenna
-(1) UHF Rubberduck Antenna
-Earphone (extra length)
-Wall Charger
-Original Case

The radio has had some use and I'm proud to say, I've taken good care of it over the years. Everything works perfectly.

I'm asking $100.00 for this beauty. It is a very useful radio and will give you more years of quality scanning.

Please EMAIL me or CALL me at (305)895-4355 between the hours of 10:00am & 9:00pm.

73,
Bill

2395. Re: Make Your Own Cable TV Decrambler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Alan, VE3NNM" <nomail@nosite.com>
Message-ID: <6eta9gsqu2@newsbell.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 166532

me@this.net (Some Dude) wrote:
>
>
> Tired of paying for prremium channels every month? You too can make
> your own notch filter-type descrambler is a matter of minutes! The
> only tools required are a screwdriver & soldering iron. For full
> details, send an inquiry and $3 to:
>
<snip>

Or to get the same info (and more) for free, check out:

http://free.prohosting.com/~elin/

2396. Re: Garden State Parkway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog1427@erols.com
Message-ID: <35124D22.8735842F@erols.com>
Source record: 166533

Try 866.562 for the GSP and 867.762 for the turnpike if you do not have a trunk tracker. Even though it's a trunk system they seem to always come up on these same freqs.
Michael

2397. Shuttle freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: pglea58161@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032012365401.HAA25449@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166534

Hi,

I'm trying to find the best freqs to monitor for Space Shuttle launches and would really like some advice on it. I'm going to be using an 800 MH scanner from the Bahamas.

Pglea58161@aol.com

2398. Re: Radio Shack Robots (was: Re: Radio Shack Rip Off)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032012544101.HAA29202@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166535

In article <350DDB82.C58BEA1B@tir.com>, mike <mikel@tir.com> writes:

>I have worked for them for almost 5 years and never made under $50,000 per
>year......the ones that used to work for us are the ones that could not cut
>it in
>the commision world (sour grapes)
>oh ya my store mgr and district mgr love me.......

Good for you ! Your store must have a lot more volume than mine, as you make more than our store manager. Maybe the original post was by someone who had an a$$ for a store manager or district manager.

I am happy to hear that you are doing so well, but I don't think that most people can do as well as that, especially in lower volume stores. By using the standard R/S commission formula of 6% of gross sales (no SPIFF's), to earn that $50,000 per year that you get, requires you to sell $16,000 a week, or $3,200 a day ! Hell, we don't even sell $3,200 in a week at times ! Now, if you are in a mall store or get lucky enough to sell a computer EVERY day I guess you are set. (Clculations based on working 5 days a week, 52 weeks a year

I think it was kind of unfair of you to infer that those who "can't cut it" have sour grapes, they just don't have a store that has the customer base yours does. Now, tell me, does everyone in your store do as well as you ? Does your store really have that much business ? I mean, you are selling over $800,000 worth of product alone ! That means, that if there is just one more guy like you, plus the store manager, that your store does over two million dollars a year in sales ! Your district manager SHOULD love you ! What store are you at, I want a transfer ! Wait, you are in Michigan, never mind, too cold, too much snow :-)

2399. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <351b6678.2480601@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 166536

>Again, you can't find anything REAL to defend yourself with
>so you use your little school yard type name calling. You
>used teh "hermie" thing FOUR times.
>
>Obviously, you are desperate!

Are you not smart enough to use the filter function of your newsreader? I am, and I thought I had you filtered out once, but I guess you changed your name; now I have to do it again to keep your puerile prepubescent postings from appearing. Sheesh!<tm>

2400. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@geta.life
Message-ID: <3518634b.2326161@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 17:46:58 -0800, *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>Bill-
>
>How sad that you can find NOTHING to give you a credible defense,

Look who's talking, you IDIOT!!!

2401. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@geta.life
Message-ID: <35196381.2380527@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166538
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 17:48:28 -0800, *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>> And that's how we proved some of your lunacy postings were truly yours even when
>> you followed them up with comments like: "The following is a forgery".
>
>hehehehe, others were pointing out the OBVIOUS things that conflict with
>messages originating from ME. YOU were to stupid to understand!

How do you explain the same NNTP posting host, same Message-ID and same Path
lines ?

Go ahead, loony, give it a shot. This should be, yet another, creative lie on
your part.

I'm waiting. Just like I've been waiting for posts from you since NOVEMBER !

>> You are retarded.
>
>You must be looking in a mirror.

Did you learn that in grade school today, little johnny ? Are the other kids
picking on you again ?

2402. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@geta.life
Message-ID: <351a641c.2534809@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hey - only 3 today, moron. Any ideas what that might be ?

-John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>YOU should try in sometime. Please make it VERY soon!
>
>
>Macaroon wrote:
>> Have YOU ever heard of shutting your pie-hole ?

2403. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@geta.life
Message-ID: <351b644b.2582752@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166540
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Good idea. Just sent off a few.

Problem is, when John gets canceled, he'll just find another account. Remember, he already did that with some northwest provider for a week or so to try and be anonymous and it blew up in his face.

Hey - if it stops him for a week or 2, it's worth it.

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>> away from your OBVIOUS guilt!

2404. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nomad <NOMAD@NOSPAM.COM>
Message-ID: <351271F1.E2FAA2C3@NOSPAM.COM>
Source record: 166541

HUH?

John Prall wrote:

> please unsubscribe

2405. FS:ICOM R1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: chumbucket <Xhojo9X@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3512716E.EDD@earthlink.net>
Source record: 166542

I have one of these units new in box with leather skin,extra AA battery pack.No blocks.Best Offer hojo9@earthlink.net

2406. Covers 150 khz - 108 MHZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ett76$mi6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166543
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 03:30:37 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
(Kin Ho) wrote:

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>* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
>* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
>* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.

2407. Re: One last letter to my senators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbrutis1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032118022100.NAA11130@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166295

In article <6epmor$a73$1@quasar.dimensional.com>, "Eric F. Richards"
<efricha@flatland.dimensional.com> writes:

>I ask that you not be swayed by the Cellular Telephone Industry Association
>and other interests in this: Banning radio reception will not solve this
>problem; strong encryption is an excellent solution.

Will someone tell me how they hope to enforce this bs law? There's no way.
There will always be ways to get around any of these so called laws. Why waste
the time? The cordless & cell phones that are supposedly scanner proof?
Best joke I've heard in years.

tbrutis1@aol.com

That's because the #1 Fan of the AA Eastern League Binghamton Mets said so

2408. Re: Pro 2042 & Programmit question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <3514025F.451BD006@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 166296

MAlexder wrote:

> I presume that you looked at the Programmit web site? Also, I'm sure that John
> M. can give you any info you need. He's also wrote an article for Nuts and
> Volts about this project, which may be helpful.
> http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/index.html

Thanks for the info MAlexder. I ordered a reprint of the article, but Far Circuits didnt' include it with my order... I'll have to email them or something. Of course I've taken a look at the web site. The picture that confuses <g> me most is on http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/article2.htm . It shows an opened 2032 scanner on its side with 15 wires conecting it to a naked Porgrammit interface. Surely that's not how John is currently using the scanner! I just want to get some good info before I start cutting holes in (hacking up) the back of my scanner.

Thanks,

Chris Stankevitz

2409. AR1500 (carrying case wanted)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tudedog@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6f0s07$8tr$1@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 166297

Is there a source for heavier duty carrying cases for AOR products?
Unable to find the Grove page. Thanks.

2410. Border patrol

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <35140B3D.8F86C3BE@ncia.net>
Source record: 166298

I live in northern NH and we have a BP office near here and the border
is close by.I am looking for the primary freq. that they might be useing
.thanks

2411. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032118501700.NAA18882@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166299

>Subject: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?
>From: twinsradio@aol.com (TwinsRadio)
>Date: Sat, Mar 21, 1998 11:34 EST
>Message-id: <1998032116342900.LAA23228@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
>I came here looking for scanner information. All I'm finding is useless
>rubbage of a personal and argumentive nature between these two blokes.
>Worthless.

Gee, does that mean we can't count on you either to provide useful information?

2412. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980321190751O1.OAA21741@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166300

>> Are they affiliated with NAMBLA?
>
>National Association of Mentally Blanked Lame Asinines?
>
>Yes, that's the one.
>
>

And who is the Chair of this organization? None other than

BUTT CHEEKS himself

2413. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980321191211101.OAA22458@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166301

>Subject: My confession.
>From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSP&#65533;Mrg.org>
>Date: Sat, Mar 21, 1998 15:41 EST
>Message-id: <351425EB.136A@paNOSPAMrg.org>
>
>

Close, but NO STOGIE

Definately a forgery. Chicken shit bastards like you should come out of the closet and show your face

Nice try, but the header gave you away

hehehehehe

2414. Re: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS good/bad --What works best for cordless fre

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032119130001.OAA22572@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166302

Look, if you really want the best, the go to a commercial two-way radio shop and have them order a VHF-Lo band antenna specifically matched to 49MHz. It won't be the cheapest route, but it should be the best. You can also get a 102-inch metal whip for CB (27MHz) and cut it down to match the 49MHz range.

Discones are good antennas if you want to cover a wide range of frequencies, but they offer no "gain" or amplification of the signal. Groundplanes, on the other hand, increase the signal, but are good for only one frequency range, unless they use electronic traps or mulitiple elements to increase their coverage.

JW

2415. Help a sailor smile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Quayle <quayle@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3514124E.28DC@pacbell.net>
Source record: 166303
Cross-posted to: alt.military.police,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio-shack,local.valdosta.forsale,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Hello! My name is Doug Quayle, and I've got a good buddy of mine on the U.S.S. John C. Stennis, our USN Aircraft Carrier presently floating in the Gulf, wishing he were wearing a GREEN uniform (hehehe).

Anyway, playing the waiting game over there can't be all that fun, so all of the friends and family of the Stennis Battle Group that are on the net have decided to boost the morale of the boys & girls next month. We'd appreciate your support as well.

We ask that you "snail" mail (i.e. via the disgruntled postal worker's union) a letter or a postcard to:

Any Sailor
U.S.S. John C. Stennis (CVN-74)
FPO AE 09542-2874

And mail this note ON APRIL 1st. The idea is to innundate the ship with mail over a 2-3 day period. Mail call to a sailor is usually a little more important than to those of us on dry land, so we figure it'll really make their day to hear some words of encouragement, support, or the latest Monica Lewinsky joke, from someone American.

Our goal is to get a letter to EVERY sailor, and the Stennis is a BIG ship, so we need help.

Thanks a bunch;

d.q.

2416. Re: AR1500 (carrying case wanted)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcj99@mail.removethis.idt.net
Message-ID: <351417cc.4123001@news.idt.net>
Source record: 166304

>Unable to find the Grove page. Thanks.

http://www.grove-ent.com/grove/hmpgcat.html

2417. Re: digital mode scanners, are available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lidstrom <jlidstrom@accessone.com>
Message-ID: <3514200E.469D5B83@accessone.com>
Source record: 166305
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

to call a Motorola Astro a scanner is .....a bit of a stretch. The Astro
is
a full blown top drawer public safety portable, needs to be externally
programmed by SOMEONE ELSE (lessin' ya'll got the software key)
and will do a wonderful job of listening to digital audio until they
encryption
key is changed.
But then, so will my Soundblaster Awe64. Or so I'm told.
John

Rimshot wrote:

> Jack wrote in message <35163544.25454286@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>
> >>I have, and use, a digital scanner. It is called a Motorola Astro
> >>Mobile.
> > >
> > >Check out:
> > >http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/8539/GSMINDEX.HTM
> > >
> > >very interesting...
> >
> Okay, has anyone heard of this?
> Very interesting indeed
> --
> Rimshot

2418. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6f17rk$6fk@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166306
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In <6euonk$q7o@news.Hawaii.Edu> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
writes:
>
>CHARLES MANDUS <cdmandus@pgh.nauticom.net> wrote:
>>Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
>
>>: That the government might be monitoring phone calls doesn't bother
>>: me in the least. Individual rights has to take a back seat to
national
>>: security, in my opinion. Feel free to disagree in an intellectual
manner.
>
>>You may feel that way until the day when they break down your door.
Some
>
>Doubtful that would happen, for my door is open whenever I'm at home
>(it gets quite warm here in Hawaii). I'd give the authorities full
>access to my home anytime they so desired entry.
>
>What's ironic here is that if martial law were ever declared, it might
>be *me* breaking down *your* door!
>
>Jeff KH2PZ

Does your grass hut have air conditioning
and a built-in toilet?

or are you up on Tantalus somewhere?

remembah: many episodes of Hawaii 5-0
filmed up dat place...

mahalo

bill conduit
etc.

2419. Re: Pro 2042 & Programmit question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Montalbano <jrmont@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <35145685.7A17@iquest.net>
Source record: 166307
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Chris Stankeviz wrote:
>
> Howdy...
>
> Just took a look around inside the 2042 for my anticipated installation
> of the Programmit interface next week (found CN503, etc)...[you can
> imagine my surprise when I found my channels ERASED after I put the
> thing back together! YUCK!].

You will be able to program them back very easily once you have
PROgramit installed :-)
>
> My question is this: How should I connect my Programmit circuit with the
> scanner? I purchased the etched board from Far Circuits. I suppose I
> could scotch-tape the board to the outside of the scanner and have 17
> wires going through a hole on the top of the scanner... but I want this
> project to be *different*! :-)

If you purchased the parallel PCB the project you can be made to look
like it belongs in the scanner if you carefully nibble a hole in the
rear panel for the DB25 connector. The two screws that hold the DB-25
are suffient to support the PCB inside the scanner. Be sure to keep
metal filings out of the PCB traces.

If you purchased the serial PCB you will need to find or make a
bracket(s) to mount the PCB to the rear panel. I cut and bent up a spare
PC blank panel for this. You might also find some nice brackets that can
be removed from a DB-25 connector. I recommend a panel mount RCA
connector for the data connection.

For either board, you could install four hex standoffs in the corners
and mount the board to the bottom or top half of the plastic case. You
could route the ribbon cable for the parallel connection between the
plastic case and metal chassis or out through a vent hole.

Let me know if I can help further. Good Luck
>
> If anyone has any pictures (or words), I'd love to see 'em!
>
> Thanks,
>
> Chris Stankevitz
> cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu
> (don't forget to remove NOSPAM)

2420. Re: bc142xl mods- Know any?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick J Neary <pjneary.dont@spam-me.cs.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <6f1acd$7kp$1@prometheus.acsu.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 166308

dude <lawdude678@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

: well- I clipped that lead and notta. No apparent differences. I tryed
: scanning and manually dialing channels and it still will only take 10.
: Suggestions?

are you sure everything still works? did you check the priority and instant weather buttons while the wire was cut? I guess we need specifics now about the boards... I'll start with mine, and compare with your 142.. lets start with the keypad wiring harness. the wiring harness for the keypad has nine wires, colored brown,red,orange,yellow,pink,blue,violet,white,black from left to right. the wiring harness for the display is 11 wires, colored brown,red, orange,yellow,pink,blue,violet,gray,white,black,and pink from left to right. Now for details around the processor. just to the left of the display connector there are two resistors, both 560 ohms, continuing left, there is a solder pad that is unlabeled with a circle on the point closer to the processor, and a line runnning south to the other point. The cathode end of the diode i clipped is in soldered in the point with the white circle around it. Continuing left, the next two componentes are diodes labelled D46 and D47 on the board, and they are both installed on my 140. Continuing left, there are two resistors bith 220 ohms, then a capactitor thats marked 472, and the black wire which is what I think you cut. I apologize to you at this point, because I did not remember this wire being here when I told you to cut it. You should re attach this wire, as its connected on my 140. If you follow this black wire to the other end, it attaches to the main board near diodes D37, D38, D39, and D40, which are all installed on my 140. Now, having told this, one or more of those diodes that I mentioned may or may not be installed in your 142. Uniden uses these diodes to add or delete functionality to the processor. There are also three more diodes you should compare... To the left of the keypad harness, there are three more diodes, D25, D26, and D27.

So, compare these diodes in your 142, and tell me which ones are not installed in yours. You might also find diodes that I haven't mentioned that you should report to me, labelled or not. If they aren't labelled, just give me their general location near some other component.

Well, that's a lot to chew on.. Have you figured out email yet? These messages are gettin kinda long to be transmitting all over usenet.

--Patrick (pjneary at cs dot buffalo dot edu)
--

Patrick James Neary Computer Science Major
SUNY at Buffalo Computer Science Undergraduate Lab Consultant
pjneary@cs.buffalo.edu http://www.cs.buffalo.edu/~pjneary

2421. PRO-64 restorable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: geoenviro@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980321213619 00.QAA12039@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166309

Is the RS PRO-64 cellular restorable? Any other comments?

2422. Re: Blue Angels VHF frquencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanist@acmenet.net
Message-ID: <6f0r64$84j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166310
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I have 275.350 as the Blue Angels freq.
They put on a show at the Schenectady Co. Airport every
three years or so and this freq. works every time.
SeeYa,
Eddie Kosloski
scanist@acmenet.net

In article <35132BA4.ADEA0B22@erinet.com>,
Steve Sanow <sanow@erinet.com> wrote:
>
> Often they will 'simulcast' both VHF & UHF. Try to get someone who is a
> pilot to look up the freqa for the airbase in the Airport Facility Directory,
> or the IFR supplement. Also, plane to plane comm is usually done on a
> discrete FM channel as opposed to the VHF/UHF AM Air to Air, Ground to Air
> etc. so that's a whole different ballgame. I don't imagine they give out
> those freqs willy nilly. However, they usually DO have a practice the day
> before or maybe 2 days before, on location, so you could go out to the area
> and do a search/scan. I imagine it would be pretty much line-of-sight
> reception. Good LUCK!
>
> RB wrote:
>
> > Hi all,
> >
> > Sorry if this question has been asked to death, but there is to be an air
> > show at Davis-Monthan AFB here in Tucson this weekend (3/21-3/22) and the
> > Navy Blue Angels will be performing. I was wondering if anyone out there
> > knew the air-to-air VHF frquencies the Blue Angels use.
> >
> > E-mail responses to the address below are prefered because of the short
> > timing. Thanks!!
> >
> > Robert
> >
> > --
>
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
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2423. Rice University Police?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric C. Carlson" <carlson@monumental.com.NOSPAM>
Message-ID: <35143202.26F32684@monumental.com.NOSPAM>
Source record: 166311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Anyone have information on the Rice University (Houston, Texas) Police frequencies (what they are, and if possible, descriptions)? Also interested in any other known Rice freqs. Thanks.

-Eric
(Remove NOSPAM from e-mail address to reply.)

2424. What is the best going price for BC895XLT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: JC <j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35143653.25349DFF@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166312
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'm intersted it finally purchasing a base unit Trucktracker - everyone tells me to go BC over Radio Shack. That fine, but I've seen prices all over the place.

Can anyone tell me what the good going price is currently on the BC895XLT?

Any help would be most appreicated!

Thanx,

Jeff

If so deised private emails can be sent to: j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com

2425. Re: What is the best going price for BC895XLT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <35143FB6.348C@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 166313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi JC.

I searched for about 3 weeks for a new scanner: PRO2042, BC895XLT or BC9000XLT. I finally decided on the 2042. However, I did find the cheapest new BC895XLT price of $275 from http://www.mallsurfer.com\shop\simplewonders . I found this site searching usenet archives.

Chris

2426. Re: If Belden 9913 coax is so good, why doen't Grove or RS sell it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcl1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032122393201.RAA26116@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166314

What is the dB loss per 100 ft for RG8,RG213 or 9913?
I understand the concern for uv deterioration.
Thanks, John for the info.
Smacker

2427. Re: If Belden 9913 coax is so good, why doen't Grove or RS sell it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mweber@t140.aone.net.au
Message-ID: <35155193.1491433@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 166315

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 09:32:47 GMT, nospam@here.com wrote:

>Just curious as to why its so hard to find.
>
>
>thcx
Compared to most flavors of COAX, it is fairly dear, and it really
isn't very flexible, so it is hard to wind it up into a coil small
enough to ship easily. It is fairly difficult to get the radius belong
about 18 inches when you wind it up...

2428. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6f1i7h$2ema$1@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 166316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hans Holm wrote in message ...
>I believe that William is correct.
>
>William McGuire wrote in message <35117F39.308B33D3@interlog.com>...
>>Dave ,
>>I think you should get your facts straight, it is not illegal to
monitor
>>telephones transmitted over the radio in Canada,but it is illegal to
>>tell any one about the conversation you hear.
>>
>>73 de Bill , VE3YPM

And I believe that Canadians have just as little interest in actually READING and KNOWING what the law says as Americans.

William is wrong, and so are the rest of you. It says so in black and white in your own Canadian Federal laws. Period.

But go ahead and do what you want anyway. That's the way both of our societies are nowadays. The law and other people's rights be damned.

2429. ICOM R-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ss@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <351449ff.81870483@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 166317

Just acquired a used R-9000. Looking for any sites for
info/suggestions/mods/accessories for this receiver. Any
recommendations? Thanks, Tony

2430. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rimshot <hihat@bang.com>
Message-ID: <6f1j6i$mbj@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 166318
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

D Stark wrote in message <6f1i7h$2ema$1@node17.frontiernet.net>...
>
>Hans Holm wrote in message ...
>>I believe that William is correct.
>>
>>William McGuire wrote in message <35117F39.308B33D3@interlog.com>...
>>>Dave ,
>>>I think you should get your facts straight, it is not illegal to
>monitor
>>>telephones transmitted over the radio in Canada,but it is illegal to
>>>tell any one about the conversation you hear.
>>>
>>>73 de Bill , VE3YPM
>
>
>And I believe that Canadians have just as little interest in actually
>READING and KNOWING what the law says as Americans.
>
>William is wrong, and so are the rest of you. It says so in black and
>white in your own Canadian Federal laws. Period.

>But go ahead and do what you want anyway. That's the way both of our
>societies are nowadays. The law and other people's rights be damned.

What happened to you Stark?
Get caught making nice nice with somebody you shouldn't have been talking to
over the airwaves?
--
Rimshot

2431. Re: Our_view_on_NATO_____[ignore]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanoich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <uGA5jkSV9GA.258@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 166319
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner

So what does this have to do with scanners? Please enlighten me!

Ivan

Jan Jedrak wrote in message <199803202158.WAA04710@free.polbox.pl>...
> Warsaw, 8 March 1998
>
>
> OUR VIEW ON NATO
>
> The Polish National Community represents the views of most Polish
>citizens and warns against the harmful decision on the Polish integration
>with NATO. The idea of Poland joining NATO is strongly criticized by
>growing number of people in Poland and amounts to 70% of the whole
>population.
>

2432. WD-40 Worked !! No Fire either !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Stanton <_mstanton@centuryinter.net>
Message-ID: <01bd550f$45672560$8ba541ce@default>
Source record: 166320

Just to let you guys know, I was able to restore normal operation to a terribly scratchy volume potentiometer with a small droplet of WD-40. Just for safety, I took every precaution, flack jacket, goggles, heavy leather gloves, tongs, made sure the unit was unplugged, hell I even called the Fire Dept. and had them standby while I allowed a tiny drop of moisture dribble from the can into the little hole of the pot. It was a very tense moment!

The unit has been working for over a month without any explosions or fires.

I've now got some contact cleaner, but WD-40 works just fine in a pinch....So please shut the hell up about it....

Mike Stanton mstanton@centuryinter.net

2433. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6f1t94$m6h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166321
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <3514dbe3.52071752@news2.cts.com>,
bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
>
with two quarter wave sections. We have to figure

> Now, at the center of the dipole where the "o's" are,
> is the feedpoint, where the gap should be about an inch. For
> maximum efficiency to a scanner, you want to afix a regular
> TV matching transformer, called a balun. Radio Shack's #15-1140
> is a good one that will work fine.
>
> The two flat leads of the balun go to the antenna feed
> points. If the antenna is copper wire, you can solder
> the flat leads of the balun to the antenna elements.
> If it's aluminum or something that won't take solder,
> then use sheet-metal screws to connect the flat leads
> to the antenna.

Doesn't a half-wave dipole already have an impedence of 75ohms? Why would you
want to use a TV type (4:1) balun with this setup?

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2434. Need user feedback on WiNRADiO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Davidson <newimage@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35146CDD.118A03E2@primenet.com>
Source record: 166322

I've visited several sites over the last couple of days that give info (details, specs, and prices) about WiNRADiO and it's other related products. I am thinking about purchasing it (the basic package), but I am still not sure if I want to pay as much as $575 for it.

If you have used, or are currently using WiNRADiO, could you please give

me some feedback on it's pro's/con's, and whether it's worth the money. Thanks...

Dave

2435. Indiana Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Monte Southwell <"your username"@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <6f20ha$r4s$1@hyperion.nitco.com>
Source record: 166323

Can anyone help me with some northwest Indiana frequencies....

Thanks

Monte Southwell
jake1@mail.netnitco.net

2436. WANTED AR8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <351485B7.A138E111@ncia.net>
Source record: 166324

Or comparable scanner>>>Will trade Collins 75A2>>>>PRO2038>>>PRO33Maybe
more if you have the
scanner

2437. Indiana Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Monte Southwell <"your username"@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <6f2116$q1p$1@hyperion.nitco.com>
Source record: 166325

Can anyone help me with some northwest Indiana frequencies....

Thanks

Monte Southwell
jake1@mail.netnitco.net

2438. Indiana Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Monte Southwell <"your username"@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <6f20jvprn1@hyperion.nitco.com>
Source record: 166326

Can anyone help me with some northwest Indiana frequencies....

Thanks

Monte Southwell
jake1@mail.netnitco.net

2439. Indiana Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Monte Southwell <"your username"@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <6f21mg$q2k$1@hyperion.nitco.com>
Source record: 166327

Can anyone help me with some northwest Indiana frequencies....

Thanks

Monte Southwell
jake1@mail.netnitco.net

2440. Indiana Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Monte Southwell <"your username"@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <6f21bbrkn1@hyperion.nitco.com>
Source record: 166328

Can anyone help me with some northwest Indiana frequencies....

Thanks

Monte Southwell
jake1@mail.netnitco.net

2441. Re: Rice University Police?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@juno.com>
Message-ID: <5612AB0CCC6AF897.D60A596874F20E1B.ECC2C8C4F6013900@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 166329
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Eric, this is a tough one as I never REALLY found out anything concrete on them but I'll share with you what I do have. First, I believe Rice is on the Missouri city TRS, and I know the EMS is for sure (I had medic buddies that rode with them and tagged a few channel with the trusty RS freq counter.) If anything really serious happens, Bellaire PD / FD (460.175 and 460.600 pl 179.9?) will also have the info. Also listen to HPD Southwest on 460.050 (aka Beechnut) and car to car 460.225 for other comms between the agencies. All HPD radios use a 123.0 PL (except car to car). FYI, last time I checked about a year ago, 460.525 is an active uhf link to the harris county TRS. I have West University FD listed as 154.430 and 155.040, dispatch simulcast only. Oh, HPD uses 453.550 for intercity with the Villages, Bellaire and maybe even Rice so may be worth a listen too. Paramedic plus has a VHF freq, dunno what for, but it is 452.100 and the old West U PD channel was 460.275. If you need any trunking data on the Missouri City stuff, e me and I'll send you what I have. Good luck and let me know what you find, or if anyone else has any info... :)

Radioman
http://web2.airmail.net/radioman
Former Airborne Traffic reporter for KTRH
Dislocated in another state.... Dallas.
Eric C. Carlson wrote:
>
> Anyone have information on the Rice University (Houston, Texas) Police
> frequencies (what they are, and if possible, descriptions)? Also interested
> in any other known Rice freqs. Thanks.
>
> -Eric
> (Remove NOSPAM from e-mail address to reply.)

2442. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@juno.com>
Message-ID: <672325005F30729C.456A04D3929512F0.3EF86CD324E1DB50@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 166330

Dad#1 wrote:
>
> I have a ramsey speech descrambler and would not recomend it. It might
> work for you but the kit needs a modification to make it easily adjustable
> for the different inversion frec. rates. I have tried one and have been
> unsucessful so far.
>
> >

I have heard this problem on the SS-7 kits, but for the most part, the
SS-70 is a working toy. Also look at this site for one, I just found it.

http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

Good luck!

Radioman

2443. Celestri vs. Globalstar vs. Iridium - Which is the superior system?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Hargrove <"Steve Hargrove"@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <351494CB.7617@earthlink.com>
Source record: 166331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.cellular,alt,cellulat.tech,alt.cellular.motorola

now there are 3 Satellite (GEO/LEO) wireless communications systems.

http://www.mot.com/GSS/SSTG/projects/celestri/

What are the advantages and disadvantages of all three systems?

> > If you're interested in satellite-based wireless communications,
> > you should see the Globalstar system Iridium is intended to compete against:
> >
> > The Iridium web site says that they'll be launching their first birds later
> > this year. Globalstar's first birds went up two weeks ago. (Qualcomm is a major
> > partner in the GlobalStar consortium, as well as being a major developer in
> > the project.)
>
> Iridium launched their first 5 satellites on May 5, 1997. Their tenth
> launch took place on February 18, 1998. There are currently 49 operational
> Iridium satellites in orbit.
>
> > Iridium's page says they're going online this year. That seems more than a
> > bit ambitious if they don't even have any satellites up yet.
>
> See previous paragraph.
>
> >
> > Iridium using TDMA. The Gobalstar system is CDMA.
> >
>
> True.
>
> > The Iridum satellites will be in a much higher orbit than Globalstar,
> > leading to greater communication delay.
>
> The Iridium satellites orbit at an altitude of about 780 km. The
> Globalstar orbits are a little over 1400 km. in altitude.
>
> >
> > I think both systems are technically feasible; they can both be made to
> > work. Whether either or both are *commercially* feasible definitely remains
> > to be seen!

2444. Re: WANTED: Houston police and fire freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@juno.com>
Message-ID: <E432C238B555F095.0F5F72F22E67DB7E.5A6C557FACACE138@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 166332

You got that right! I will normally send freqs I have for Houston area
stuff, but that is just way too much typing!! Spend the money.

Radioman
Former KTRH Traffic reporter.
Dislocated in another state.... Dallas.

Nomad wrote:
>
> Do not mean to sound harsh,but Radio Shack has a good freq. book.Way to
> many channels to even start emailing.
>
> rcuffee wrote:
>
> > Hi,
> > I am looking for a complete list of Houston's police and fire
> > department.
> >
> > email to:
> > rcuffee@mci2000.com
> >
> > Thanks alot,
> > Reggie

2445. cross posting standard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: GregoryR <gregjr@teleport.nospam.com>
Message-ID: <6f2630$2nn$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 166333

I've noticed a number of messages posted to both rec.radio.scanner and alt.radio.scanner. Is this acceptable and standard for this newsgroup?

2446. Updated Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Nelson <scotty@sd.cybernex.net>
Message-ID: <3514A8BE.24AC@sd.cybernex.net>
Source record: 166334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner

Just updated my website again and would like to invite all of you over
there.

73,
Scott
--
http://ww2.sd.cybernex.net/~scotty

2447. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <3514B915.57DB@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

drago wrote:

> We knew that at the time, most were 10-15K just to be sure.

hehehe, well then that was no big deal because 10-15K at 28.8 connect
is not problem. (That's like a flea on an elephant's ass)

> Do you know what those wirds mean?

NO, what is a "wird"?

2448. Re: cross posting standard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <3514BD5B.1C35@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166336

YES! It is VERY acceptable. Some ISP's do NOT carry alt.radio.scanner
(or vice-versa). Pacifier.com, an ISP in Portland, Oregon is one
example
that does not carry alt.radio.scanner.

GregoryR wrote:
> I've noticed a number of messages posted to both rec.radio.scanner and
> alt.radio.scanner. Is this acceptable and standard for this newsgroup?

2449. 2SD1676 transistor manuf or sub

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wild Bill <kwag98@tcis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd540b$e238f940$e1551bd0@kwag98>
Source record: 166337
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.misc

hi.. i've been trying to locate a manufacturer of, or substitute for a
2SD1676 transistor used in a portable scanner radio as an audio driver (i
think). I don't know the pin basing (EBC-CBE) since the device is open.
It's packaged as a SP-92, but space would permit the use of a TO-92.. if i
could find the specifications for it.
Suggestions of places that i might look online will be appreciated
Thanks
Wild Bill
kwag98@tcis.net

2450. this thread is lame

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big Daddy <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6f4uav$i0j@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 166338

SMOKEY & THE BANDIT wrote in message
<6f39ci$fc6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>Rimshot wrote:
>>
>> Tbrutis1 wrote in message
>> <19980321180212000.NAA11114@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>> >In article <6eq83c$9o2@examiner.concentric.net>, "Rimshot"
<hihat@bang.com>
>> >writes:
>> >
>> >>Yeah, you'll be contributing with the sharp increase in traffic
citations
>> >>you'll recieve because you dare think you have the right to listen to
the
>> >>police comms.
>> >
>> >We THINK we have the right to listen to the police comms? Wrong again.
We
>> do
>> >not think we have the right,.....We KNOW we have the right. I
have
>> >listened in the past, I listen now, & will continue to listen to police
>> comms,
>> >cordless phones & cell phones. I don't go out to get those signals, they
>> come
>> >into my radio inside my home. Could we listen if our name was Newt?
>>
>> Whoaaaa!
>> I was being sarcastic.
>>
>> And if you were NEWT, you could do anything.
>> He's probably got henchmen running around with digital scanners right
now.
>> --
>> Rimshot

2451. Great web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: JAY <jay@ibl.bm>
Message-ID: <6f0cpblqe1@news0-alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 166345

http://www.GoOffshore.com/us/5690508990609

2452. Re: WANTED: Houston police and fire freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nomad <NOMAD@NOSPAM.COM>
Message-ID: <3513BC80.AFD1BD35@NOSPAM.COM>
Source record: 166346

Do not mean to sound harsh,but Radio Shack has a good freq. book.Way to
many channels to even start emailing.

rcuffee wrote:

> Hi,
> I am looking for a complete list of Houston's police and fire
> department.
>
> email to:
> rcuffee@mci2000.com
>
> Thanks alot,
> Reggie

2453. Re: Pro 2042 & Programmit question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032113374501.IAA28783@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166347

>Subject: Pro 2042 & Programmit question...
>From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
>Date: Sat, Mar 21, 1998 03:08 EST
>Message-id: <3513758B.2599E59@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>

>My question is this: How should I connect my Programmit circuit with the
>scanner?

I presume that you looked at the Programmit web site? Also, I'm sure that John M. can give you any info you need. He's also wrote an article for Nuts and Volts about this project, which may be helpful.
http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/index.html

Scotch taping the interface to the outside of the scanner is terrifically low tech! It can go inside the scanner, although with the Opto interface, if you want...

I don't understand why all of the info in the scanner was erased after you opened the scanner--dead battery or accidental press on the reset switch, may be?

2454. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032113385600.IAA28896@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166348

>Subject: Re: STOP IT N O W
>From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
>Date: Fri, Mar 20, 1998 21:50 EST
>Message-id: <35132AE1.2784@parg.org>
>
>I only gave two as an example, there were numerous others.

Numerous? Bah! You're a liar. Post them or shut up.

2455. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032113402900.IAA29059@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166349

>Subject: Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!
>From: thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb Guy)
>Date: Fri, Mar 20, 1998 22:18 EST
>Message-id: <35143172.7880333@news.det.ameritech.net>
>
>He speaks for me.....I hate you!!!

He speaks for me.... I loathe you!!!

2456. Columbia- Howard Co. MD Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Wooden <rwooden@xhome.com>
Message-ID: <mxwmaeygmhokaa.pminews@news>
Source record: 166350

Anyone have an up to date list of freqs for the Columbia MD, area?
Richard Wooden
rwooden@x.home.com
remove the x. from above address to reply via email

2457. Equipment for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wyznyk@juno.com
Message-ID: <3513c8b9.2800186@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 166351

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MFJ Deluxe Keyer - $50
Timewave DSP 59+ - $175
DX-440 - $100
Dual Tunable Audio Filter J-752 - $70
Realistic Pro 2006 scanner and computer interface and laptop - $500
Diamond discone scanner antenna - $50
GE Superradio III - $25
Select-A-Tenna - $35
Bencher Chrome Paddle - $60
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2458. Pro 2006/computer interface/laptop for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wyznyk@juno.com
Message-ID: <3513c8c7.2814302@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 166352

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MFJ Deluxe Keyer - $50
Timewave DSP 59+ - $175
DX-440 - $100
Dual Tunable Audio Filter J-752 - $70
Realistic Pro 2006 scanner and computer interface and laptop - $500
Diamond discone scanner antenna - $50
GE Superradio III - $25
Select-A-Tenna - $35
Bencher Chrome Paddle - $60
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2459. Re: If Belden 9913 coax is so good, why doen't Grove or RS sell it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: smacksie@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032114051000.JAA01986@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166353

Check a Ham Radio or commercial radio supplier.
It is abit more expensive and is harder to work with since it has a large
center conductor.
Connectors are harder to solder.
I'm not sure but there might be special connectors available that make
installation easier.
It is a cheaper way to get nearly hardline performance.
Smacker

2460. Re: Bill Cheek needs a LIFE, somobody HELP HIM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: smacksie@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980321141123 00.JAA06164@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166354

Gee Gee
It seems many people don't agree with Bill or you !
Move off to Alt.Pee.Poop or e-mail.
Smacker

2461. Re: If Belden 9913 coax is so good, why doen't Grove or RS sell it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <F87F20E48BF299A5.F8FFC67DA266B8D6.7E26507916F1ED3B@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 166355

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 03:39:17 -0800, v113819@idt.net wrote:

>> Just curious as to why its so hard to find.

It's very easy to find:

http://www.therfc.com/

2462. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrshattuck@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980321143000001.JAA08493@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166356

>Subject: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

>I want to try to make one for the 40 - 50Mhz range.
>I'm not too electronically inclined but I do own a soldering iron!
>Does anyone have any DETAILED instructions with maybe a real good picture?
>Or is the best way, just to buy one?

>Thanks qwert@sprint.ca

Check around for three books:
1) Receiving Antenna Handbook by Joe Carr
2) Easy-Up Antennas for radio listeners and Hams by Edward M. Noll W3FQJ
3) The ARRL Handbook

2463. Scan-L listserv address?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Hunters <lpn93@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bd54d5$72830bc0$1d41accf@lori>
Source record: 166357

Would someone please provide the Scan-L (or another scanning related)
listserv address to me? Thanks for the help.

Jay
Joono_is_junk@juno.com
lpn93@erols.com

2464. Re: If Belden 9913 coax is so good, why doen't Grove or RS sell it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "G.R. Triever" <grtriever@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3513CF01.AAC43E9D@usa.net>
Source record: 166358

Smacksie wrote:
>
> Check a Ham Radio or commercial radio supplier.
> It is abit more expensive and is harder to work with since it has a large
> center conductor.
> Connectors are harder to solder.
> I'm not sure but there might be special connectors available that make
> installation easier.
> It is a cheaper way to get nearly hardline performance.
> Smacker

9913 is a very good cable and yes, "special" connectors are indeed
necessary to fit the larger center conductor; you can find them at many
LMR distributors or by contacting RF Industries. As far as why Grove or
Rat Shack doesn't sell it, you'd really have to ask them. Possibly due
to cost...

2465. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: not@home.now
Message-ID: <3513d974.207810015@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166359

On 21 Mar 1998 04:10:25 GMT, "GoYakKlah" <thetruth@southwind.net>
wrote:

>Most scanners get the 2 meter band
>thetruth@southwind.net
>

Or, just buy the kit from ... http://www.ramseyelectronics.com/

Good signals... LCM

2466. Re: digital mode scanners, are they available (or will they ever be?)???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6f0m0b$sb4$0@207.18.224.60>
Source record: 166360

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 03:36:31 GMT, kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net (Jack)
wrote:

>On 21 Mar 1998 02:07:44 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

>>I have, and use, a digital scanner. It is called a Motorola Astro
>>Mobile.
>
>Check out:
>http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/8539/GSMINDEX.HTM
>
>very interesting...

Not really, Geocities says the link goes nowhere.

2467. Scanner Modification FAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35137e7f.28160143@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166361

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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has been repaired several times. Is it fixable?
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and automated control, as well as for programming of
the memory channels by the computer? Can the
interface acquire data from the scanner and send it to
the computer?

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TECHNICAL QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
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021: How do I restore cellular in my scanner ?

Forget it, pal. It ain't going to happen. The TDDRA
of 1994 expressly forbids the manufacture or importation of
"easily modified for cellular" scanners after April, 1994.
Manufacturers turned to putty and removed the cellular
programming from the scanners' CPUs altogether. Sorry, it's not
possible if your scanner was made or imported after March, 1994.

But here is a list of all those pre-1994 scanners of which I am
aware that ARE capable of cellular restoration:

PRO-2004 BC-855XLT *3 Regency 4030
PRO-2005 BC-200XLT Regency 1600
PRO-2006 BC-205XLT
PRO-2022 BC-760XLT *4
PRO-2026 *2 BC-700XLTA *4
PRO-2027 BC-890XLT *4
PRO-2030 BC-950XLT
PRO-2032 BC-2500XLT *3
PRO-34
PRO-37
PRO-39
PRO-43 *1
PRO-46 *2 *5
PRO-51 *2
PRO-23 *2

Note 1: Date of Mfg code 1A4, 2A4, xA3, xA2 (label in
battery compment), or no "A" in the serial no.

Note 2: Date of mfg code 1A4, 2A4, -A3, -A2 (label on back).

Note 3: Date of mfg code must not end in the letter "D", except for OAID.

Note 4: Date of mfg code must not end in the letter "D".

Note 5: Units with date code of 5A4 can tune cellular in 30 kHz Steps using a keyboard entry sequence.

For instance, PRO-43's imported before March, 1994, are modifiable, while some brought in during March and all thereafter are impossible to modify. Date codes of any -A2 or -A3 and only 1A4 and 2A4 are assured of being modifiable. 3A4 and up probably aren't.

The above list does not include those scanners that were naturally capable of receiving the full 800 MHz band, without modification, some of which include:

J.I.L. SX-400 AOR-950 Icom R-7100 *
Regency MX-4000 AOR-1000 Icom R-1
Regency MX-5000 AOR-1500 Icom R-100
Kenwood RZ-1 AOR-2500 Icom R-9000
Uniden BC-800XLT AOR-3000 * Icom R-7000
Yaesu FRG-9600 AOR-8000 *

* pre-1994 only

Some of these radios, if still current, had the cellular removed by the factory after March, 1994. There may be possibilities of restoring cellular in later models of the AR-8000, AR-3000, and ICOM radios by replacing an EEPROM or reprogramming one, but that is beyond the scope of this FAQ, and in general, should not be considered feasible.

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022: What about cellular restoration ads for post 3/94 scanners?

Yes, I used to see magazine ads to "restore" cellular or to "unlock 800 MHz" in newer scanners. Gasp! This is almost a deception. See, they advertised the "VD" mod.

Virtual Downconversion - better than a venereal disease, but not by much. To my way of thinking, it is an inferior method of "unlocking" the cellular bands because:

A. They're not really unlocked. VD is a trick of turning off one oscillator and turning another one on. Typically, they set the scanner to the 400 MHz band, and then turn off the normal 400 MHz Local Oscillator and turn on the one for 800 MHz to make cellular receivable on the 400 MHz display.

B. There is no logical correlation between the actual cellular frequency and the displayed frequency. It varies from one radio to the next, but suppose 880.000 MHz comes in. It might be received/ displayed on 432.6775 MHz. Duh....??

C. The full cellular bands of 823.950-849.000 and 868.950-894.000 are not available by this method. In fact, only a small part of one or the other (often not both) is available, like maybe 10-20 MHz of the total.

D. There is no 30 kHz stepping. You're limited to the default CPU "rules" for the band in which the cellular appears, typically 5 kHz or 12.5 kHz.

E. The exact results of the VD mod, generally described above, depend on the scanner. Results vary from one to the next. None are what I'd call "good" or even acceptable.

The good thing that can be said for the VD mod is that it is the ONLY way to get any cellular at all from post March-1994 scanners. So, the advertisements that you may have seen are not exactly "fraud".....but you sure don't get much for your money.

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023: Are any mods available for my scanner ?

You may have the wrong impression about scanner modifications and hacking. Mods are not "available" in the sense that they can be found on a store shelf, or laying on the top of someone's mind who can tell you in so many words or less how to turn that that Snakebite X101 scanner into a fire-breathing, rip-snorting smoke-belching behemoth of a Turbowhopper.

All scanners can be modified for something; generally a dozen or more things. But only a few scanners have anything written about them in detail. And you have to know where to LOOK. You can't just up and ask for "mods".

Well, you *can*, but you won't get a substantive reply.

It takes me several days to several weeks and sometimes MONTHS to work up and write about a hotshot mod for a decent scanner, and after THAT level of effort, it's not possible to make it "available" off my fingertips. Continue reading below. There are answers to your question.

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023a: What mods do you have for my five scanners?

I wish I knew what people mean by: "what mods do you have..." I don't "have" mods, exactly.....

I wrote three books and seven years worth of the monthly WORLD SCANNER REPORT that feature mods for a variety of scanners. With over 900 scanners ever marketed, I don't pretend to cover

them all.....just, a fraction.

Many of "my mods" can work with most any scanner.... but there is no way I can write explicit instructions for more than the bench model on which I developed that mod. I can and do offer hints on how to apply these mods to other scanners but again, not having the scanner in front of me and not having the Service Manual, there is little I can do other than hint.

I have to leave it to the user to study the published materials and then ask specific questions to which I am happy to provide specific answers...if I can. That's about as good as it gets.

You are strongly encouraged to thumb through my books and through the back and current issues of the WORLD SCANNER REPORT to see what interests you and to pick topical material from which you can phrase specific questions that have a possibility of an answer.

As it is, all I can say at this point is that DOZENS of mods are possible for your scanners, but I have to leave it to you to do the legwork and research. And when you have specific questions, then I can answer them.

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023b: Can you send me "the mod" for my scanner?

Well, what is "the" mod? There are dozens of possible mods for your scanner. Regardless, the answer in general is no, I don't "send" mods. I have published hundreds of mods for various scanners and other radios in my books; in the monthly World Scanner Report, and as text files on my Web and FTP sites. You are free to exhaust these resources to your heart's content.

Due to the overwhelming flood of requests for this kind of information, I can't personally research and respond to each of these requests. There just isn't time in the day for that workload. If it's free information you want, try my Web and FTP sites. If you don't mind paying for better quality info, then try my books and/or the monthly World Scanner Report.

Lastly, you can try the Usenet REC.RADIO.SCANNER newsgroup where I and others sometimes publish modification information. It's free if you have a connection to the Internet and a Usenet reader/ editor program.

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024: Where can I find mods for my Brand-X scanner ?

Mostly you can't. There are only a handful of scanners ever made that were worth solitary, focused research and development, specifically for that scanner. Those scanners include:

PRO-2004 PRO-2005 PRO-2006 PRO-2035 PRO-2042
PRO-2022 PRO-43 PRO-34 PRO-37 BC-200XLT
PRO-26 PRO-39 BC-3000 PRO-64 PRO-2041
BC-235XLT PRO-90

You can find occasional articles and files on "mods" for other scanners not mentioned above, but they are the exception to the rule. Start by looking at my Web and FTP sites, and peruse quick-links to other sites from my WWWeb Sites:

http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek

or:

http://204.210.11.204

My Web Sites have quicklinks to other sites that may contain a file or two on generic "Snakebite" scanners. But don't get your hopes up.

Now here is the problem: I am one of the few, (if not the ONLY) engineers fully committed to scanner mods.

Yet, there are over 900 scanners on the historical list now. It is physically impossible for me to dedicate attention to any but a few..

That small list of scanners above reaches out to tens or hundreds of thousands of owners. There is no time left for me to work on generic "SnakeBite" scanners that have little to offer, even after hours of hard work! But take cheer and read on.....

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025: So you mean there are no mods for my scanner ?

More or less I mean that, yes. But, that's not to say yours can't be modified. It can! It's just that there is nothing published for it; nothing in the way of step-by step instructions with graphics, photos, and details.

No one would go to the time and trouble, you see? The preponderance of published hacking information is for those scanners listed in Question 24 above. Other scanners just aren't interesting enough for professional investigation.

An engineer who is capable of designing super-hacks for that "SnakeBite" scanner is not going to own one! Instead, he will own one in the Question 24 list, one that is eminently capable of some very powerful modifications in the first place.

Now I said your "SnakeBite" can be hacked. It can.

But you are more or less on your own in the sense that I cannot direct you to a "shopping list" of mods from which you can pick and choose. There is no such list. Any hope for you is to first figure out what you want to do, and ask me a specific question.

I can give you a few answers in advance:

No.

No, your scanner is likely not capable of cellular; scanners made or imported after March, 1994, are not cellular-capable. Most scanners are not likely to be capable of extra memory; additional frequency coverage; and things of that nature that pretty much require factory design in the first place. (See ahead for Memory Modifications)

Yes.

Yes, your "SnakeBite" may be capable of certain mods, a few of which include the following: (You wanted a list?)

1. Tape Recorder Jack
2. Automatic Tape Recorder Switch (beats VOX!)
3. Extended Delay
4. Tone Decoder-Rejector Countermeasure
5. CTCSS mod
6. S-Meter
7. Scanner-to-Shortwave Interface
8. Carrier-On-Indicator
9. Audio Improvements
10. Beep volume or disable
11. Squelch Improvements
12. Remote Controller
13. Baseband audio output for data decoding
14. Event or "hit" Counter
15. Shielding of plastic cases
16. External DC power
17. Improved Adjacent Channel Rejection
18. Speed up of SCAN & SEARCH modes

Then, maybe...depending....on the scanner.... the following digital and/or esoteric enhancements.....???

19. Interfacing to a computer
20. Subsidiary Carrier (SCA)
21. Extended Memory to 25,600-channels & up
22. 54-88 MHz restoration
23. Data/Tone/Noise Rejection
24. Cellular restoration (See Question 21)

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026: So how can I do some of these mods?

That's a problem. No one has written them up for the basic scanners. About the only way I can think of is to get one or more of my three books and a subscription to the WORLD SCANNER REPORT. Research and study up on the mods we've developed for other scanners, and then compare the procedures for that specific scanner to yours. Often, when I write up a mod, I give hints on

how to apply it to other scanners.

Also, if you ask me *specific* questions, I can give specific answers. If you ask "how to do a memory mod", I'll have to refer you to something already in print or published somewhere. If you are doing a memory mod and run into trouble, then I can help you with that trouble.

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027: Memory mods? How can I increase the programmable channels?

That depends on what kind of memory storage system is used by your scanner. There are three kinds:

1. On-board CPU RAM (Random Access Memory)
2. Static Random Access Memory (SRAM)
3. EEPROM Electrically Erasable Programmable Read Only Memory.

The first kind is most prevalent and there is no way to expand that kind of memory. It is, however, usually limited to scanners with 51 channels or less of programmable memory. 100-channels and up are usually done by methods 2 or 3. So your first step is to determine what kind of memory is used by your scanner.

EEPROM memory is expandable, but very difficult under most circumstances. SRAM is the easiest and offers the largest expansion capabilities. For example, the PRO-2004, PRO-2005, and PRO-2006 can be expanded to 25,600 programmable channels (and more)! The PRO-32, PRO-34, PRO-37, PRO-39 & PRO-2022 can go to 12,800- channels and beyond. The BC-760XLT, BC-560XLT, and a few others can be taken to 6,400 channels and more. The PRO-2035 and PRO-2042 can be taken to 16,000 channels and beyond. Th PRO-2041 and PRO-64 are good for upwards of 25,600 channels.....

My Extended Memory Modifications are amply documented in excruciating detail in my books and in the WORLD SCANNER REPORT, complete with diagrams, photos, and many pages of instructions such that most casual hobbyists who know a soldering iron from a tire iron can do the work. This kind of mod is not suited to being given out in an e-mail or a forum message in so many words or less. You will need to acquire the instructions before doing the work.

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028: How do I tell a SRAM chip from an EEPROM from CPU RAM?

If you can't do this on your own or after the below explanation, you are probably not a candidate for such a wild adventure at this stage of your hacking career.

Most CPUs hold a small amount of RAM (random-access- memory), sufficient to store anywhere from 10 to 50, maybe a hundred channels or so. This is the case for most scanners, so there is

no way to increase that memory. Fortunately, there are two other methods of RAM used by a few scanners that offer possibilities for expansion.

EEPROM: The least common and least expansive is EEPROM (electrically erasable programmable read-only-memory). The PRO-43, PRO-26, BC-2500XLT, BC-200XLT, BC-100XLT and BC-3000XLT, for example, use EEPROM programmable memory. It is possible to expand EEPROM-types of memory, though not by such huge proportions as the SRAM type. EEPROMs are usually tiny little chips with 8-pins.

SRAM: A handful of scanners use a separate SRAM (static random-access-memory) chip for storage of frequencies and custom channel settings. It is this type of memory that can be easily and economically expanded by factors of 2, 4, 8, 16 and even 64 times the original volume! Scanners known to employ SRAM memory include the following:

PRO-2004 PRO-2021 PRO-32 BC-760XLT
PRO-2005 PRO-2022 PRO-34 BC-950XLT
PRO-2006 PRO-2032 PRO-37 BC-590XLT
PRO-2035 PRO-2041 PRO-39 BC-600XLT
PRO-2042 PRO-64

There may well be other scanners that use SRAM memory, but either I forgot about them or don't know. If you're curious about your scanner's potential for memory expansion, you can just about forget it for those with fewer than 100-channels. The CPU's RAM easily handles 10 to 100 channels or so. If your scanner is not on the above list, but has 50 or more channels, then look over its schematic diagram and parts list or scrutinize its Logic/CPU Board for any of the following types of SRAM chips:

uPD446G-15 TC-5517CF-20 LC-3517BM-15
CXK5864BP MB-8416-20LPF BR6265BF HY6264

or something similar, disregarding the last few digits and letters. An SRAM chip is generally characterized by a rectangular shape with 24 to 32 pins, each of the longest sides holding half the pins. An SRAM chip in a schematic diagram will be characterized by eighteen or more of its pins going straight to the CPU chip. Any chip with less than 24-pins is not likely to be an SRAM; neither is any chip in a square format. SRAMs are rectangular (DIP or SMT) with 24 to 32 pins. Pinout notations of SRAM chips will include mystic codes such as:

A0, A1...A9, R/W, CE, I01, I02...I08, OE, etc.

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029: My scanner has an SRAM; how do I do the mod?

Get the published instructions for Extended Memory Mods using larger SRAM chips. Start by reviewing my free Table of Contents and Index to the World Scanner Report where you will find articles on memory mods. Get at least one of my books to supplement the WORLD SCANNER REPORT. The ULTIMATE SCANNER book is a good choice.

The Table of Contents and Index to the World Scanner Report can be found on my Web and FTP sites. They're also contained in my product information files:

PRODINFO.ZIP or PRODINFO.EXE

I can send these files by e-mail upon request, or they can be downloaded from my Web and FTP sites.

Since all SRAM chips are much alike, my instructions for one scanner generally apply to all, and are not too difficult to follow, provided you can find your SRAM chip in the first place.

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030: Do you do scanner modifications like memory mods?

Sure. Contact me privately and we can go from there. One note, though: I don't do cellular mods anymore. The FCC has gotten persnickety about that sort of thing. In general, I don't do speedup mods anymore because they cause more problems than the speed increase is worth.

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031: I'm not interested in all your mods - just one. Will you photocopy the information for me?

Not if it's in a copyrighted publication. My publishers own the copyrights to my books and my company owns the copyrights to material published in the World Scanner Report. It would be unethical, illegal, or both, for me to make copies.

If your budget is tight, you can in many cases get basic information for free from my Web and FTP sites and the real hard core stuff for $5/up by purchasing specific copies of the World Scanner Report. It is not always necessary to buy my information order to do the mods. On the other hand, my published mods are NOT the low degree sort of thing you find on BBS's and Internet sites with a few sentences or paragraphs and maybe an ASCII drawing if you're lucky.

My mods are detailed and well documented with graphics, including schematic diagrams, photos, and illustrations. This kind of work can't come for free and I make no bones about it.

On the other hand, there may be no charge if all you want are the simple mods like the cellular mod to the PRO-2006.

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032: So how do I restore cellular in the PRO-2006?

1. Remove the top cover of the scanner.

2. Look down inside the front panel behind the #3 key of the keyboard, and clip the exposed leads of the two coppery colored diodes standing on end. One restores cellular and the other gives a FREE 25% speedup of the SCAN function.

3. Replace top cover.

See, that's the kind of stuff I can provide for free. And I am happy to do so. I can't pay out of pocket the high costs of photography, graphic arts, and computer hardware..... There is a difference.

If you don't believe it, then grab a few free hack files from a BBS or from the Internet.......and then invest in a copy of the World Scanner Report or one of my books.... See for yourself. That's the best way. You'll become a believer.......

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033: How can I improve my reception capabilities?

Easy - maybe. Just increase the height of your antenna.

Each 10-ft increment of added height can yield an apparent "gain" of 3-dB. For scanner signals, 3-dB can be all the difference between good reception and none at all! There is no substitute for height of the antenna when trying to receive signals outside your immediate geographical area of more than a few miles.

VHF and UHF signals weaken dramatically as they travel along the surface of the earth (groundwave or plane-earth wave); much more so than the spacewave that travels a couple of wavelengths or more above the earth's surface. Low antenna heights intercept the spacewave of only very close transmitters, and the groundwave of all others. Yes, the quality and type of antenna makes a difference to a station's reception capabilities, but the single most important factor is the height of the antenna, regardless of its quality and type.

Next to antenna height, the quality of the coax cable is an important variable. Just about any coax is fine for 10-ft runs or less. If over 20-25 ft, then use RG-6 satellite cable unless you want to go whole-hog on Belden 9913 or Andrew LDF-2A hardline coax. In no case, should you use RG-58 or RG-59 cable except on very short runs, and not even then???? Signal loss in those two cables makes the difference between hearing and not hearing, compared to RG-6 satellite cable.

Do NOT pay any mind to the prevailing opinion in some quarters that 75-ohm coax is too lossy because of the impedance mismatch. That's foolishness. 75-ohm coax connected to a 50-ohm load

results in a 1.5::1 VSWR, for a 4% signal loss (about 0.1-dB), hardly worth a bead of sweat compared to the natural 25%-50% losses in RG-58 and RG-8 cables.

Antenna height and good quality coax cable will help you hear all there is to hear from your location.

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034: How can I install the military aero band in my scanner?

You can't, and that's that. If your scanner came with the military aero band (220-400 MHz), then you're Fat City. If it did not come with it, there is no way under the sun of "restoring" it. You can't restore what ain't there.

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035: How can I modify my scanner to follow trunked systems?

You can't, and that's that. Each trunked system is as different as night and day with respect to other trunked systems, even from the same vendor.

It is possible for the hobbyist to gain some skill and fortitude in following trunked system conversations. These techniques are scattered around in various written works, from books, magazine articles, and prefaces in frequency directories...to text files on various BBS's and Internet archives. These techniques, hints, tips, and kinks cannot be recited here in so many words or less. One good starting point might be the preface material in any recent edition of Radio Shack's POLICE CALL books. But in a word, you cannot alter your scanner to follow trunked signals.

Uniden's and Radio Shack's TrunkTracker series of scanners are specifically designed to follow certain trunking systems. Keep an ear posted to the newsgroup forums for news of these interesting scanners as they become more popular.

There is some interesting software appearing around the Internet these days....that may be useful in trunk following, but I really can't discuss anything substantive at the moment.

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036: My PRO-2004 has problems, first mild and now severe. It has been repaired several times. Can it be fixed?

It is possible that your PRO-2004 has defective solder joints. Back in 1986, there was a production run of the PRO-2004 manufactured with a defective wave soldering machine. At first, it was only marginally defective, but it worsened and degraded with time.

The result, by the time the malfunctioning machine was discovered, was that many defective PRO-2004's had been shipped to market. Some immediately failed within the warranty period and

were repaired or replaced. Others didn't fail until after the warranty expired, and were either repaired or junked. Some didn't fail for years.

Failures appear to come in waves.....periodic rashes. Defective solder joints are a serious problem, because the radio can be fixed only to the extent that it is broken. Repaired solder joints today have no bearing or relationship to those headed for failure in a week, a month, or a year. There is no economical way to repair them all in one fell swoop. A PRO-2004 with defective solder joints is very likely to develop more problems with the passing of time. There can be no guarantees against subsequent related or unrelated failures.

With that in mind, yes I do such repairs, but I cannot guarantee that other failures won't occur. Costs of repair can be high, and I would estimate the first repair tag to be $100 plus return shipping. I know, it's a bum deal, but I can't do any better than that except to offer to buy the unit for my repair parts bin.

I pay $25 plus shipping for defective PRO-2004's in reasonably clean condition. (No basket cases....) You might consider this as an alternative to continued repair bills.

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037: Can my scanner be interfaced to a computer for remote and automated control, as well as for programming of the memory channels by the computer? Can the interface acquire data from the scanner and send it to the computer?

In a word, yes. Many scanners "can" be interfaced to a computer for one-way control and automated programming of the memory channels. These scanners include:

PRO-2004 PRO-2005 PRO-2006 PRO-2035 PRO-2042 PRO-2041
PRO-2022 PRO-34 PRO-37 PRO-39 PRO-43 PRO-26
PRO-64

Probably quite a few others are possible.

There are three scanners that are capable not only of the one-way mode of remote control and automated programming, but also of a "data acquisition" mode where the scanner sends its display (channel, freq, bank, mode, delay, lockout) and other data to the computer for automated logging and data processing. These scanners are the PRO-2004, PRO-2005, and PRO-2006.

Several companies make scanner/computer interfaces, including Optoelectronics and COMMtronics Engineering.

Each interface has its own unique characteristics, advantages, and limitations, but all are "good" in the sense of freeing the operator from much of the labor and drudgery of scanning. The

Optoelectronics interfaces are generally limited to the
PRO-2005/6 & PRO-2035/2042.

A "roll your own" computer interface was published in the World
Scanner Report, V2N1-V2N6. Another more powerful one was
published in my 3rd book, THE ULTIMATE SCANNER (Cheek3).

COMMtronics Engineering's CE-232 Scanner/Computer Interface is in
its fourth year and continues to be a front-runner and state of
the art. For more info:

http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek/

ftp://204.210.11.204/intrface/

John Montalbano KA2PYJ, seems to have designed a nice
one-way interface and control software. I can't vouch
for it, but go to the following URL and see for yourself.

http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/

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That's it for now. I will keep this FAQ updated. If you see things
that need to be added to it, by all means, let me know. If this FAQ
fails to address your question(s), then hit me with 'em again, but be
specific. And be detailed with symptoms and observations if you need
tech support on mods or troubleshooting and diagnosis. Use e-mail if
you can.

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2468. Re: BC-895 Power pack question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: swrosch@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3513dfc1.455773@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 166362

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 21:33:30 GMT, someone@where.com wrote:

>>I just purchased a BC-895 the other day, and I love it.
>>However, I have noticed something with it that I'm rather
>>worried about. I don't know if its normal, but this is my
>>first scanner that isn't a handheld. Anyways, the
>>wall wart gets extremely warm when it's left on for even
>>just as little as an hour. This isn't normal, is it?

>Every Uniden scanner I have, whether hand held and having the battery
>recharged or any of my base scanners, all the wall plugs/transformers
>are warm within a couple of minutes of being pluged in. It's normal
>as far as they all do it.

Strange. But, the Pro-46 is also made by Uniden, isn't it?
I don't have that problem with that scanner. But, thanks for the
input though. I wasn't sure if that was normal or not. :)

Scott

2469. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6f0mqd$b0$0@207.18.224.60>
Source record: 166363

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 21:18:54 -0800, -John- KA0SSF
<ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org> wrote:

>What evidence or proof do you have to support your statement, Blake?
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>
>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> John, there are literally HUNDREDS of people after you to get you to
>> change your ways.

John, I guess the best indicator, is the number of people who have
made posts with statements such as...

John, Your a MORON!
BACK IN THE BOX MACKEY
Get a life Mackey
John (many assorted expletives deleted)

and on and on.

Now, many of these have come from people or posters that cannot
be verified as being an actual poster, so let's discount posters
that do not use a real name, real ISP (Meaning not ISPs such as
USA.NET) and perhaps people who do not use a callsign. Only
take posters who have at least 2 of the above.

Looking a Dejanews, it clearly shows HUNDREDS of people who
fit the above description making comments such as above.

2470. Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Hart <PatHart@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f0ne4$674@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166364

You got it

2471. FS: police scanner RS PRO 2026.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg <REMOVEn3oyr@home.net>
Message-ID: <3513E400.2B1D@home.net>
Source record: 166365
Cross-posted to: balt.forsale,md.forsale,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

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Check my auction:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8539393
This scanner is in great condition.
-Greg
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My Email address is altered due to
the prevalence of Spamers. Remove the
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2472. FS- Yaesu FRG-9600 - full 60-950 MHZ coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f0o9o$aut@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,sbay.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a MINTand very seldom used FRG-9600 which covers from 60-950 MHZ continously in all modes. The radio does not have any nicks, dents, or scratches whatsoever.

Its been sitting in the original box and packaging for about a year. I'm a non-smoker and the radio's never been outdoors. It includes the following:

* Original manual
* Photocopy of service manual
* Mobile mounting bracket and bolts (unused)
* TV video board installed
* Yaesu AC adaptor
* Original Telescopic whip antenna

This is probably the nicest 9600 you will find. Accordingly, I would like to ask for $450 shipped to lower 48 States. Thanks!

2473. FS- AOR 3000A - Unrestricted Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f0oo2$dgf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166367
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
the radio has never been used outdoors.

There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
following:

* Software and computer cable
* AC adaptor
* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
* Telescopic whip antenna

I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!

2474. BC700A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Pickard <unclerobbie@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eLq$COOV9GA.312@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 166368

Does anybody have a schematic for a Bearcat BC700A?I can get one from uniden,but they want $30.00,not that I am a cheap,but I am looking for another alternative.Thank`s,Rob

2475. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3514dbe3.52071752@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166369

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

qwertREMOVE@sprint.ca wrote:

> I want to try to make one for the 40 - 50Mhz range.
> I'm not too electronically inclined but I do own a soldering iron!
> Does anyone have any DETAILED instructions with maybe a real good
> picture? Or is the best way, just to buy one?

You don't need a picture and you don't need to buy one.
You can roll your own about as easy as you can walk
around the block, and in about the same time.

First, the math: A dipole is a half-wave in length,
with two quarter wave sections. We have to figure
the wavelength first. You said 40-50 MHz, so let's
shoot for the middle at 45 MHz.

C 984,250,000 where C = speed of light
Wavelength (ft) = --- = ----------- in ft/sec
F 45,000,000 F = Frequency, Hz

= 21.9 ft full wave

1/4 wave = 5.5 ft

The hard part now out of the way, you need two pieces
of 5'6" aluminum tubing or other light, but stout metal.
It could even be WIRE stretched taut along a rigid support
like maybe a dowel or a fiberglass rod or even a strip of
plywood. You take your pick, but devise a mechanical means
of holding the two elements of the antenna like this:

5.5ft 5.5ft
----------o o----------
feed

Now, at the center of the dipole where the "o's" are,
is the feedpoint, where the gap should be about an inch. For
maximum efficiency to a scanner, you want to afix a regular
TV matching transformer, called a balun. Radio Shack's #15-1140
is a good one that will work fine.

The two flat leads of the balun go to the antenna feed
points. If the antenna is copper wire, you can solder
the flat leads of the balun to the antenna elements.

If it's aluminum or something that won't take solder,
then use sheet-metal screws to connect the flat leads
to the antenna.

The other end of the balun is obviously for the coax cable
which can be RG-59 for short lengths or RG-6 for longer
lengths, though at 50 MHz, it's not too important.

Attach Type F connectors to both ends of the RG-59 or
RG-6 cable. You cna buy pre-made lengths, too. Screw one
end onto the balun. Mount the dipole in the vertical
dimension, not horizontal as shown above. It would be
helpful if the coax could meet the antenna like a "T"
kind of like this:

```
|
|
|5.5ft
|
o--- RG-59 or 6
1" X ]==============> to Scanner
o--- coax
|
|5.5ft X is the TV matching
| transformer.
|
```

A short cross-arm about 2-3 ft long will do, which can
then be mounted to a vertical mast.

Then route the coax down to the scanner. On the scanner
end of the coax cable, attach a Type F-to-BNC adapter
(RS #278-251) and connect to the scanner's antenna port.

Voile! You're in business. As you can see, the job is
mostly mechanical; hardly anything hi-tech.


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2476. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3515e5f0.54645797@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166370

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

geovet@ix.netcom.com (George Vetterle) wrote:

> Are they affiliated with NAMBLA?

National Association of Mentally Blanked Lame Asinines?

Yes, that's the one.

:-)

2477. FS- Sony Pro-80 handheld SW/VHF scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f0op1$dgf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166371
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>I have two (2) Sony Pro-80s for sale. They are both in excellent
>cosmetic and electrical condition. Each comes with the original
>manual, VHF adaptor, leather carrying case, battery holder, nicads,
>and antenna. Would like to sell for $175 each + actual shipping cost.
>
>For those unfamiliar with the Pro-80, here are some basics:
>
>* Handheld battery operated unit
>* 40 memories in any combination of sw/am/fm/vhf freqs.
>* 3 scan modes.
>* Am narrow/wide mode
>* Fm narrow/wide mde
>* Upper/Lower ssb mode with knob adjustment
>* Fine tunning control
>* Tone hi/low
>* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
>* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
>* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.

2478. Re: Pro 26 MOD Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <3513dace.9123951@news.total.net>
Source record: 166372

hello. I would like to know if the soldering the jumper method
actually improves over the image freq method.

http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/pro26.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/pro26.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/pro26.htm

On 21 Mar 1998 04:21:38 GMT, mikenra@aol.com (Mike NRA) wrote:

>I have the MOD for cellular on the Pro-26. I am told to use a GROUNDED
>soldering iron to solder in the jumper. Since I do not have a grounded
>soldering iron, I am wondering if a ground wire attached to the 23 Watt element
>on my iron and the other end grounded would be sufficient? I know it would act
>as a heat sink <sic> but it should heat up suitably eventually.
>
>Any help would be greatly appreciated
>
>Thanks in advance
>
>Mike NRA
>
>"Better people be distressed by my freedom than my oppression" - Mike NRA
>National Rifle Association Life Member

Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

2479. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-MINT in the box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f0pb2$h3s@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166373
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has been unmodified.

There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...

This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the following:

* Original leather carrying case (unused)
* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
* Original manual
* Original rubber antenna

This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!

2480. Frequenices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: thunder <thunder@golden.net>
Message-ID: <35141057.D5834418@golden.net>
Source record: 166374

Hi the name here is Dennis and I am looking for for Ontario Canada

if any one can help.. Thanks

2481. What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032116342900.LAA23228@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166375

I came here looking for scanner information. All I'm finding is useless rubbage of a personal and argumentive nature between these two blokes. Worthless.

2482. Re: Pro-32 Mods? ANY???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dad#1 <Deadeye@Javanet.com>
Message-ID: <3513EBAA.7C48B1A3@Javanet.com>
Source record: 166376

I have a PRO-32 that works very well, but is tough to take apart since the case is glued in places and the boards are connected with short soldered leads and once you get the first board off, the next board is completely covered with a metal plate with no visable way to remove it. I really like this scanner, it is more sensitive than my 200xlt, but I have given up on tapping the discriminator and I am looking at some other scanners that are easier to modify. And the only way to receive 800mhz is with a down converter. Good luck

Bill Cheek wrote:

> aacj@aol.com (AACJ) wrote:
>
> > Anyone know of any mods for the Pro-32 for 800/900 or more channels? Please
> > email me direct.
>
> My well-known and well published Extended Memory
> mods will work in the PRO-32 to yield anywhere
> from 3200 to 12,800 channels. The procedure isn't
> something that lends itself to a text file where
> you clip a diode and add a resistor. But it will
> work in the PRO-32, that's for sure.
>
> If I were you, I'd practice up on taking that
> PRO-32 apart and putting it back together. It
> ain't the easiest scanner in the world to work on.
> And you will need to figure out where to stick
> four to six switches of some sort.
>
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2483. Minitor III (three) survey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: pwserctr@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032116505400.LAA29332@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166377

I would like to take a survey from all the Minitor III (three) dealers. As you may know Motorola has not made available any schematics or part numbers for the Minitor III pager. And as far as I know they do not plan on releasing them (if I am wrong please let me know). We are considering reverse engineering the Minitor III pager in an attempt to provide a schematic.

Here is what you would get.
1. A schematic of the pager, receiver and decoder board
2. Complete diagram of all the parts on the board
3. Motorola part numbers for most of the components. (most of the surface mounted components are a standard value and used in other pagers so Motorola stocks these parts but currently you have no way of knowing the numbers)
4. Some parts are unique to the Minitor III so there would be no way of getting them

I am just taking a survey, not trying to sell anything. Please respond with a Yes you would want it or No you would not, with any comments.

thanks
e-mail : pwserctr@aol.com

2484. WTB: 2mtr SSB receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Hoven <ephoven@eznet.net>
Message-ID: <3513ef9d.0@news.eznet.net>
Source record: 166378

I'm in dire need of a side band rig that will receive between 144.15-144.25.
I don't really need anything fancy- an old rig will do just fine. If
anybody has ANYTHING at all they could part with, please contact me via
E-mail.

73,
Jamie
KG2JI

jfbialek@usa.net

2485. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Ness <cness@gloster.vivid.net>
Message-ID: <3513F195.1A03DDC3@gloster.vivid.net>
Source record: 166379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Knopp wrote:
>
> In article <350FFC27.BF862052@mailexcite.com>, stderr@mailexcite.com wrote:
>
> >
> > No, it's called the airwaves are owned by the public and I'm part of the
> > public and therefore I can listen if I so choose.
>
> Phone lines cross my property. I guess I've got a right to tap into those too.
>

> Phone lines cross my property. I guess I've got a right to tap into those too.

Phone lines cross your property? Other than the ones serving your own accounts, Not likely unless you have a contracted easement. Which you don't or you wouldn't be making the statement in the first place. Those phone lines running across the front of your yard are on the public right-of-way and guess what, they pay the county/state/Federal govt (as apropriate) for the priviledge. The phone company also pays the electric company if that's who owns the poles or property tax if they own them themselves.

And since the only phone lines to your own property are the ones you pay for, go ahead and tap them. (Yes, I know I am overlooking the National Electrial code and your state PUC tariffs and your implied contract with the phone company, but the CONTENT is at this point your own property)
--
Chris Ness
mailto:cness@gloster.vivid.net All jobs are equally easy to
http://www.vivid.net/~gloster the person not doing the
work.
Holt's Law

2486. Re: digital mode scanners, are they available (or will they ever be?)???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dad#1 <Deadeye@Javanet.com>
Message-ID: <3513EFFA.AD9D411F@Javanet.com>
Source record: 166380

The link worked when I tried it. Veeeeery interesting ya????

Jack wrote:

> On 21 Mar 1998 02:07:44 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:
>
> >On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 06:09:33 GMT,
> >DoctorsAreGreedyBastards@NoInsurance.net (Surfdom) wrote:
> >
> >
> >>>:I am reading with interest the fact that some cities are now going 100%
> >>>:digital on all their city services... Is there a scanner that will be
> >>>:made for these new services, or will congress (in its infinite wisdom)
> >>>:dash any hopes for future scannists (through the passage of laws)?????
> >>>:
> >I have, and use, a digital scanner. It is called a Motorola Astro
> >Mobile.
>
> Check out:
> http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/8539/GSMINDEX.HTM
>
> very interesting...

2487. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dad#1 <Deadeye@Javanet.com>
Message-ID: <3513EDB4.16F92945@Javanet.com>
Source record: 166381

I have a ramsey speech descrambler and would not recomend it. It might work for you but the kit needs a modification to make it easily adjustable for the different inversion frec. rates. I have tried one and have been unsucessful so far.

>

2488. Re: Bill Cheek needs a LIFE, somobody HELP HIM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <3513FF1E.3C24@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166382

Another ill-informed FOOL!

Smacksie wrote:
> Gee Gee
> It seems many people don't agree with Bill or you !

2489. Re: If Belden 9913 coax is so good, why doen't Grove or RS sell it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <3513FF7F.30FD@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166383

The main reason is because 9913 really is not much better than RG-8.

If you want good quality coax, get rg-213. It is not subject to
UV aging.

nospam@here.com wrote:
> Just curious as to why its so hard to find.

2490. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <3514002B.1597@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166384

It's spelled "love", not "loathe"!

Please, learn to spell!

MAlexder wrote:
> I loathe you!!!

2491. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <351400CA.2184@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166385
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

drago wrote:

> Files don't have to be "attached" to be sent.

Anything more than 100K was killed.

> I didn't admit to doing it, I just enjoyed thoses times more than
> these.

Guilt by complicity.

2492. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3516f586.1613446@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166386

ALthough appearing to be a joke initially....this is obvious proof of
MACKEYS dementia.
I think he feels that any reply to one of his posts is nothing but a
show of affection.
Poor sap

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 10:00:11 -0800, -John- KA0SSF
<ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org> wrote:

>It's spelled "love", not "loathe"!
>
>Please, learn to spell!
>
>
>MAlexder wrote:
>> I loathe you!!!

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

2493. Re: bc142xl mods- Know any?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dude <lawdude678@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f0t9i$ib@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166387

well- I clipped that lead and notta. No apparent differences. I tryed scanning and manually dialing channels and it still will only take 10. Suggestions?

2494. Re: What is 220.210 Mhz in SE Michigan?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kditt1234@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032117422801.MAA07880@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166388

The FCC has made the band between 220.0000 MHz to 222.0000 Mhz some "New mobile band that requires ACSB or similar narrow band technology" to be able to listen to the content.

2495. PORTABLE SW/AM/FM RADIO - $35 SHIPPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6f0tunabv6@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 166389

Hello. I have a portable SW/AM/FM radio made by International for sale at $35 shipped. The radio is in perfect working condition and good cosmetic condition. Here's all of the information on it:

-volume, band selector
-built in front fire speaker, headphone jack
-analog frequency display, frequency tuning knob
-world time zone map on the back
-antenna, carrying strap, batteries
-RX: .53-1.6 (AM radio), 5.9-6.25, 7.05-7.5, 9.5-9.95, 11.65-12.1, 15.1-15.6, 17.5-18.15, 88-108 (FM radio), 8 bands altogether

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW

2496. FS: Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tje@usol.com
Message-ID: <35140246.32436145@news.usol.com>
Source record: 166390
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12
volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount
of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually
forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find.
Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again
in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all
the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you.
Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want
to play the auction bidding game.
--
Tim, K8TJ

2497. PRO-64 cellular restorable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: geoenviro@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032117562300.MAA10141@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166391

Simply that, is the 64 restorable, or can you program the cell freqs via the computer interface?

Bob

2498. Re: "I own scanners and I vote" bumper sticker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbrutis1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980321180212000.NAA11114@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166392

In article <6eq83c$9o2@examiner.concentric.net>, "Rimshot" <hihat@bang.com>
writes:

>Yeah, you'll be contributing with the sharp increase in traffic citations
>you'll recieve because you dare think you have the right to listen to the
>police comms.

We THINK we have the right to listen to the police comms? Wrong again. We do
not think we have the right,.....We KNOW we have the right. I have
listened in the past, I listen now, & will continue to listen to police comms,
cordless phones & cell phones. I don't go out to get those signals, they come
into my radio inside my home. Could we listen if our name was Newt?

tbrutis1@aol.com

(Where do I get some of those bumper stickers?)

That's because the #1 Fan of the AA Eastern League Binghamton Mets said so

2499. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbrutis1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032118021300.NAA07585@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166393

In article <6eq2d3nhu1@news.socomm.net>, "Randall T. Markley, Jr." <tmarkley@vantek.net> writes:

> If someone makes a phone call which emits radio waves which pass through my >house, my property, and my body, then the person making the phone call has also >given up their right to privacy. I should have the right to do whatever I want to the >radio waves because they are trespassing on MY property and in MY body. The >government does not own my property or myself. The day they try is the day of >the beginning of the next Civil War as far as I am concerned.

AMEN ! ! ! !

tbrutis1@aol.com

That's because the #1 Fan of the AA Eastern League Binghamton Mets said so

2500. FS: Radio Shack 2042 Base Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35131352.255C@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Radio Shack 2042 Base Scanner

-1000 channel memory
-AM/NFM/WFM
-Box and Manual

This radio is only 2 months old and has little use.
Asking $325.00 plus shipping.

Email me or Call me (305) 895-4355 between 10am-9pm.

73,
Bill

2501. FS: Ranger 2950 10 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <351314B4.45B8@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ranger 2950 10 Meter Mobile

-Stock Mic
-Modified for 11-Meters
-Box and Manual

E-mail or Call me (305)895-4355 between 10am-9pm.

73,
Bill

2502. FS: ICOM IC-W32A DUAL BAND HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3513167E.692B@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ICOM IC-W32A HT

-New
-TX and RX Modified
-Cloning Cables and Software
-Manual and Box
-Leather Case

Asking $310.OO. E-mail or Call me between 10am-9pm.

73,
Bill

2503. Re: Listening to phones while on airplanes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: PakRat@anonymous.com
Message-ID: <35130c38.80970486@news.altopia.com>
Source record: 166406

On Wed, 18 Mar 1998 21:59:08 -0500, krkirkwood@sprintmail.nospam.com (Keith Kirkwood) wrote:

>PakRat (PakRat@anonymous.com) said ...
>
>>
>>
>> FAR 91.21 does. It states and I'm para-phrasing; "No person may
>> operate, nor may any operator or pilot in command allow the operation
>> of , any portable electronic device on ;
>> 1) Air Carrier or Commercially Certificated Flights
>> 2) Any aircraft operated under Instrument Flight Rules
>>
>> Although it doesn't mention scanners per se, they are portable and
>> they are electronic, so the regulation does apply.
>>
>> Mike
>>
>I'm don't think that a "verbatim" interpretation of the that FAR is
>totally accurate. Notebook computers, walkman's, and the like all
>certainly qualify as portable electronic devices. The caveat to this FAR
>is "approved portable electronics". Having just returned today from a
>business trip, the flight attendants briefing is still quite clear. They
>tell you that you can only use approved portable electronic devices above
>10K feet. Of course the "non-descript" use of "approved" leaves a lot to
>the imagination. One interpretaion could be that, since they only
>specifically mention cell phones as not being approved for use, that
>anything else could be considered approved.....

The regulation is correct as stated. As with all regulations there is an exception (it is part b of the above regulation). It would take pages to explain it all. The very very short version is that the device may be operated if approved. Approved under FAA regs. means tested and found to have no ill effects to any aircraft systems. When laptops and walkmans etc. first came out, we noticed that while flying ILS approaches our CDI's (this is the instrument that allows us to fly to the runway in low visabillity and low ceilings. Acronym stands for -Course Deviation Indicator) were wavering. At first we wrote up as maintenance squawk, thinking it was a failing instrument or radio. After determining the cause, we had to ,per FAA regs. as it effects flight safety, report it to the FAA. The FAA immediately issued a new reg. as state above. The FAA wanted NO portable electronic device to be operate on commercial aircraft or those operating under Instrument Flight Rules (IFR) at any time. The airlines realized business travelers would not be happy unable to use their laptops to work(play

solataire <grin>) and negociated the current exception allowing use except during take-off till 15 minutes after and during descent (when below 10,000 feet) and the approach and landing.

Mike

PS; By the way, Cell Phones are prohibitted from being used in aircraft at all times during flight by the FCC not the FAA.

2504. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans Holm <hholm@istar.ca>
Message-ID: <iLEQ.70$kS3.812694@NewsRead.Toronto.iSTAR.net>
Source record: 166407
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I believe that William is correct.

William McGuire wrote in message <35117F39.308B33D3@interlog.com>...
>Dave ,
>I think you should get your facts straight, it is not illegal to monitor
>telephones transmitted over the radio in Canada,but it is illegal to
>tell any one about the conversation you hear.
>
>73 de Bill , VE3YPM

2505. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6ev799$h3f$0@207.18.224.26>
Source record: 166408

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 19:50:10 -0800, *-John-* KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
wrote:

>JPGRIFF wrote:
>> Sorry for the off-topic post, but there must be a way to filter out the
>> crap on this NG.
>
>Yea, well the best way to prevent a problem is to get at the SOURCE!
>
>THAT is why several of us are after Bill Cheek to change his ways!

Several of you?????

John, there are literally HUNDREDS of people after you to get you to
change your ways.

HUNDREDS John!

Compared to you and one or two others?

2506. Re: digital mode scanners, are they available (or will they ever be?)???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6ev7dg$h3f$1@207.18.224.26>
Source record: 166409

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 06:09:33 GMT,
DoctorsAreGreedyBastards@NoInsurance.net (Surfdom) wrote:

>>:I am reading with interest the fact that some cities are now going 100%
>>:digital on all their city services... Is there a scanner that will be
>>:made for these new services, or will congress (in its infinite wisdom)
>>:dash any hopes for future scannists (through the passage of laws)?????
>>:
I have, and use, a digital scanner. It is called a Motorola Astro
Mobile.

2507. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <35132375.5573@c-com.net>
Source record: 166410

Matt Dodge wrote:
>
> Ramjet wrote:
>
> > Try this. I find it works great for cordless phones also.
> > hope this helps...
> >
> > jim bevenour <ekorb@hcil.net> wrote in article
> > <6enosj$sk8$1@news.outfitters.com>...
> > > The local police go to "code" which is called, I think, inverted
> > audio,
> > does
> > > anyone know where I can by a kit to descramble? A friend of mine
> > bought
> > one
> > > from a place in New York but lost the address.
> > >
> > > ekorb@hcil.net
> > >
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>
> Uh that link you posted dosn't work buddy
>
> maby you could post one that would
wasn't a link links look like this http://www.infidels.org/

Ramsey is the name of a company that sells kits.

2508. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <351323D5.14CC@c-com.net>
Source record: 166411

Radioman wrote:
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> Matt Dodge wrote:
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> > Ramjet wrote:
> >
> > > Try this. I find it works great for cordless phones also.
> > > hope this helps...
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> > > jim bevenour <ekorb@hcil.net> wrote in article
> > > <6enosj$sk8$1@news.outfitters.com>...
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> > > > anyone know where I can by a kit to descramble? A friend of mine
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> > > > ekorb@hcil.net
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> >
> > Uh that link you posted dosn't work buddy
> >
> > maby you could post one that would
>
> In the meantime, to answer the original question. Get a Ramsey ss-70 kit
> and you'll be able to do what your asking. A word of caution though,
> don't ever let them know about it or find it, and don't advertise it to
> friends. Take it from someone who has been there, it WILL cost you alot
> more than the $39 for the kit if you do...
>
> Radioman
This Radioman him speak truth. (Tonto 1946)

2509. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <35132437.25358662@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 166412
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com> wrote:

>To complain about any irrelevent Usenet posts by Mackey, forward the
>offending post & your complaint message to:

And while you're at it, complain to Tyler's ISP for his spamming this
message three times already today.

What goes around comes around, Timmie. If you don't like what Mackey
and Cheek have to say, DON'T READ IT! And for ghod's sake, don't
respond to it.

Oh, and incidentally...

<PLONK>
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

2510. Re: Trade 128 meg RAM for ham stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <351325B2.F02@c-com.net>
Source record: 166413

joe@joe.com wrote:
>
> Trade 128 meg RAM for ham stuff
>
> tpe@ix.netcom.com
let's see 128 meg ram 16X64 `68 pin = about $287. + tax. Not much ham
gear maby a real old Kenwood 4000A. Better tell us what you need and
there is a NG devoted to ham radio swap,trade,and selling.

2511. Re: Listening to phones while on airplanes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: See.body@toreply.com
Message-ID: <35132d96.3642916@news.wco.com>
Source record: 166414

I didn't read the original message, however you CAN call someone in
the air.. A few of the airlines now have a "Register" option: You
register and get a incoming # for the duration of your flight.

mulligan@ACM.ORG (F. Barry Mulligan) wrote:
>> Could I use my cell phone to call another passenger on the plane phone?
> AirPhones originate calls, they don't accept them. Were you to activate
>your cell phone while in flight (to say nothing of actually trying to use it),
>you would have the aircrew, the airline, the FAA, the FCC and several cellular
>providers vying for rights to string you up. Don't even think about it!
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To reply vie e-mail, reply to eplatt at wco.com (in the proper format).
Sorry for the inconvience, but spammers will pull your name without
your permission from postings, sending unsolicited e-mail!

2512. Re: bc142xl mods- Know any?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dude <lawdude678@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6evbb3$60u@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166415

> You can try clipping that wire, and resoldering it back together if it doesn't
> work. >
> --Patrick (pjneary at cs dot buffalo dot edu)

Sounds like a plan! Ill post back after I try "messin" with it this weekend. Thanx Pat

Dude

2513. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35143172.7880333@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166416

He speaks for me.....I hate you!!!

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 18:51:38 -0800, -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
wrote:

>On what authority do you have to speak for everyone?
>
>
>allsafe wrote:
>
>> *Everyone*
>> hates your guts. *Everyone* wants to get

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

2514. Re: digital mode scanners, are they available (or will they ever be?)???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35163544.25454286@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166417

On 21 Mar 1998 02:07:44 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

>On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 06:09:33 GMT,
>DoctorsAreGreedyBastards@NoInsurance.net (Surfdom) wrote:
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>
>>>:I am reading with interest the fact that some cities are now going 100%
>>>:digital on all their city services... Is there a scanner that will be
>>>:made for these new services, or will congress (in its infinite wisdom)
>>>:dash any hopes for future scannists (through the passage of laws)?????
>>>:
>I have, and use, a digital scanner. It is called a Motorola Astro
>Mobile.

Check out:
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/8539/GSMINDEX.HTM

very interesting...

2515. BC-895 Power pack question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: swrosch@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35133ece.539435@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 166418

Howdy everyone!

I just purchased a BC-895 the other day, and I love it.
However, I have noticed something with it that I'm rather
worried about. I don't know if its normal, but this is my
first scanner that isn't a handheld. Anyways, the
wall wart gets extremely warm when it's left on for even
just as little as an hour. This isn't normal, is it?

Thanks,
Scott

2516. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: GoYakKlah <thetruth@southwind.net>
Message-ID: <01bd547f$0252c300$3e6435ce@ronmayer>
Source record: 166419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Most scanners get the 2 meter band
thetruth@southwind.net

2517. Pro 26 MOD Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikenra@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980321042213801.XAA12710@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166420

I have the MOD for cellular on the Pro-26. I am told to use a GROUNDED soldering iron to solder in the jumper. Since I do not have a grounded soldering iron, I am wondering if a ground wire attached to the 23 Watt element on my iron and the other end grounded would be sufficient? I know it would act as a heat sink <sic> but it should heat up suitably eventually.

Any help would be greatly appreciated

Thanks in advance

Mike NRA

"Better people be distressed by my freedom than my oppression" - Mike NRA
National Rifle Association Life Member

2518. indiana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimstn@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35134B05.56B491F@yahoo.com>
Source record: 166421

Does anyone have indiana state and federal prison frequencies, thanks.

2519. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35134689.13800215@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166422

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Charlie Warfield, Jr." <charlie66@ameritech.net> wrote:

> Bill is a self-righteous

What does that mean? Just because I won't sit
in on your kangaroo court judgments? hah! You
can take your judgments and shove 'em where the
sun never, ever shines.

> creep who is lucky to have the technical expertise he does,

Lucky? Ha ha ha ha ha ha..... Psssst, hey Charley Tuna,
I *make* my luck instead of sitting around polishing a
damn bench with a hard luck story and a song of woe.

> because sure as flies on shit he aint makin' it on
> personality.

Wellllll, sure as shit stinks, I never aimed to win
any personality contests. Those are too tame and
lame for my blood. Now I enjoy a good asskicking
contest once in a while. But you knew that. That's
why you are all bent over, right Charley Tuna?

> He's the kind of guy they had in mind when they invented
> the term "road rage".

Me? Hah! I don't get mad much anymore. Getting
mad just creates bad vibes and gives indigestion.
But then I don't *need* to get mad anymore.

> He's the kind of guy who arrives late at a party

Noooooooo, you're way off base there. I'm always
early. I was taught "Dominelli Time" years ago.

> and then tells everyone he's late because he was busy performing the
> world's first brain transplant or similar heroic feat.

The only times I tell stuff like that is when I actually
do it. Then, yeah, hell yes, I'm proud of it. Take
you, fer instance......you were my first patient. Problem
was, I couldn't tell which end was which. So rather than
a lobotmy, I wound up doing a rectalotmy on you. The ironic

thing is.....that it worked.

> The three words that describe him best are: "what a jag!"
> The reason he likes himself so much is because no one else does.

It's more correct to say that I don't give a shit if you
"like" me or not. You can eat my shorts for all I care.
You ain't worth being a "liker" anyway. You're the kind
who'd want something for it. And get pissed when I said no.

So, no. What part of "no" don't you understand?

> John, and I admit I am just speculating here, is a retired and/or
> unemployed old bastard with waayyy too much time on his hands.

Nope. He's a young peckerwood, with a 2" overbite, a cleft
palate, a harelip, and grafted foreskins for eyelids. And
queerer than a $3 bill. Kind of like you, when you get right
down to it, though I readily admit that your harelip isn't
as bad as Mackey's.

> He's the kind of guy who still broods because some schoolyard bully
> punched him out 50 years ago.

Yep. I kicked his ass from here to next Tuesday and it
still sticks in his craw. Just ask 'im, Charley-Tuna.

> I'll check back here again in about 4-6 months to see if there's anyone
> still on this NG besides Bill & John.

Up to your same old tricks, eh Charley-Tuna? By all
means, you just come around and drop in any old time.
And, of course, do feel free to pack sand.

2520. WANTED: Houston police and fire freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@mci2000.com>
Message-ID: <35138211.EA48574B@mci2000.com>
Source record: 166423

Hi,
I am looking for a complete list of Houston's police and fire
department.

email to:
rcuffee@mci2000.com

Thanks alot,
Reggie

2521. Re: Mackey Beaten

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032107033901.CAA09660@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166424

OK Bill, you're right, Mackey sux, but then SO DO YOU. The only difference is that you tend to suck male appendages, while Mackey just plain sux.

2522. Re: Good Bye John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032107134401.CAA07211@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166425

So this is the great and wonderful Bill Cheek. Years I've heard that this man was the master. Any questions, he was god, he knew it all. Then I had the priviledge of reading his posts.

Go Figure

What a prick, and he has the testosterone to whine about "off topic posts" (Must be from supplements) We know who the REAL masterbaiter is, and his name is Bill

Never cared for Mackey, but this Cheeks guy REALLY SUXX!!!!

BCHEEK Dribbled the following from his penis:

>Hey Mackey, you old degenerate reprobate, you!
>How's it happening, good buddy? You doing okay?
>
>Good.
>
>I decided to slap you back on my Shit List again.
>I won't be seeing your posts anymore, so let's
>see (once again) how you manage without me calling
>attention to your Down's Syndrome; quadrasexuality;
>hermaphroditia; and general lack of well being.
>
>Let's see if you can forget me even half as easily
>as I can forget you.
>
>A buck to a nickel says you can't keep me out of
>your posts, by name, reference, or inference, for
>one year.
>
>Another nickel to a buck says you can't refrain from
>off-topic posts for a year.
>
>A final nickel to a buck says you can't limit yourself
>to on-topic posts for the next year.
>
>We'll see.
>
>Adios, Master Baiter Mackey.
>
>Poof! You're gone.
>
>

2523. Re: Good Bye John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032107174901.CAA10989@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166426

>Instigating?
>
>Excuse me. I don't instigate....

Yup, he's a dick, and can't even admit it. Only one thing worse than a dick,
and that's one who trys to deny it, while wiping it all over the place.

This guy SUXXXX MAJOR BIG TIME PENIS.

Only one thing worse than a Mackey, and it's caled CHEEKS

(is that BUTT CHEEKS?)

2524. Bill Cheek needs a LIFE, somobody HELP HIM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032107255601.CAA11727@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166427

OK, I admit it, I REALLY couldn't give a rip for John Mackey. Arrogant, rude, but at least he gets laid once in a while. Obviously Cheeks even gets turned down BY HIS PALM!

Judging from the IMMENSE quantity of Bill Cheeks posts (should read BUTT Cheeks) railing about JM, THE MAN HAS NO LIFE. Ironically, he claims to be taking the high road. Slams JM for "off topic post".

Let's see Mr. Cheeks, just HOW MANY POSTS have you left in the last week about JM? Like that's "on topic" (shit for brains)

You need help. You need a life, best part is,

EVEN YOU CAN AFFORD A LIFE, THEY"RE ON SALE THIS WEEK AT KMART!

Do us all a favor and GO AWAY. Nobody wants to SEE YOURE LIFELESS SHIT

You are an idiot. We all know it now. Now GO AWAY!

2525. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35136ef9.5701819@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166428

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 19:02:54 -0800, -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
wrote:

>Bill Cheek wrote:
>
>> The name of that PARG outfit is, guess what?
>> Phantom Amateur Radio Group.
>
>No FOOL, it is "Phantom's Amateur Radio Group, International"!

Are they affiliated with NAMBLA?

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

2526. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351369cc.4376369@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166429

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 18:50:09 -0800, -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
wrote:

>I only gave two as an example, there were numerous others.
>
>
>MAlexder wrote:
>> Oh, I see two on-topic posts out of what, 2000?

To someone, such as yourself, who uses their fingers and toes as
numerical aids, it may *appear* that there were numerous on-topic
posts. I doubt if you have made a half-dozen in your entire career.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
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have to show you any stinking badges!"-
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OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

2527. Pro 2042 & Programmit question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <3513758B.2599E59@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 166430
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Howdy...

Just took a look around inside the 2042 for my anticipated installation of the Programmit interface next week (found CN503, etc)...[you can imagine my surprise when I found my channels ERASED after I put the thing back together! YUCK!].

My question is this: How should I connect my Programmit circuit with the scanner? I purchased the etched board from Far Circuits. I suppose I could scotch-tape the board to the outside of the scanner and have 17 wires going through a hole on the top of the scanner... but I want this project to be *different*! :-)

If anyone has any pictures (or words), I'd love to see 'em!

Thanks,

Chris Stankevitz
cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu
(don't forget to remove NOSPAM)

2528. Re: BC235xlt & Pro 90 info...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: emoney250@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032108102701.DAA11790@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166431

Anyone will make anything up to sell (or aid in the sale of) a product. My experience with both units is that they are both equal in performance. Yes, the 235 offers an extra battery and such. The only way to go is the Radio Shack model for the 5 year TSP (Tandy Service Plan) warranty for approximately $60. You just can't beat that protection!!!!!!!

2529. My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSP&#65533;Mrg.org>
Message-ID: <351425EB.136A@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166432
Cross-posted to: microsoft.public.games.zone.simulation,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I just wanted to let everyone know that I am gay. I've been a really bad mood these last few months, as I broke up with my long time lover. Don't worry, I'll be much less abusive now since I've found a brand new boytoy to pump my asshole into a bloody mess nightly again! I'm really sorry about any problems I've caused in the newsgroup! Gotta run, as I have 10'' of manhood calling me right now!!!

2530. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6evv1p$13d@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166433

geovet@ix.netcom.com (George Vetterle) wrote:

>On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 19:02:54 -0800, -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
>wrote:
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>>Bill Cheek wrote:
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>>> The name of that PARG outfit is, guess what?
>>> Phantom Amateur Radio Group.
>>
>>No FOOL, it is "Phantom's Amateur Radio Group, International"!
>
>Are they affiliated with NAMBLA?
>

Don't get that Mackey started with his sick crap again.
What he does in private is his business so long as he don't
post no more pervert stuff like he did a while back. That was
going to far. There's kids that read these news groups!

/Sal

2531. Re: Bill Cheek needs a LIFE, somobody HELP HIM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f0082$rd5@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166434

obfd@aol.com (OBFD) wrote:

>OK, I admit it, I REALLY couldn't give a rip for John Mackey. Arrogant, rude,
>but at least he gets laid once in a while. Obviously Cheeks even gets turned
>down BY HIS PALM!
>
>Judging from the IMMENSE quantity of Bill Cheeks posts (should read BUTT
>Cheeks) railing about JM, THE MAN HAS NO LIFE. Ironically, he claims to be
>taking the high road. Slams JM for "off topic post".
>
>Let's see Mr. Cheeks, just HOW MANY POSTS have you left in the last week about
>JM? Like that's "on topic" (shit for brains)
>
>You need help. You need a life, best part is,
>
>EVEN YOU CAN AFFORD A LIFE, THEY"RE ON SALE THIS WEEK AT KMART!
>
>Do us all a favor and GO AWAY. Nobody wants to SEE YOURE LIFELESS SHIT
>
>You are an idiot. We all know it now. Now GO AWAY!

Your full of crap! Mackey aint been laid since Richard Simmons was in
Portland. Who is this US and WE? You got a mouse in your pocket
or something? What the hell have YOU posted about scanners?

/Sal

2532. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <35139148.53AA@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166435

Tim Tyler wrote:
> To complain about any irrelevent Usenet posts by Mackey, forward the
> offending post & your complaint message to:
> webmaster@parg.org
> mscott@teleport.com

Gee Tim I think you posted about FOUR messages IDENTICLE to this.

Perhaps people should complain about the SPAM YOU CREATE with DUPLICATE,
OFF-TOPIC posts to:

webmaster@mich.com & root@mich.com

2533. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <3513945F.24AF@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166436
Cross-posted to: microsoft.public.games.zone.simulation,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Another FORGE!

-John- KA0SSF wrote:
> I just wanted to

2534. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <351391FA.7FAD@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166437

hehehehe hohohoho hahahaha

I've always liked your twisted sense of humor, George!

George Vetterle wrote:
> To someone, such as yourself, who uses their fingers and toes as
> numerical aids, it may *appear* that there were numerous on-topic.

2535. Re: Good Bye John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <351392F6.1652@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166438

OBFD wrote:
> Only one thing worse than a Mackey, and it's caled CHEEKS

hehehehehe, I like your style!

2536. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <35139341.1345@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166439

George, what is NAMBLA?

George Vetterle wrote:
> Are they affiliated with NAMBLA?

2537. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Message-ID: <351393BA.66F7@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Source record: 166440

Sal-

I didn't do the things you are referring to, I was
being forged by someone not brave enough to use
their own ID.

Salvatore Gambino wrote:
> Don't get that Mackey started with his sick crap again.
> What he does in private is his business so long as he don't
> post no more pervert stuff like he did a while back. That was
> going to far. There's kids that read these news groups!

2538. For Sale Pro 39 scanner full 800 mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f04a4$9gt@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166441

Selling a very clean pro 39 scanner by radio shack 1994 model the good one!!! 200 ch hyperscan full 800 mhz no gap's super cond sellling for ..
$175.00 shipped via US Mail priorty mail in so cal....let me know thanks..
PS this looks just like a pro 43 scanner...

2539. Re: If Belden 9913 coax is so good, why doen't Grove or RS sell it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: v113819@idt.net
Message-ID: <3513A6E5.5F60@idt.net>
Source record: 166442

nospam@here.com wrote:
>
> Just curious as to why its so hard to find.
>
> thcx

Yes I have found it to be the best, And I`v tried the rest,
by it if u can find it, u wont be sorry.

mike.

2540. Re: Baltimore MDT Frequencies...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <wa3swa@bcpl.net>
Message-ID: <35141DD3.4077@bcpl.net>
Source record: 166443

Andy Domonkos wrote:
>
> What if any frequency is used by Baltimore County MDT systems? Thanks.
>
> Andy
>
> --
> ==
> My Sony FD-7 Digital Photo Web pages http://www.erols.com/domonkos
> and also at http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/9870/
>
> While there, visit my Astro Photo Page...
> ==

Andy,
Here's they are.
853.0125, 853.5875, 853.5875, 853.4125, 854.5625, 853.0375

854.0125, 854.0375

also BGE has a couple.
852.3375 & 852.8875
--
"73", Bob, wa3swa@bcpl.net in Baltimore, MD.

2541. Re: What is 220.210 Mhz in SE Michigan?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald L. Tomkinson" <dtmknsn@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3515C6E3.755@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166096

It is ACSB or Single sideband. Just listen on USB, 5khz steps. Don't have SSB on your radio/scanner?? Bring out the 10.7/10.8/10.85 IF and run it to a SW reciever set @ the same freq.

Don
--
-
Location: N33d42m08s W117d59m24s Grid Square: DM13AQ UTC -8hrs.
Scanners: Air-8, AR2001, AR900, BC50, BC101, BC142 (mod Wx sats), BC20/20, BC2500, FRG9600, HP100, HX1000, HX1500, Pro26, Pro2004/5/6, Pro2045, Pro2046, R532, R7000, SX200N.
Software: Deltacomm v3.9, Probe v3.0, ScanCat Gold v6.0, ScanStar v3.66.
Shortwave: DC777, DX160, ICF2010, R70, R71A, R1000.

2542. Mackey/Cheek go to alt.mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: pja <pja@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <3515C8C7.189FC8AD@pacifier.com>
Source record: 166097

Why don't Mackey and Cheek go to alt.mackey and fight it out.

2543. AR 8000 Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Wilson <dwilson@WarpLink.com>
Message-ID: <6f4hk4$gm6$1@news.vaxxine.com>
Source record: 166098

Can anyone suggest a decent antenna for the AR 8000 that works very well in the 130-160 mghz. range. I want to listen to the local police & fire department but the shitty factory rubber duck antenna doesn't quite cut it.

2544. law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Weidner <weidner@kwiknet.net>
Message-ID: <6f4k1m$5qv$1@news10.ispnews.com>
Source record: 166099

HYPOTHETICAL "FER INSTANCE" ---
Suppose I am able to hear my neighbor's babysitting monitor on 49 MHz or/and their cordless fone on 46 MHz and I hear them abusing their infant? If I report it (as required, I believe, by my state's laws), am I in violation of Federal privacy laws.
I want NO trouble with regard to this inasmuch as I have a responsible positon within my community and am fairly well known locally.

(My lawyer has no expertise in this area --- assuming I had no lawyer for this
HYPOTHETICAL example....)

2545. Golf Course Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <3515D347.1896@prodigy.net>
Source record: 166100
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Golf course frequencies are now posted at
http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/home.html

2546. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3515E226.37322D53@primenet.com>
Source record: 166101
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

_John "Richard Simmonds makes me quiver with delight" *KA0SSF* sniveled:

> WHAT A LIE!!!

Ah, the most prolific liar on the Internet today thinks he knows
the truth when he sees it. Not.

> Would you like me to post a few examples of when YOU have
> started the crap BILL?

Go ahead, Toilet Boy. The only examples you can post supporting you
are forgeries, let alone the truth.

2547. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3515E34E.4DE25E9C@primenet.com>
Source record: 166102

_John "I'm here to lie to you and you're going to take it!" *KA0SSF*
foamed at the mouth:

> What a terrible waste of bandwidth that 30 to 40% represents. I think
> THAT is what is point is! How coincidental that BILL CHEEK is the
> common denominator in all the problems that occur on this NG.

ROTFLMAO! The only coincidence here is YOU Toilet Boy. You are at the
heart of *all* the chaos in the scanner groups today. You have such a
grudge against Cheek that if he said the sky was blue, you'd dispute
him simply because he said it. What a hypocrite you are, Toilet Boy.

2548. Mackey Dreck (A Star Trek Parody)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3515E6D5.D3AF8968@primenet.com>
Source record: 166103
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Uhuru: Captain, I'm receiving a primitive radio wave transmission
from the planet below, audio only.

Kirk: A transmission? From Planet Mackey? I thought the species
occupying the planet had only evolved somewhere between a
cockroach and a monosyllabic anthropoid. Spock, I need
answers, dammit!

Spock: Searching Captain. Two standard years ago, the planet was
visited by a rec.radio.scanner research vessel. The ships
logs show one of the planetary inhabitants had evolved
into an almost subhuman species through a freak accident
involving consumption of extremely high quantities of
prozac and a blue water derived from a fecal disinfectant
known as vanish. The prototype life form showed exaggerated
tendencies to prevaricate and create ficticious personas
using an ancient Earth computer network technique known as
"faking email addresses." The logs go on to describe many
incidents of irrational aggressiveness towards others in
pitiful attempts at gathering attention. The ships linguist
has translated the language. I'm programming the computer
with the information. The universal translator now speaks
and understands the language known as Toilet Boy, Captain.
The translator will allow us to hear each sentence as it is
translated.

Kirk: Acknowledged Mr. Spock. Uhuru, put the transmission on
audio.

Uhuru: Yes, Captain. On audio.

Toilet Boy: I'm 6'1" & under 200 lbs, so I am *HARDLY* "overweight".

Translator: I'm 5'6" & am trying to keep my weight under 250 pounds.
Hopefully, my lover Richard Simmonds will be able to
help me loose the weight by pumping me silly.

Toilet Boy: I see public people every day!

Translator: I watch a lot of television in between selling womans
shoes.

Toilet Boy: NO, all the equipment is new out of the box, others do
the maintainence.

Translator: Of course, the shoes are new. After I try them all on, others clean them up before I sell them.

Toilet Boy: No, it is a LARGE corporation you have DEFINATELY heard of. They advertise frequently!!!!

Translator: I work at K-Mart.

Toilet Boy: Hardly, I just got a 5% raise 2 weeks ago!!!

Translator: The new shoe lifts work great. Now I'm tall enough to kiss my dear Richard Simmonds full on the lips.

Toilet Boy: Nope, I see different customers all day long for my employing company!

Translator: We have no repeat business and dismal sales because the female customers keep getting mad when I want to smell their feet and want to try on their shoes..

Toilet Boy: You were WRONG on every single one!

Translator: I'm confused. How do you work the shoe size thingy?

Kirk: Spock, your analysis.

Spock: Fascinating, Captain! Quite possibly the first totally clueless lifeform comsumed by abject misery and completely lacking any form of self esteem we've encountered. A completely useless life form.

Kirk: Recommendations?

McCoy: Damn it, Jim, I'm just a country doctor. I don't know a thing about parasite life forms. Rub some preparation h on it and call me in the morning.

Spock: It would make an interesting case study. A life form with no females of the species, rampant homosexuality, massive delusions of adequacy, excessive prevarication, and a propensity to attack anyone who comes within a few feet. I predict a 99.875% chance of extinction of the species within the next 1.3 standard years, Captain. We can satisy the prime directive by leaving this life form to survive or perish on its own.

Kirk: Very good Spock. Chekov, lay in a course for Talos 4, warp factor two. Engage.

Chekov: Aye, Captain. Course laid in, warp two. Engaging.

2549. Re: BC895 Low Line-out Audio Output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A.T. Domonkos" <domonkos@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3515E96D.A3494C47@erols.com>
Source record: 166104
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Yes, even the BC890xlt and 9000xlt have the same problem. I find that turning up the volume to a low listening level helps. Also, I plug an earphone into the EXT.SP jack so the scanner doesn't wake me at night.

Andy

Bob Parnass, AJ9S wrote:

> I regret that the line out audio jack in the Uniden BC895XLT
> is simply a lower amplitude earphone-type jack.
>
> Its level varies with the setting of the Volume control.
>
> This shortcoming is a tradition which dates back to the
> 1976-era Electra/Bearcat BC-250.
> --
> ==========
> Copyright 1997, Bob Parnass, AJ9S parnass@bell-labs.com
>
> Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

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and also at http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/9870/

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2550. The right scanner...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ember1 <ember1@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3515E6EA.692EE9CD@erols.com>
Source record: 166105

I am new to scanning and plan to purchase a scanner with in the next
week. But before I do so I want to make sure I buy the right one for
what I do. I mostly listen to rail and air. Police/fire isn't high on
the priority list. I was thinking the SportCat 150 B would be a good
choice. What do you think?
thanks...
clb=me
www.dchardcore.org

2551. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A.T. Domonkos" <domonkos@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3515EA91.7DEADDBE@erols.com>
Source record: 166106

Better yet, say "officer, I was working in my yard and I heard GUT WRENCHING SCREAMING from an infant., etc.....you take it from there...

Andy

Mike NRA wrote:

> In article <6f4k1m$5qv$1@news10.ispnews.com>, "Jim Weidner"
> <weidner@kwiknet.net> writes:
>
> >HYPOTHETICAL "FER INSTANCE" ---
> >Suppose I am able to hear my neighbor's babysitting monitor on 49 MHz or/and
> >their cordless fone on 46 MHz and I hear them abusing their infant? If I
> >report it (as required, I believe, by my state's laws), am I in violation of
> >Federal privacy laws.
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> >positon within my community and am fairly well known locally.
> >
> >(My lawyer has no expertise in this area --- assuming I had no lawyer
> >for this
> >HYPOTHETICAL example....)
> >
> >
> >
> >
>
> All I can say is what I would do. The ramifications from allowing a neighbor to
> continue abusing his child are a lot worse then the ramifications of being
> found out that you were HYPOTHETICALLY snooping with a scanner.
>
> "Officer, I was just running through some random frequencies and I stumbled
> over THIS. Perhaps you should check it out."
>
> I would report it without question, Hypothetically
>
> Mike NRA
>
> "Better people be distressed by my freedom than my oppression" - Mike NRA
> National Rifle Association Life Member

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2552. Re: Walt Disney World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A.T. Domonkos" <domonkos@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3515EBA4.120F92F4@erols.com>
Source record: 166107

If Disney catches you scanning their operations they will shoot you! Actually, they have give people with scanners a hard time, asking them to deposit them with security until they left the park.

BTW anyone know what that BIG FENCE is that they haul in on these barges on the lagoon? I was at Disney this past Christmas and everynight about 10PM this long 'train' of barges had what looked like a 12 foot high fence dragged across the lagoon cutting off the resort hotels from the theme park.
No, I'm not kidding and no, I didn't have a few too many Mickey chasers ;-)

Andy

rockie@bright.net wrote:

> Could someone give me some frequencies for WDW administration---or any others
> you might have?
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

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2553. AR 2002 Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuartl73@aol.com
Message-ID: <6f4sqr$1hm$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166108

Does anyone have a copy of the AOR AR-2002 schematic diagram?
Thanks, Stuart K6YAZ

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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2554. Scanner Freq Database(Chicago Computer Broker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: klimasewski@mail.dec.com
Message-ID: <3515910E.3DD9@mail.dec.com>
Source record: 166109

I can't seem to got this CD to isntall on my PC. Has anyone else
had problems with this CD. Is there another way to read the files?

thanks,
Ken

2555. Re: Reusable Alakine Batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6f4vlm$pme@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 166110

fishbags@aol.com (Fishbags) writes:
> I would have to say stay away from these. Even the mfgrs claim a maximum of
>20-30 charges before they won't hold much & need to be replaced. each charge
>is weaker than the last, and if you discharge them too deep you can kill'em
>even quicker.

If you use a piece of equipment a lot (say once a week or more), by all means use NiCd or NiMH cells. NiCd will give you the cheapest operating cost, NiMH will give longer operating time per charge.

But both of these self-discharge at a fairly high rate. If you charge a set of cells and don't use them for several weeks or a month, a substantial portion of the charge has vanished on its own.

Rechargeable alkalines have a long shelf life, like regular alkalines, so they are ideal for something that is used less frequently. They also have more energy than NiCd or even NiMh, at least for the first few cycles.

They do have higher internal resistance than NiCd, NiMH, or even regular alkalines, so they are best in devices with relatively low and continuous battery drain - like a scanner. They are really not very suitable for intermittent high-drain use, like in an electronic flash or a transceiver. NiCd and NiMH cells are much better for that.

Dave

2556. Look!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will McArthur <willmcarthur@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <6f5egk$o9c$1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 166111

By DAVID ESPO
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) Rep. Jim McDermott intends to "vigorously defend" himself against a first-of-its-kind lawsuit charging he leaked the contents of an illegally taped cellular phone call involving House Speaker Newt Gingrich.

Read the whole story at:
<http://allpolitics.com/1998/03/10/ap/mcdermott.lawsuit/>

2557. Kenwood FRS Scrambling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronszzz@go-concepts.com
Message-ID: <35145c9d.5192413@news.go-concepts.com>
Source record: 166112
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Anyone Know what type scrambling the Kenwood Family Radio Service
radios use?
Probably speech inversion? I don't hear any FRS activity at all here.

For e-mail replys remove the zzz.

Thanks

2558. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charlie Warfield, Jr." <charlie66@Ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3515DE92.202D@Ameritech.net>
Source record: 166113

falcor14@ix.netcom.com wrote:
>
> George and John,
>
> Here's some information about NAMBLA.
>
> NAMBLA: WHERE WE STAND

(flakey, screwed up justifications for deviant behavior snipped because
I don't want to do them the favor of repeating it)

You are one sick, sick, bastard. C'mon on by so I can shoot ya.

2559. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <R.35159A2A.20D@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166114
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Bill Cheek wrote:

> He's here only to conduct a vendetta.

Are you talking about yourself Bill?

> Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com> wrote:
> > let him post he has some good points.
>
> Not on scanners and scanning, he doesn't. He
> has no interest in this topic whatsoever. Nor
> any knowledge of it, either.

What's the matter Bill? Can't you handle Dana's opinions?

x

2560. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Eq82AK.8Ew@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 166146

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998, -John- KA0SSF wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > The name of that PARG outfit is, guess what?
> > Phantom Amateur Radio Group.
>
> No FOOL, it is "Phantom's Amateur Radio Group, International"!

Sounds like a good-buddy CB skip-shooting club!

Puritanism (noun): The overwhelming fear that somebody,
somewhere, may be having fun...

2561. Walt Disney World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rockie@bright.net
Message-ID: <6f3ocg$r1p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166147

Could someone give me some frequencies for WDW administration---or any others you might have?

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2562. WTB: PRO 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ab910@lafn.org
Message-ID: <1998Mar22.185809.16726@lafn.org>
Source record: 166148

I had one years ago and find I need another. What's a good price and source for one of these units? They were new from RS for $269. but that was years ago. Ideas?

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"If people in this city realized what was going on here every night, they'd get the hell out." LAPD Crime Scene photog', 20 years on.

2563. Re: Need user feedback on WiNRADiO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: legend@cyberpunk.net
Message-ID: <3515619e.5379623@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 166149

Sorry about that. The price I listed was typo. It should have read
$475, not $575.

BTW- Has anyone ever tried to develope software that will allow your
PC to emulate a scanner without the hard card? Or, because of the way
the electonics are configured on a motherboard, it is isn't possble to
do so?

Dave

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 02:05:35 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
wrote:

>David Davidson <newimage@primenet.com> wrote:
>
>> I've visited several sites over the last couple of days that give info
>> (details, specs, and prices) about WiNRADiO and it's other related
>> products. I am thinking about purchasing it (the basic package), but I
>> am still not sure if I want to pay as much as $575 for it.
>>
>> If you have used, or are currently using WiNRADiO, could you please give
>>
>> me some feedback on it's pro's/con's, and whether it's worth the money.
>> Thanks...
>
>$575 is awful high. Where'd you see that? If you're
>really interested, contact me by e-mail for what's
>probably the lowest price around.
>
>Since I sell WiNRADiO, anything I say about it is
>likely to be misconstrued by kibitzers and outsiders,
>but suffice to say that I like mine.
>
>-- ----
>Bill Cheek - President/CEO/Publisher \ /
>COMMtronics Engineering/World Scanner Report \/
>Box 262478 ~ San Diego ~ CA ~ 92196-2478 /\
>bcheek@san.rr.com ftp://204.210.11.204 / \
>http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
>-- ---
>
>

2564. Brevard County FL Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@brevard.com
Message-ID: <35157886.247704175@news.digital.net>
Source record: 166150

I would appreciate any help getting the frequencies for Brevard County FL. Thanks...

Mike

2565. Re: digital mode scanners, are available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f3q15$5ur$3@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 166151
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

John Lidstrom wrote:
>
> to call a Motorola Astro a scanner is .....a bit of a stretch. The Astro
> is
> a full blown top drawer public safety portable, needs to be externally
> programmed by SOMEONE ELSE (lessin' ya'll got the software key)
> and will do a wonderful job of listening to digital audio until they
> encryption
> key is changed.
> But then, so will my Soundblaster Awe64. Or so I'm told.
> John
>

The next advent of scanners will be DSP. Think of a CD player. About three chips: DSP, filter and amp. A reconfigurable receivers are now just hitting the market (Icom PRC-1000, WinRadio). This could be shrunk to handheld size. Four or five chips: RF amp, IF amp, DSP for detection and filtering, and AF amp plus an embedded microprocessor to run it. If you knew how the transmitted signal was encoded and how to program that particular receiver, you could decode anything. Plus add new features at will. Which is why we have not seen DSP modems as it would move us from buying boards to software for new modes.

Purdue is pushing DSP training in both EE and EET. Much of the old hardware hacking is gone. Even logic circuits are now programable chips. DSP has become the standard for front ends of broadcasting audio, CDs, video, telephone filtering. It is everywhere.

How are they going to stop us when we can build a reprogrammable, reconfigurable receiver?

> Rimshot wrote:
>
> > Jack wrote in message <35163544.25454286@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
> >
> > >>I have, and use, a digital scanner. It is called a Motorola Astro
> > >>Mobile.
> > >
> > >Check out:
> > >http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/8539/GSMINDEX.HTM
> > >
> > >very interesting...
> >
> > Okay, has anyone heard of this?

> > Very interesting indeed
> > --
> > Rimshot

2566. Re: WTB: PRO 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032219504201.OAA05035@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166152

>I had one years ago and find I need another. What's a good price and
>source for one of these units? They were new from RS for $269. but that
>was years ago. Ideas?

Hugh Duff just posted one for sale in this newsgroup. The price he is asking
is quite reasonable ($325US) if the radio is in good condition.

2567. Re: WTB: PRO 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032219563600.OAA01254@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166153

I just sold mine for $315 shipped.

Ed

2568. PROgramit & John M.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <35156E5A.713E@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 166154
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I would just like to let everyone know that I got my PROgramit up and running for my 2042! The PROgramit allows computer control of many RS scanners. The thing is incredible... the parts only cost me about $20-25! Imagine me, a guy who didn't even know how pins are numbered on ICs, managing to set up such a project!

I would also like to personally thank John M, creator of the PROgramit, for the great help and advice he gave me during the construction of the project (which really didn't take that long).

Again, thank you, John, for the time and effort you put into this. I'll be registering my copy of the program today!

Info on the PROgramit can be found at http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/

Chris Stankevitz

2569. Madison WI Fire Stations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: MPM <mconnell@itis.com>
Message-ID: <6f3qdp$f1o$1@news.itis.com>
Source record: 166155

Can anyone tell me what has happened to Fire Station #9? Has it been
relocated?

2570. scanning in NYC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: gal1977@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032220131401.PAA04000@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166156

anyone here from NY.? does anyone have any intersting undercover frequencies? Like the protitute busts going on in the city? Please post any interesting frequency!

Dave

2571. need to get the new police frequencies in mason city ia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave halverson <jock10@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd55d0$d6c78380$9d0c8ea7@hondoh.netins.net>
Source record: 166157

I need to get the new frequencies for the mason city police dept,they are switching to higher band freq's this month,please email me at jock10@hotmail.com or post a message...thanks alot,and the current freq is 460.375

2572. Re: AR2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <PRh83dBbyWF1Ewlq@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 166158

In article <6f3chc$f2d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, r-guido@usa.net writes

Hi,

>Where I can get the software to control my ar2500 scanner.Also, what happened
>with the company that sold these. ACE COMMUNICATIONS

I can't answer your latter question I'm afraid but there have been
several packages that support the AR2500/TR-4500.

ACE distributed a control package produced by a Company called
"Gesmundo" (they also did one for the AR3000) - unfortunatly I have not
seen reference to this for some time and don't know if its still
availale from any sources in the States. We did have a copule of copies
left a while back but I am not sure what we have now.

ScanCat from Computer Aided Technologies (www.scancat.com) will also
work with the AR2500 so you might check that out also.

I can't just think of any others from the top of my head I'm afraid !

Hope that helps, all the best

Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, U.K.	AOR AR5000/7000/7030/8000, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Realistic PRO-26/2042, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627	Uniden UBC-3000XLT/UBC-9000XLT, Icom IC-R10
Clough@Javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
PGP Key available on request \ http://www.javiation.co.uk/
\--/

2573. Re: digital mode scanners, are available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Troy Nichols <nichols@nichols.netkonect.co.uk>
Message-ID: <351593FE.2827@nichols.netkonect.co.uk>
Source record: 166159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

When will we see a TNC built on a PCMCIA card?

2574. WIN RADIO via remote PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ClaytonF_Gibbs <cfgibbs@valdosta.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.95.980322150402.8574A-100000@grits>
Source record: 166160

Could a device such as WIN RADIO be remotely tuned and received from another PC via TCP/IP dialup/WWW?? Both parties would need WR hard/software I assume. Adding Real Audio in this mix, there are some interesting possibilities. If this is achievable, how many remote users could access the WIN RADIO simulataneously? Seems like it would make line of sight reception obsolete in a sense. Has anyone attempted or though of this kind of setup?

I've tried Jeff Chiltons web HF radio (http://www.chilton.com/scripts/radio/R8-receiver) but you have to wait for the audio to download. Was curious if anyone has went a few steps further in this area.

Clay

2575. FS BC855XLT full 800mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Riss <riss@succeed.net>
Message-ID: <01bd55d3$dde86fa0$2635abce@riss>
Source record: 166161

I have a BC855XLT with full 800mhz coverage for sale. Asking $75.00 OBO.
Please email me directly.

2576. FS: Alinco DJ-X10E Comm. Receiver & other stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your Name <mkparamedic@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f3uqf$8b7@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166162

DJ-X10E, NEW unit, 2 batteries, 115V charger

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8976551

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Fluke 8020b Handheld Multimeter

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8910215

****

RS Frequency Counter

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8763900

****

Magellan Pioneer GPS, 12 Sat tracking

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8880962

****

2577. Please harass directkly via e-mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032221305000.QAA17300@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166163

Hey, instead of posting this endless stream of garbage on USENET, why don't you jokers harass each other via e-mail? Your messages of agitation will arrive quicker and you won't have to be bothered by others jumping on the bandwagon to put in their two cents worth.

Now, can we PLEASE get back to discussing RADIO on this RADIO newsgroup?

2578. Re: Pro 2042 & Programmit question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Knut Otterbeck <otterbec@online.no>
Message-ID: <3515879A.64493898@online.no>
Source record: 166164
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

What if you have the Opto535 computer-interface board installed
inside your Pro-2042 ? Is there still room for the Programmit
circuit? (Could still need such a utility for when on the go..)

Does the circuit produce any heat? How much current does it
draw? Any other problems anyone can see with this triplet ?

Pro-2042/Opto535/Programmit/Probe 4.0 , what more could you
really wish for in a "down-to-earth" scanner setup ?

Regards,
Knut Otterbeck

Jabba T. Hutt wrote:
>
> Well if you have room inside the scanner that is the best place for
> it as it will make for a smaller hole in the back of the scanner, I
> believe you could get away with a db9 plug, there has to be some free
> relastate in there to drill some holes to mount supports for it.
> If you don't want to drill any holes in the scanner remove the
> battery holder and mount the battery internal, which means you have to
> remove the case to change but that is only once every year or two.
> Then make a plate to cover the battery hole and mount your db-9 if
> installing the circuit interenal or you could mount the db25 if
> installing the circuit in a project box.
>
> On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 00:08:43 -0800, Chris Stankeviz
> <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu> wrote:
>
> >Howdy...
> >
> >Just took a look around inside the 2042 for my anticipated installation
> >of the Programmit interface next week (found CN503, etc)...[you can
> >imagine my surprise when I found my channels ERASED after I put the
> >thing back together! YUCK!].
> >
> >My question is this: How should I connect my Programmit circuit with the
> >scanner? I purchased the etched board from Far Circuits. I suppose I
> >could scotch-tape the board to the outside of the scanner and have 17
> >wires going through a hole on the top of the scanner... but I want this
> >project to be *different*! :-)
> >
> >If anyone has any pictures (or words), I'd love to see 'em!
> >

> >Thanks,
> >
> >Chris Stankevitz
> >cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu
> >(don't forget to remove NOSPAM)

2579. Re: Pro 2042 & Programmit question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Montalbano <jrmont@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <3515B34D.7314@iquest.net>
Source record: 166165
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Knut Otterbeck wrote:
>
> What if you have the Opto535 computer-interface board installed
> inside your Pro-2042 ? Is there still room for the Programmit
> circuit? (Could still need such a utility for when on the go..)

I am quite sure that others have done this. Join the list at
majordomo@qth.net with subscribe programit in the body. Then send mail
to programit at qth.net and someone can answer this.
>
> Does the circuit produce any heat? How much current does it
> draw? Any other problems anyone can see with this triplet ?

The circuit draws very little current, perhaps 20 - 30 mA and does not
produce any noticeable heat.
>
> Pro-2042/Opto535/Programmit/Probe 4.0 , what more could you
> really wish for in a "down-to-earth" scanner setup?

How about IR remote control from a handheld controller and wireless
downloads at a few hundred feet. Visit http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj for
more details.

John Montalbano
KA2PYJ

2580. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3515B105.36DB@ibm.net>
Source record: 166166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

D Stark wrote:

> With pleasure. One source is the NF2G Scannist Pages Canadian
> section. Go to http://www.ggw.org/nf2g/canada_index.html and follow
> the "Laws & Regs" link. If you want to dig further and read the
> entire text of the law, the proper cites are given.

I can state categorically that our Industry Canada is not interested in
persuing people listening to Cellular Telephones or using information
obtained from listening to a scanner for profit.

That's the fact jack.
--
Andy Moss
"Whose woods these are I think I know...."

2581. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3515B319.5285@ibm.net>
Source record: 166167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:

> Some sources say a dipole has an input impedance
> of 75 ohms, but that is true ONLY under very narrow
> conditions of Fo at *certain* heights above ground.
> For random heights, the impedance varies widely
> from 75 ohms. Also, on either side of the design
> center, there are wide swings of impedance.

Actually, normally this only rears it's ugly head when you are dealing with HF frequencies and stringing up wire dipoles. I think the original poster was interested in 40-50MHz. My only concern would be the polarization of his dipole. It would probably be a good idea to mount it vertically. It's possible that if it were mounted close to the tower that the impedance would be reduced somewhat.

> Partly to design, of course, but also random
> heights and a huge bandwidth.....

There's the key right there. The bandwidth.

> In actual practice, the homemade dipole will exhibit
> impedances ranging from 100 ohms on up to 300 ohms,
> so the actual case will usually be better than
> a 4:1 mismatch.

Um, I'm not sure about this. But I'm sure about my next suggestion....

> Lastly, a dipole is a balanced antenna, so there
> is a great value in using a balun to match the
> antenna to the unbalanced coax....basically the
> antenna will do all the work and not the coax...
> and the coax will serve its purpose of shielding
> and low loss.

There's is a definate benefit in making the dipole a "folded dipole". This would improve the bandwidth considerably - especially when used in conjunction with the 300-75Ohm balun. If the original poster would like instructions I will be pleased to provide.

Cheers!
--
Andy Moss
"Whose woods these are I think I know...."

2582. Minitor I or II, Looking for...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <xxxemw-1@att.net>
Message-ID: <6f423s$5bk@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166168
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hello.

I am looking to purchase a Minitor I or II pager (with charger) with the

frequency of 154.070 already in place. The PL tone function and
quick-call capabilities are not needed as I would like all transmissions

on this particular frequency to come through.

I would prefer a used Minitor, but would welcome hearing about any new
pagers that are at a decent price and can be shipped 154.070 capable.

Thanks for any suggestions or assistance!

*** Please remove the "xxx" from my e-mail address when replying
directly ***

Ed
(xxx)emw-1@att.net

2583. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <351599A2.7067@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166169

Close but not quite!

Actually, amateur radio is a seperate radio service than the citizen's radio service (CB). CB uses 27 Mhz, Amateur radio uses MANY different frequency bands. A extensive test is required for a amateur radio license in most countries, and you can do FAR more with amateur radio than CB.

If you are interested in getting an amateur radio license, let me know!

John T. Arthur wrote:

> On Fri, 20 Mar 1998, -John- KA0SSF wrote:
> it is "Phantom's Amateur Radio Group, International"!
>
> Sounds like a good-buddy CB skip-shooting club!

2584. Re: Please harass directkly via e-mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35168d09.6091511@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166170
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb

And miss the comments of individuals like yourself??
Hardly.

On 22 Mar 1998 21:30:50 GMT, thehamguy@aol.com (TheHamGuy) wrote:

>Hey, instead of posting this endless stream of garbage on USENET, why don't you
>jokers harass each other via e-mail? Your messages of agitation will arrive
>quicker and you won't have to be bothered by others jumping on the bandwagon to
>put in their two cents worth.
>
>Now, can we PLEASE get back to discussing RADIO on this RADIO newsgroup?

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

2585. Re: Please harass directkly via e-mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032222223801.RAA26241@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166171

In article <35168d09.6091511@news.det.ameritech.net>, thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb Guy) writes:

>And miss the comments of individuals like yourself??
>Hardly.

Go argue with your friend Chucky some more. Janet Reno wants to see some more of your postings.

2586. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <35159A2A.20D@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166172
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:

> He's here only to conduct a vendetta.

Are you talking about yourself Bill?

> Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com> wrote:
> > let him post he has some good points.
>
> Not on scanners and scanning, he doesn't. He
> has no interest in this topic whatsoever. Nor
> any knowledge of it, either.

What's the matter Bill? Can't you handle Dana's opinions?

x

2587. BC-9000XLT Mods Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zachary Taffet <ztaffet@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <6f41ms$2bc$1@news.onramp.net>
Source record: 166173

Does anyone have mods for the BC-9000XLT to remove the freq. blocks?

Thanks!

Zach

2588. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <35159A80.38FC@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166174
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

thanks Dana!

Dana Yeomans wrote:
> i want to know whats wrong with john mackey? let him post.
> he has some good points.

2589. Re: Bill Cheek needs a LIFE, somobody HELP HIM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3515984e.147563365@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166175

On 21 Mar 1998 07:25:56 GMT, obfd@aol.com (OBFD) wrote:

>OK, I admit it, I REALLY couldn't give a rip for John Mackey. Arrogant, rude,
>but at least he gets laid once in a while. Obviously Cheeks even gets turned
>down BY HIS PALM!

How would you know? Must be that you are on the receiving end....
>
>Judging from the IMMENSE quantity of Bill Cheeks posts (should read BUTT
>Cheeks) railing about JM, THE MAN HAS NO LIFE. Ironically, he claims to be
>taking the high road. Slams JM for "off topic post".
>
>Let's see Mr. Cheeks, just HOW MANY POSTS have you left in the last week about
>JM? Like that's "on topic" (shit for brains)
>
>You need help. You need a life, best part is,
>
>EVEN YOU CAN AFFORD A LIFE, THEY"RE ON SALE THIS WEEK AT KMART!

Ha ha ha, must be where you got yours!

AOL'rs, when will they learn?

2590. Scanning from the Death Valley Backcountry...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adam Lane <alane@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <351597CF.4F31@thegrid.net>
Source record: 166176

Just got back from Death Valley a few days ago; it's a "must see"
for the desert flower bloom...only a handful of blooms like this
occur in a century.

I used my scanner radio while car camping on backcountry roads for the
first time and was amazed to find all of the great information
that came across on 170.1 MHz...

An extended weather report was broadcast every day at about 9:30am.

I got to hear the very second that Titus Road opened.

All road closures were broadcast, as well as all roads that were
open.

It's worth it to listen just for the specific extended weather report
just for the Death Valley region. The day after it rained, they
broadcast all of the rain totals...it rained 0.1" on me...that was
a fierce night of winds.

It's a fine public service and I did not expect to get so much
valuable information! It was like having the ranger front desk
right at my fingertips...in fact, I found that some of the rangers
at the visitor center front desk were not completely in touch with
the status of the park. The radio has the most accurate information.

You could also hear the rangers performing law enforcement
duties such as dealing with people camping in illegal areas,
and also organizing a trip in the backcountry to check on
people camping out there.

I camped up Hanaupah canyon for two days; on the second day at 9am, I
could hear a ranger across the valley at Badwater using his
binoculars to count the number of people camping out there on
Trail Canyon, Hanaupah Canyon and Johnson Canyon roads.
As well as the people camping less than one mile from West Side
Road...a no-no. They went out to Hanaupah Canyon later in the
day at about 1:30pm and ran people's license plates and checked
permits. I had moved on to a much better campsite, in the midst
of a very dense bloom of flowers (and a very dense cloud of bugs)

Very few people actually get backcountry permits, but they are
optional. I did not have a backcountry permit for the first 5 days,
but I did get the permit for my last 4 days out there...I like to
collect 'em.

The official story about backcountry permits is that it indicates
the amount of use that backcountry sites get. However, it became
apparent that the permits are also used to determine which road
the ranger travels to be "most efficient" for checking on people.

What a thankless job. I appreciate their work and would like to be
a backcountry ranger myself, but I could never tolerate the years of
subservience to a brainless bureaucratic system that it would require.
The law enforcement aspect is depressing too...imagine running someone's
licence plate at the top of hanaupah canyon. Golly.

One ranger gets to drive the ultra-cool hum-vee, but he has been there
for over 20 years!

Other frequencies I could hear way out there...
154.725 - Local sheriffs in the Panamint Valley. Heard about
a plane crash on this freq.
170.4 - A BLM frequency, I think
853.075 - Law enforcement located to the south of DV
855.725 - More law enforcement to the south
153.8 - Another BLM frequency, I think.
154.34 - Very faint...Las Vegas area

I could also hear RF interference from my camera from 30 feet
away...the open desert is a very, very quiet area with respect
to radio interference. You can hear very faint signals.

Although I saw two jets "dogfighting" right above me, I could
not hear 'em on the military frequencies.

I would not hike around with one, but as for desert backcountry car
camping,
a scanner radio is now part of my "must have" equipment.

2591. Re: digital mode scanners, are they available (or will they ever be?)???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35169ac5.148193971@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166177

On 21 Mar 1998 15:22:51 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

>On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 03:36:31 GMT, kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net (Jack)
>wrote:
>
>>On 21 Mar 1998 02:07:44 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:
>
>>>I have, and use, a digital scanner. It is called a Motorola Astro
>>>Mobile.
>>
>>Check out:
>>http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/8539/GSMINDEX.HTM
>>
>>very interesting...
>
>Not really, Geocities says the link goes nowhere.

Really? Works for me..and yes it is interesting...

2592. AOR 3000A FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: prism@enterprise.net
Message-ID: <35159a90.2938820@news.enterprise.net>
Source record: 166178

As new in box
Offers
e-mail prism@enterprise.net
N DEVON UK

2593. Toronto MDT Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mail <gehring@shaw.wave.ca>
Message-ID: <351598C0.517FE4F@shaw.wave.ca>
Source record: 166179

Does anyone know of Frequencies in the GTA which have MDT transmissions over them.

- Mike

2594. aor8k and cu-8232

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: neurlinh@alpha.wcoil.com
Message-ID: <6f46qn$j5f$0@208.10.3.4>
Source record: 166180

Would appreciate any info. on the cu-8232 interface for the aor-8000 radio.
Where do you buy it and how much?
Also ,has anyone used ARC software with it?

Thanks,
neurlinh@wcoil.com

2595. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6f46bj$e6q@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 166181

Andy Moss (andmoss@ibm.net) writes:
> D Stark wrote:
>
>> With pleasure. One source is the NF2G Scannist Pages Canadian
>> section. Go to http://www.ggw.org/nf2g/canada_index.html and follow
>> the "Laws & Regs" link. If you want to dig further and read the
>> entire text of the law, the proper cites are given.
>
> I can state categorically that our Industry Canada is not interested in
> persuing people listening to Cellular Telephones or using information
> obtained from listening to a scanner for profit.
>
> That's the fact jack.

However based on the statutes that Dave posts on his website, it
is illegal in Canada (technically) to monitor cell, radio-telephone,
and cordless... It is not illegal to own a full-coverage scanner.
Andy is correct in saying that enforcement has low priority, as
they don't have the budget to enforce the current law. So the bottom
line is don't tell someone you are listening to them...

2596. Atomic Clock Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032223580800.SAA17885@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166182

While wandering through Wally World a couple of nights ago, a box high upon the shelf in the electronics section caught my eye. It was labelled "Atomic Clock Radio". There were none of this item on display and the item was so high on the shelf, I had to get a store clerk to get a ladder to get one down. Upon examination of the box I found it contained a clock radio with a built-in WWVB receiver which sets the clock to the NIST atomic clock. Anyway the cost was $39.96 so I bought one. After taking the item home and plugging it in, it captured a signal and set itself within about 5 minutes.

The radio is in is a purple box with large white letters "Atomic Clock Radio". It is an Emerson Research CKA1000. The UPC code is 2580603111. and the WAL-MART price sticker has the number 05/198 above the price.

I hope this post is not too much off topic, but it seems that an accurate clock in the shack is a big asset.
Bill Ford, WB5SXK
Systems Administrator
City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
Email: wb5sxk@switchboard.net

2597. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3517a530.150861648@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166183

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 22:38:19 -0600, Radioman <radioman@juno.com>
wrote:

>Dad#1 wrote:
>>
>> I have a ramsey speech descrambler and would not recomend it. It might
>> work for you but the kit needs a modification to make it easily adjustable
>> for the different inversion frec. rates. I have tried one and have been
>> unsucessful so far.
>>
>> >
>
>I have heard this problem on the SS-7 kits, but for the most part, the
>SS-70 is a working toy. Also look at this site for one, I just found it.
>
>http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html
>
>Good luck!
>
>Radioman

Check out:
http://www.lpcom.com/#freeware

software based inversion de scrambling, can't find any signals around
here using that method, but it seems like it would work great.

2598. Re: BC895 Low Line-out Audio Output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6f487f$icc@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 166184
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35157bb8.0@news.cvc.net>, Greg <chilcog@cdsnet.net> wrote:

>I recently purchased a Uniden BC895 Trunk Tracker ...
> but the audio level from the LINE output is way to low,
>.... Has anyone else had this problem?

I regret that the line out audio jack in the Uniden BC895XLT
is simply a lower amplitude earphone-type jack.

Its level varies with the setting of the Volume control.

This shortcoming is a tradition which dates back to the
1976-era Electra/Bearcat BC-250.
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2599. ICOM R10, R8500, PCR1000 -- Beat the price increase

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve@swssec.com
Message-ID: <3517a5da.148973407@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 166185

Hello list,

Here's a final chance to purchase ICOM receivers at the current prices
and specials before the price increase April 1st.

All prices INCLUDE DOMESTIC SHIPPING, and our exclusive 2 year
warranty at no extra charge.

R10 -- $ 415
R8500 -- $1650
PCR1000 -- $504
UT-106 DSP option for PCR1000 -- $125 w/ receiver, $135 separately

Other receivers and accessories quoted on request.

We can take credit cards for payment, or you can mail a check. Prices
above are bottom line prices; freight is included.

Email or fax credit card orders. Snail mail other orders to:

SWS Security
1300 Boyd Road
Street, MD 21154-1836

Unblocked receivers available to authorized users. Inquire if you
think you are eligible for cellular unblocked versions. Verified
unblocking instructions for the PCR1000 and R8500 are available on the
web, but we cannot provide copies and we do not know the websites
where the instructions live, so please DO NOT ASK. They are there;
learn to use a search engine.

Above prices are valid until March 30. Payment must be in our hands by
then. Above prices supersede all others previously posted.

Don't overlook the value of a 2 year warranty. This could save a good
chunk of change if you need service after the first year.

Steve

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tel +1+410-879-4035, fax +1+410-836-1190
"In God we trust, all others we monitor"
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2600. RS PRO-2023

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lloyd Matthews <coyoteralph@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3515D06F.1E6C@earthlink.net>
Source record: 166186

Could anyone tell me where I can get a copy of the operators manual for a Radio Shack PRO-2023 scanner.

2601. Re: Toronto MDT Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: BJC <bjc@mydesk.com>
Message-ID: <3515AE91.3785@mydesk.com>
Source record: 166187

Mail wrote:
>
> Does anyone know of Frequencies in the GTA which have MDT transmissions
> over them.
>
> - Mike

Read here.....http://www.members.home.com/ontscan/toronto.html

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"Loneliness and Cheeseburgers are a dangerous mix"
--The Simpsons comic store guy

2602. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <3515C2C3.74E7@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166188

AzraelBoy wrote:

> >From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
> >A extensive test is required for a amateur radio license

> Extensive Test!? Me and Drew didn't have to take no "extensive test".
> We just bought us a book at Radio Shack that had all the test questions in it,
> read it through that night and took and passed the test next day.

yea, I believe that. Perhaps you are right.

Now days you really don't have to know much to get a ham license,
just read a book & memorize the right answer.

When I got my ham license you had to do it the old fashioned way,
EARN IT WITH MORSE CODE & *REAL* TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE!

> Sadly, I found that the bands were full of old fart hams who were always
> talking about their gall bladders and stuff -

unfortunately, this is true in certain areas.

x

2603. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <3515C3BD.E3E@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166189

MAlexder wrote:

> YOU are the LOWEST common demoninator in all of the problems. Filthy bastard.

Then why is it that BILL CHEEK is always involved in EVERY problem that
has occured in this NG in about last year or 2?

2604. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <3515C409.11C9@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166190

Well,,,, he is a bad person so he only knows to say bed things. :-/

AzraelBoy wrote:
> Oooohhh! He said some bad things about you, man.

2605. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: falcor14@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6f4gsu$ki8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166191

George and John,

Here's some information about NAMBLA.

NAMBLA: WHERE WE STAND

The North American Man/Boy Love Association is both political and educational. We work to organize support for boys and men who have or desire consensual sexual and emotional relationships and to educate society on their positive nature. We speak out against the oppression endured by men and boys who love one another and support the right of all people to consensual intergenerational relationships. Throughout most of Western history (and not only Western), man/boy love has been the primary form of homoeroticism, and it is this love for which NAMBLA stands.

NAMBLA was founded in 1978, within Boston's gay and lesbian community, in response to a witch hunt against man/boy lovers in that city. Since then, NAMBLA has worked to build a community of support through our publications and conferences. Our spokespeople raise awareness of the issue in the media and academia, before community groups, and among the general public.

While NAMBLA's members represent a diversity of backgrounds and politics, we all share a libertarian, humanistic attitude on sexuality. We believe that sex is good and wholesome and that it is an important medium of personal expression.

NAMBLA condemns sexual abuse in all forms of coercion. We insist there is a distinction between coercive and consensual sex. Laws that focus only on the age of the participants fail to capture that distinction, for they ignore the quality of the relationship. Differences in age do not preclude mutual, loving interaction between persons any more than differences in race or class.

Some existing laws criminalize sexual relationships that are loving and fully consensual. These laws are ill-conceived and morally repugnant. As is our right, we advocate their repeal. Nothing that we speak or write about is intended to advocate or counsel the violation of such laws.

NAMBLA calls for the empowerment of youth in all areas, not just the sexual. We are against arbitrary constraints on

the rights and freedom of all, young and old. We support
greater economic, political, and social opportunities for
young people and denounce the rampant ageism that segregates
and isolates them in fear and mistrust.
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North American Man/Boy Love Association
NAMBLA's legal and for real !!
USD $35/year, $50 overseas, $5 Sample to:
NAMBLA Dept TB
PO Box 174 Midtown Station
New York, NY 10018-0174 USA
USUAL WEB SITE: http://www.nambla.org/

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2606. FS: Pro-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: AgentBlue <JDay98@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <3515BDAF.D83F7E99@prodigy.net>
Source record: 166192
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have a 2 week old Pro-64 (400 channels, 29-960mhz, usual gaps)that comes with the antenna and manual. If you are interested, please e-mail me. Highest bid takes it. Thanks,

-=AgentBlue=-
JDay98@prodigy.net

2607. BLUE ANGELS FREQ.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell <drayf@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <3515BED2.5CCC@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 166193

Anyone needing a good list of freq. for the blue angels
and the thunderbirds, let me know and i`ll foreward them.
Darrell

2608. Re: Pro 26 questions (cellular, antenna, and others)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald L. Tomkinson" <dtmknsn@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3515C548.47B6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166194

Found this one with a search engine:

http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/mods/pro26cell.html

Don
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-
Location: N33d42m08s W117d59m24s Grid Square: DM13AQ UTC -8hrs.
Scanners: Air-8, AR2001, AR900, BC50, BC101, BC142 (mod Wx sats),
BC20/20, BC2500, FRG9600, HP100, HX1000, HX1500, Pro26,
Pro2004/5/6, Pro2045, Pro2046, R532, R7000, SX200N.
Software: Deltacomm v3.9, Probe v3.0, ScanCat Gold v6.0,
ScanStar v3.66.
Shortwave: DC777, DX160, ICF2010, R70, R71A, R1000.

2609. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <3515C63D.AA938C9C@netwit.com>
Source record: 166195

_John *KA0SSF* wrote:

> What a terrible waste of bandwidth that 30 to 40% represents. I think
> THAT is what is point is! How coincidental that BILL CHEEK is the
> common denominator in all the problems that occur on this NG.
>
> allsafe wrote:
> > Quit whining. 30 to 40% of the daily traffic here in RRS is of the
> > flamefest variety, and the rest is radio. Very little spam.

What the hell are you talking about?!?!? Are you really so delusional that you cannot see your responsibility in that 30 to 40%!?!?!? Your friggin' name is on half of the useless posts in this newsgroup. You? Lamenting about the "waste of bandwith"?!?!!? Go find the shot-gun in your closet, wrap your pie hole around the barrell and see if you can find the trigger with your toe. You're breathing air other people could be using.

friggin' loon.

2610. where can i find theese newsgroups through e-mail?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980322043630.29204G-100000@randomc.com>
Source record: 166196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

hi there, the subject says it all. i want all theese news groups to be
e-mailed to me in digest format. thanks. hope i get some e-mail on this.

random access internet shell account
standerd disclaimers apply.
e-mail dana@randomc.com

2611. Re: If Belden 9913 coax is so good, why doen't Grove or RS sell it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbc <sbc@connectnet.com>
Message-ID: <35158B77.2CB2@connectnet.com>
Source record: 166197

James Matthew Weber wrote:
>
> On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 09:32:47 GMT, nospam@here.com wrote:
>
> >Just curious as to why its so hard to find.

WHy doesn't RS sell 9913??? Are you serious??? The same reason they do not sell Icom or Standard, because they sell shit. As for Bobby Grove, he likes to sell surplus cable TV coax (RG-6) at a premium price and tell you how good it is, and that the impedence of 75 ohms does make a difference when you are only using it for a receiver. Bullshit Bobby!!!

And you can buy 9913F which is VERY flexible and has better loss specs that regular 9913.

P.S. Bobby Groves business is in the shitter. Look for a "Going Out of Business" sale soon.

2612. Re: REQ: Los Angeles Ambulance Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <3514E383.3BCC@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 166198

Ken Koller wrote:
>
>
> I'm looking for the currently used frequencies for Los Angeles Metro area

UCLA's EMT/PD/Fire:
(trunked)
866.4875
866.9875
867.4875
867.9875
868.4875

2613. RE:Bill And John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEbossman@dol.net
Message-ID: <3515e852.101859132@news.dol.net>
Source record: 166199

Since August 1997 I have been following this newsgroup to learn more about, and to enjoy the hobby of, scanners. During this time, for at least 2 weeks out of every month, I leave due to this Bill vs John thing.
I have decided that to continue receiving the enjoyment I get from this newsgroup to add all of John's postings to my kill filter.
Big Deal? Maybe not. But he is the very first one in this file where I don't even see his postings.
I do not know who is right or wrong in this endless, senseless flame war and really do not care.
The only reason Bill's postings are not killed at this time is I have seen some reasonable and useful info from him. Tho he seems to waste as much time in this war as John does.
This is just my opinion and I felt it was only fair to notified someone when his/hers postings are ending up in the waste basket not opened. (Not that I really think either one gives a damn about this newsgroup)

Thank you for listening
Bossman

2614. Re: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS good/bad --What works best for cordless

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032212325301.HAA29940@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166200

>Subject: Re: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS
>good/bad --What works best for cordless
>From: azraelboy@aol.com (AzraelBoy)
>Date: Sun, Mar 22, 1998 00:05 EST
>Message-id: <1998032205051300.AAA27088@ladder01.news.aol.com>

>
>>Subject: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS
>>good/bad --What works best for cordless frequencies
>
>The person who said discones were bad is trying to mislead you into making a
>mistake so he can set back and laugh at you.

Well, you sure got that wrong! A $60-$80 discone just to snoop on phone calls? He can make a dipole for $5 if that is all he wants to do. Otherwise, his best bet is an omnidirectional like the Scantenna for $39, Anyone who thinks a discone is a better option is folling him/herself and even the people who sell discones will tell you that.

2615. Re: bc200xlts problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: BrianFlues <bflues@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6f32ln$4ls$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 166201

Open it up and check the lead from the antenna BNC connector to the circuit board. I have had problems in the past with this connection on a BC205. It is a bastard to fix.

GAL1977 wrote in message <19980317133201.IAA02010@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>I have a modified bc200xlt it worked fine and I picked up everything. But
>lately I scan for hour hearing nothing exccept the very strong frequencies
like
>the local police and fire and even that in not as sharp as it was.
>
>Can anyone tell me what to do? I baught a new Duck antenna but it did not
help,
>
>Dave
>Gal1977@aol.com

2616. Website Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Collings <simon.collings@cableinet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <01bd5597$5c4b3fe0$479075c2@sapphire>
Source record: 166202
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dear All,

I have updated the demos for the following packages on the AOR website:
http://www.demon.co.uk/aor/

AR5000 Tuner (from AOR Spectrum Master)
Hawk for the SDU5000 (also available in Spectrum Master)
AR7030 Tuner (from AOR Data Master)
Searchlight for the AR3000A

The demo version now match the full versions.

Please note that the ftp site we have used currently has a limit of 64
users, so if you have trouble connecting please try again later.

Alternatively, you mmay have better luck using an ftp tool to reach the zip
files direct in the following locations:

ftp://ftp/demo.co.uk/pub/ham/scanners/

or

ftp://ftp.demo.co.uk/pub/ham/swl/

Good luck.

Simon
--
Simon Collings, G4SGI
Radio Communications Consultant
http://wkweb4.cableinet.co.uk/simon.collings

2617. GE Monogram

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: lcom24@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980322134107O1.IAA05375@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166203

Looking for TQ3375 & TQ 3376 software and cable to program GE Monogram radios.
Can anyone help??

Thank you

2618. Re: bc200xlts problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <351516bf.9620100@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166204

I've also had a problem with the connector on the scanner going "bad"
meaning that the socket inside the BNC spreads apart and doesn't make
contact with the antenna....

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 08:20:49 -0500, "BrianFlues" <bflues@erols.com>
wrote:

>
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>board. I have had problems in the past with this connection on a BC205. It
>is a bastard to fix.
>
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>
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>>
>>Dave
>>Gal1977@aol.com
>

The CB Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

2619. Re: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS good/bad -

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032214032600.JAA12048@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166205

Advantages of a discone: ease of assembly, covers a wide variety of frequencies
Disadvantages of discone: unity gain

As far as 46/49Mhz is concerned, you could make a much better antenna yourself
out of a 10 foot piece of steel wire and a spare length of coax.

2620. Re: bc200xlts problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032214065501.JAA07945@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166206

>I've also had a problem with the connector on the scanner going "bad"
>meaning that the socket inside the BNC spreads apart and doesn't make
>contact with the antenna.

Common problem with these radios and also with the Realistic PRO-34/37.

2621. Info On BCT-12 From Uniden

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce A. Langos" <bruce.langos@daytonoh.ncr.com>
Message-ID: <#YgkS5ZV9GA.70@rpc1284.daytonoh.ncr.com>
Source record: 166207

Anybody know what frequencies it covers?

Thanks

2622. Re: "I own scanners and I vote" bumper sticker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: SMOKEY & THE BANDIT <theoldbrooklynkid@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f39c4$fc6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166208

Rimshot wrote:
>
> Tbrutis1 wrote in message
> <1998032118021200.NAA11114@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> >In article <6eq83c$9o2@examiner.concentric.net>, "Rimshot" <hihat@bang.com>
> >writes:
> >
> >>Yeah, you'll be contributing with the sharp increase in traffic citations
> >>you'll recieve because you dare think you have the right to listen to the
> >>police comms.
> >
> >We THINK we have the right to listen to the police comms? Wrong again. We
> do
> >not think we have the right,.....We KNOW we have the right. I have
> >listened in the past, I listen now, & will continue to listen to police
> comms,
> >cordless phones & cell phones. I don't go out to get those signals, they
> come
> >into my radio inside my home. Could we listen if our name was Newt?
>
> Whoaaaa!
> I was being sarcastic.
>
> And if you were NEWT, you could do anything.
> He's probably got henchmen running around with digital scanners right now.
> --
> Rimshot

2623. Re: "I own scanners and I vote" bumper sticker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: SMOKEY & THE BANDIT <theoldbrooklynkid@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f39ci$fc6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166209

Rimshot wrote:
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> Tbrutis1 wrote in message
> <19980321180212000.NAA11114@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> >In article <6eq83c$9o2@examiner.concentric.net>, "Rimshot" <hihat@bang.com>
> >writes:
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> >>Yeah, you'll be contributing with the sharp increase in traffic citations
> >>you'll recieve because you dare think you have the right to listen to the
> >>police comms.
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> >not think we have the right,.....We KNOW we have the right. I have
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> comms,
> >cordless phones & cell phones. I don't go out to get those signals, they
> come
> >into my radio inside my home. Could we listen if our name was Newt?
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> And if you were NEWT, you could do anything.
> He's probably got henchmen running around with digital scanners right now.
> --
> Rimshot

2624. Re: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS good/bad --What works best for cordless

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f7ef2aade1ef62898968a@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 166210

In article <1998032212325301.HAA29940@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
malexder@aol.com says...
> >Subject: Re: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS
> >good/bad --What works best for cordless
> >From: azraelboy@aol.com (AzraelBoy)
> >Date: Sun, Mar 22, 1998 00:05 EST
> >Message-id: <1998032205051300.AAA27088@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
> >
> >>Subject: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS
> >>good/bad --What works best for cordless frequencies
> >
> >The person who said discones were bad is trying to mislead you into making a
> >mistake so he can set back and laugh at you.
>
> Well, you sure got that wrong! A $60-$80 discone just to snoop on phone
> calls? He can make a dipole for $5 if that is all he wants to do. Otherwise,
> his best bet is an omnidirectional like the Scantenna for $39, Anyone who
> thinks a discone is a better option is folling him/herself and even the people
> who sell discones will tell you that.
>
>>>>Right now,I'm comparing a monitenna sitting on the floor,leaning
against the wall,it blows away my Icom discone in the attic,and pretty
much matches the ringo ranger on top of my tower,at approx.45 ft.I had a
homemade ground plane in the attic a couple of years ago,and it blew away
the discone EVERYWHERE.It was cut for 440 mhz,and tx'ed well there.When I
get the monitenna up on the tower,I'll make another GP,and put it up in
the attic,it only cost me about 3 bucks to make.I'll keep the discone as
a back up antenna.....
Barry
>

2625. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35152A18.2D2A2B89@netwit.com>
Source record: 166211

Glen Quarnstrom wrote:

> twinsradio@aol.com (TwinsRadio) wrote:
>
> >I came here looking for scanner information. All I'm finding is useless
> >rubbage of a personal and argumentive nature between these two blokes.
> >Worthless.
>
> Here's a hint: Don't read it.

A Clue! A Clue! My kingdom for a Clue!

2626. Re: Reusable Alakine Batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb3lht@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032215150500.KAA20840@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166212

You need to use the ray-o-vac renewal charger for these. I have had good results using them in both handheld scanners and in 2-meter hand helds. Don't let them go all the way down before recharging them though. You will get more cycles that way, although not as many cycles as a nicad. But, IMHO a good battery for the buck!

Mike WB3LHT

de Mike
WB3LHT

2627. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <35151F27.73F9@icss.net>
Source record: 166213

Tbrutis1 wrote:
>
> In article <6eq2d3nhu1@news.socomm.net>, "Randall T. Markley, Jr."
> <tmarkley@vantek.net> writes:
>
> > If someone makes a phone call which emits radio waves which pass through my
> >house, my property, and my body, then the person making the phone call has
> also >given up their right to privacy. I should have the right to do whatever I
> want to the >radio waves because they are trespassing on MY property and in MY
> body. The >government does not own my property or myself. The day they try is
> the day of >the beginning of the next Civil War as far as I am concerned.
>
> AMEN ! ! ! !
>
> tbrutis1@aol.com
>
> That's because the #1 Fan of the AA Eastern League Binghamton Mets said so

Actually, only women have the right to choose what they do with their
bodies (Wade/Roe). So if a radio wave passes through a scanner
hobbyist's body, the female scannist has a choice on what she can do
with it or to it. However, if the scannist is male - too bad.
Brian

2628. AR2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: r-guido@usa.net
Message-ID: <6f3chc$f2d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166214

Where I can get the software to control my ar2500 scanner.Also, what happened with the company that sold these. ACE COMMUNICATIONS

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2629. Ontario Frequenices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: thunder <thunder@golden.net>
Message-ID: <351559D0.703B3032@golden.net>
Source record: 166215

thunder wrote:

> Hi the name here is Dennis and I am looking for Frequenices for
> Ontario Canada

> if any one can help.. Thanks Dennis

2630. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35153132.1D430E8E@netwit.com>
Source record: 166216

TwinsRadio wrote:

> I came here looking for scanner information. All I'm finding is useless
> rubbage of a personal and argumentive nature between these two blokes.
> Worthless.

Quit whining. 30 to 40% of the daily traffic here in RRS is of the flamefest variety, and the rest is radio. Very little spam. Newsgroup reader procedures for using "filters" and "killfiles" may be too difficult for the technologically challenged to manipulate. Therefore; I offer this "straight forward" easy solution for those who complain of inadvertantly "wasting time" reading messages they don't particularly want to read:

STEP 1. Read the friggin subject line before you open the message.

STEP 2. *ONLY* click on messages you think you would like to read.

SEP 3. If it looks like something you don't want to read. Don't click on it. Don't read it.

You're welcome.

You may go.....Tra-La-la-la-laaaaaaaaaa.

2631. Re: Is anything on 5.4 or 10.8 Mhz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bd703@scn.org
Message-ID: <Eq833v.EnM@scn.org>
Source record: 166217
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Mystery solved.

I obtained a used Radio Shack DX-350 and discovered the same signal that
was coming thru the IF of the Bearcat 4-6 was present at about 9.9 mhz.
This is the BBC World Service in English.

Some quick work with the calculator shows me that the signal was getting
into the 455 khz 2nd IF, NOT the 10.8 mhz 1st IF like I originally suspected.

The IF oscillator is 10.345 mhz.

10.8 mhz - 10.345 mhz = .455 mhz or 455 khz.

The IF IMAGE is:

10.345 mhz - .455 mhz = 9.89 mhz.

I couldn't find the EXACT freq that BBC is on since the SW freq info
on their web page is in PDF, but it's certainly a few khz +/- 9.89 mhz.

Kerwin
--
****
* They know who you are...
bd703@scn.org * They know where you live...
* And there's no doubt about it!

2632. BCT-2 Schematics needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Company Shuttle <email@dynamicradio.cncoffice.com>
Message-ID: <35153C13.969D1439@dynamicradio.cncoffice.com>
Source record: 166218

I need help with a BCT-2 Uniden BearCat Scanner...
13.8V DC power feed line has blown IC 3 and Zenner diode bridge that
feeds the Microprocesssor of this unit. I specifically need to know the
ratings of these zenner diodes: D27 & D32... Uniden was unable to
supply ratings for them (not a good sign).
I hope somebody out there can help. We love copy of schematic, will
trade other service lit. in return.
Thanks,

Craig
email@dynamicradio.cncoffice.com

2633. FS: BC 100xlt 100ch Handheld Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35153F5D.7A94@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166219
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Uniden Bearcat BC 100xlt Handheld Scanner

Features: -New NiCd Battery Pack
-(1) VHF Rubberduck Antenna
-(1) UHF Rubberduck Antenna
-Earphone (extra length)
-Wall Charger
-Original Case

Radio Features -100 Channels
-10 Ch./bank, 10 banks
-Weather Search
-29-54, 118-174, 406-512 Mhz
-Band Search

The radio has had some use and I'm proud to say, I've taken good care of
it over the years. Everything works perfectly.

I'm asking $100.00 for this beauty. It is a very useful radio and will
give you more years of quality scanning.

Please EMAIL me or CALL me at (305)895-4355 between the hours of
10:00am & 9:00pm.

73,
Bill

2634. FS- Yaesu FRG-9600 - full 60-950 MHZ coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f3f9r$odm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,sbay.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I have a MINTand very seldom used FRG-9600 which covers from 60-950
>MHZ continously in all modes. The radio does not have any nicks,
>dents, or scratches whatsoever.
>
>Its been sitting in the original box and packaging for about a year.
>I'm a non-smoker and the radio's never been outdoors. It includes
>the following:
>
>* Original manual
>* Photocopy of service manual
>* Mobile mounting bracket and bolts (unused)
>* TV video board installed
>* Yaesu AC adaptor
>* Original Telescopic whip antenna
>
>This is probably the nicest 9600 you will find. Accordingly, I would
>like to ask for $450 shipped to lower 48 States. Thanks!

2635. FS- AOR 3000A - Unrestricted Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f3faq$odm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166221
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>the radio has never been used outdoors.
>
>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>following:
>
>* Software and computer cable
>* AC adaptor
>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>* Telescopic whip antenna
>
>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!

2636. Re: FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-MINT in the box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f3fd1$odm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166222
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>been unmodified.
>
>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>
>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>following:
>
>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>* Original manual
>* Original rubber antenna
>
>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>has not been modified at all. Iwould like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!

2637. FS- AOR 3000A - Unrestricted Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f3fhh$odm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>the radio has never been used outdoors.
>
>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>following:
>
>* Software and computer cable
>* AC adaptor
>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>* Telescopic whip antenna
>
>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!

2638. New Antenna For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: batwanger@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032216533800.LAA01084@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166224

For sale:
Radio Shack Antenna 5 band Omni Directional multi element25-1300MHz

Page 57 new catalog
Item #8 part number 20-042
Excellent Condition
Works absolutely great.
I put this up Last weekend. Used it for two days before landlord had a fit.
Had to take it down. I have the box and all paperwork. I can Ship It any where in the USA via Ups Because I work In a Warehouse Shipping Department.
Price 25$ US Postal Money order or consider a trade for ?????
Thank You
David
Houston Texas

2639. FS- Sony Pro-80 handheld SW/VHF scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f3fbm$odm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>>I have two (2) Sony Pro-80s for sale. They are both in excellent
>>cosmetic and electrical condition. Each comes with the original
>>manual, VHF adaptor, leather carrying case, battery holder, nicads,
>>and antenna. Would like to sell for $175 each + actual shipping cost.
>>
>>For those unfamiliar with the Pro-80, here are some basics:
>>
>>* Handheld battery operated unit
>>* 40 memories in any combination of sw/am/fm/vhf freqs.
>>* 3 scan modes.
>>* Am narrow/wide mode
>>* Fm narrow/wide mde
>>* Upper/Lower ssb mode with knob adjustment
>>* Fine tunning control
>>* Tone hi/low
>>* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
>>* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
>>* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.
>

2640. Re: Discone for low band reception (30-50 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike frye <km6ab@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <351541CD.66E273CC@pacbell.net>
Source record: 166226

Howdy Frank. The Radio shack Discone is only an antenna from approx 110mhz to somewhere in the 800s, as measured on a network analyzer. Some of the Discones made by Diamond, etc. have a whip that is tuned sharply at 49 to 50 mhz. 25 to 50 mhz works poor at best. A Discone designed for 30 mhz and up performs about the same as a 1/4 wave ground plane at the same freq. Not too bad. If your interested, I have a spare 30 to 240 mhz Discone as new I will sell for $275 + ship. Its about 8ft high and the top hat is about 6 ft across. Cost about $1100 new. 73, Mike.
wrote:

> I am interested in how this antenna with the vertical whip performs on
> the low
> band. Especially during periods of low band skip on the 26 to 27 Mhz
> CB
> frequencies also. I have heard both good and bad and would like actual
> user
> comments.
>
> Frank

2641. Re: Celestri vs. Globalstar vs. Iridium - Which is the superior system?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: GregoryR <gregjr@teleport.nospam.com>
Message-ID: <6f3glk$r5t$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 166227

Make that four.

The oldest and nearest to completion may be the ORBCOMM network being deployed by Orbital Scientific. Check out the system description (complete with frequencies) at http://www.orbcomm.net/about/sysdesc.html

Steve Hargrove <"Steve Hargrove"@earthlink.com> > wrote in message <351494CB.7617@earthlink.com>...
>now there are 3 Satellite (GEO/LEO) wireless communications systems.
>
>http://www.mot.com/GSS/SSTG/projects/celestri/
>
>What are the advantages and disadvantages of all three systems?
>----------
>
>> > If you're interested in satellite-based wireless communications,
>> > you should see the Globalstar system Iridium is intended to compete against:
>> >

2642. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans Holm <hholm@istar.ca>
Message-ID: <xNbR.37$p74.293312@NewsRead.Toronto.iSTAR.net>
Source record: 166228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You are right at this point I have not actually looked into what is legal and what is not legal. I am going by hear say, but I would in actually be interested in reading and knowing what the law says about monitoring cell phones. Stark, could you tell me where I can find this federal law that you talk about? I as a Canadian do have an interest in what the law says, however, like SOME Americans I don't always like to conform to these laws.

>And I believe that Canadians have just as little interest in actually
>READING and KNOWING what the law says as Americans.
>William is wrong, and so are the rest of you. It says so in black and
>white in your own Canadian Federal laws. Period.
>But go ahead and do what you want anyway. That's the way both of our
>societies are nowadays. The law and other people's rights be damned.

2643. FS:Diamond D707 Scanner Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron M <monfeli@mail.telis.org>
Message-ID: <35154D53.788A3639@mail.telis.org>
Source record: 166229
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

For Sale
Brand New Diamond D707 Scanner Antenna with built in Preamp. This antenna is an excellent performer and very hard to find in US these days. Purchased it to put up but can't have another on roof. Packaged as new. Asking $145.00 including shipping in conus obo.
Ron

2644. Re: Reusable Alakine Batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032217513801.MAA15124@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166230

I would have to say stay away from these. Even the mfgrs claim a maximum of 20-30 charges before they won't hold much & need to be replaced. each charge is weaker than the last, and if you discharge them too deep you can kill'em even quicker. they also shouldn't be used with "regular chargers". Go with hi-cap nicads or nickle-metal hydrides, not much difference in cost, don't need special chargers & will last much longer (hundreds or even thousand or more charges) and they are much less sensitive to deep discharges.

2645. Re: WANTED AR8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <3515507D.6BA8020C@ncia.net>
Source record: 166231

I also have a Radio shack DX392 like new,this is the rcvr built by
Sansean for RS and is the identical to the 818CS>>see it at this URL
http://www.sangean.com/ATS818CS.htm

2646. Re: Bill And John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3515494a.30443063@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166232

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

THEbossman@dol.net (Bossman) wrote:

> I do not know who is right or wrong in this endless, senseless flame
> war and really do not care.

Oh. You don't care? Hmmmmmm..... No I suppose
you wouldn't care, since you are not the target
of unwarranted and merciless attacks. Yes, in
retrospect, I can see how you would not care.

Hopefully, you will meditate for a while and
come to understand how *I* might care.......

> The only reason Bill's postings are not killed at this time is I have
> seen some reasonable and useful info from him. Tho he seems to waste
> as much time in this war as John does.

Is it fair to say that?

Do this: count Mackey's posts. You will not find
a one that has any merit to scanners and scanning.

Now count mine. Do a ratio or whatever simple math
it takes. Then you will see the fallacy in your
statement. I rest my case........

> This is just my opinion and I felt it was only fair to notified
> someone when his/hers postings are ending up in the waste basket not
> opened.

Excuse me? Run that one by me again. I seriously
doubt you save your newspapers, much less clip
much out of them to save. They all end up in the
REAL trash or a recycling center.

Not only that, but you spend good money on your
newspapers only to throw them away. You do not
spend money on this newsgroup.

But what's the difference between a newspaper and a
newsgroup in terms of intrinsic and inherent VALUE?

Do you notify the columnists and editors of newspaper
articles when you throw away your day-old newspaper?

> (Not that I really think either one gives a damn about this
> newsgroup)

Well, that is a fine statement. Let's see....
I count EXACTLY one post from you to this
newsgroup over the last 31-days. And that
one happens to be THIS post to which I am
replying. Soooooooooo, looking at the pure
mathematics of it, your ratio of on-topic
(i.e. "give a damn factor) is precisely zero.

Are YOU claiming to *care* more about this
newsgroup than *I* do? Really now?

No matter HOW you stack the deck in favor
of one way or the other, you WILL find a goodly
number of on-topic, caring, detailed posts
from me. You would find even MORE if people
like you....with whom I *had* no quarrel, would
simply speak the truth in their criticism, if
there just has to be some. But more succinctly,
if YOU stayed ON-TOPIC, that would be one less
cause for me to drift......

Therefore, I can only suppose that you are
yet another one of those preachers who traipse
around this old planet chanting, "DO AS I SAY,
NOT AS I DO". My tribe calls those people
hypocrites. Hey, man, with your zero-to-one topical
posting record, the prima facie question for YOU
is.....what horse did you ride in on?

It's a "high horse", that's fer duckshucking sure!

Now then....rebuttal aside...and I was certainly
entitled to one, every bit as much as you felt
entitled to *originate* your unfair criticism,
let's look at another angle now......

Let's say you're a complete newbie who doesn't
know enough to make a significant contribution
to this forum.....that's OKAY....that's great.
There are no written, hard ad fast rules about
lurking and contributing.

But did it ever occur to you that a QUESTION can
be every bit as valuable as an ANSWER? I try
to answer bona-fide questions in this forum. If
you are not satisfied with the content here,
then WHY DON'T YOU (and people like you) ASK QUESTIONS?

That certainly is one way to gently and persuasively steer a forum onto the topic for which it is suited. And it is a method that YOU can employ ANYTIME you wish.

Think about it. Because as is, your 0:1 record says nothing constructive either. You're throwing stones in a glass house, my friend! You can criticize me all you want, but it would behoove you to first put your own house in order.

Eh?

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2647. Mods for PRO2038 and PRO33??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <351552B8.24768257@ncia.net>
Source record: 166233

Does anyone know of any mods for these scanners?I have looked
everywhere for some and cant find anything.Maybe this is not a good sign

2648. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35165743.34020569@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166234

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com> wrote:

> i want to know whats wrong with john mackey?

He *never* posts about scanners and scanning.
He's here only to conduct a vendetta.

> let him post he has some good points.

Not on scanners and scanning, he doesn't. He
has no interest in this topic whatsoever. Nor
any knowledge of it, either.
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2649. Re: Mods for PRO2038 and PRO33??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351757f6.34199744@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166235

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net> wrote:

> Does anyone know of any mods for these scanners?I have looked
> everywhere for some and cant find anything.Maybe this is not a good sign

See my SCANNER MODIFICATION FAQ recently posted
to this forum.

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2650. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6f3lhd$1tbs$1@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 166236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>phones. Stark, could you tell me where I can find this federal law
that you
>talk about? I as a Canadian do have an interest in what the law says,
>however, like SOME Americans I don't always like to conform to these
laws.

With pleasure. One source is the NF2G Scannist Pages Canadian
section. Go to http://www.ggw.org/nf2g/canada_index.html and follow
the "Laws & Regs" link. If you want to dig further and read the
entire text of the law, the proper cites are given.

73 de Dave, NF2G

2651. Re: digital mode scanners, are available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6f3lhf$1tbs$2@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 166237
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

John Lidstrom wrote in message <3514200E.469D5B83@accessone.com>...
>and will do a wonderful job of listening to digital audio until they
>encryption
>key is changed.
>But then, so will my Soundblaster Awe64. Or so I'm told.
>John

I keep hearing rumors like that, too, but nobody seems to have any
specifics. Just theories...

2652. WEFAX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggmv@bconnex.net
Message-ID: <6f3lol$2mn$1@news.bconnex.net>
Source record: 166238

could anyone please post an antenna design for receiving WEFAX at 137Mhz. i don't think my discone is cutting it. thanks in advance. mike

2653. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <35156923.4779@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166239

What a terrible waste of bandwidth that 30 to 40% represents. I think
THAT is what is point is! How coincidental that BILL CHEEK is the
common denominator in all the problems that occur on this NG.

allsafe wrote:
> Quit whining. 30 to 40% of the daily traffic here in RRS is of the
> flamefest variety, and the rest is radio. Very little spam.

2654. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <35156A83.DF3@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166240
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:

> Secondly, since I apparently have to work for FREE
> in order to get any "appreciation", I certainly will do

Hmmmmm, that seems to have struck a charlie horse for
Bill!!!!!!!!!! (I wonder if his ego smashed when it hit the
floor?)

> Thirdly, if you don't like the aforementioned vendettas,
> then why don't YOU go to the sources and put a STOP to
> them, and if you can't do it by yourself, then enlist

THAT is what he was doing by directing this message to YOU,
BILL!

> I absolutely NEVER start the crap.

WHAT A LIE!!!
Would you like me to post a few examples of when YOU have
started the crap BILL?

2655. Re: Bill And John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <35156C0C.5F06@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166241

Bill Cheek wrote:

> Oh. You don't care? Hmmmmmm..... No I suppose
> you wouldn't care, since you are not the target
> of unwarranted and merciless attacks.

BILL, YOU have started the troubles MANY times. Would you
like me to post a few examples?

> Do this: count Mackey's posts. You will not find
> a one that has any merit to scanners and scanning.
> Now count mine. Do a ratio or whatever simple math
> it takes. Then you will see the fallacy in your
> statement. I rest my case........

Funny, just a few hour ago I made a post about coax.
At about the same time, YOU, BILL CHEEK were posting FLAMES
to this NG.

> Therefore, I can only suppose that you are
> yet another one of those preachers who traipse
> around this old planet chanting, "DO AS I SAY,
> NOT AS I DO".

Bill Cheek is BY FAR the biggest offender of "DO AS I SAY,
NOT AS I DO". Remember his little tirade on fidonet with
his "zero tolorance" policy, but HE violated more of the rules
than ANYONE else there.

2656. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave and Sue Whitfield <Cruiseoutlets@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <6f3nhu$tn7$1@news.citnet.com>
Source record: 166242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Go for it!! there are many of us who have listened to cordless phones or what have you on scanners does not make us voyeurs!

>If someone next door is standing in front of an open window naked as a
>jaybird, they have given up their right to privacy. If someone makes a
>phone call which emits radio waves which pass through my house, my
property,
>and my body, then the person making the phone call has also given up their
>right to privacy. If someone is burglarizing my house, I have the right
(in
>my city, state) to shoot him so long as it is in the front side of their
>body. Soon I may shoot them in the back too if they are fleeing
>(legislation pending in TN). I should have the right to do whatever I want
>to the radio waves because they are trespassing on MY property and in MY
>body. The government does not own my property or myself. The day they try
>is the day of the beginning of the next Civil War as far as I am concerned.
>
>

2657. Frequencies and info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave and Sue Whitfield <Cruiseoutlets@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <6f3ni0$tn7$3@news.citnet.com>
Source record: 166243

Can someone send me by email the frequencies for Walt Disney world?
and for some interesting things like maybe Vets Stadium in Philadelphia for
the Phillies baseball or things like that? IS there anything different in
our area that we may want to listen to that is just not fire stuff?

--
Susette Whitfield
Cruise Outlets and Travel
1-800-853-9515

2658. FS: Pro-2035 new in box, $300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Flatter <bill@bigsky.net>
Message-ID: <351564D0.16B0@bigsky.net>
Source record: 166244
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Please drop me a line if you are interested in this scanner.

Thanks,

Bill Flatter

bill@bigsky.net
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If you are planning a trip to Montana this year then go here
first, http://www.missoula-mall.com for all your travel needs
such as lodging, dining and guide service.

2659. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032219265000.OAA01072@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166245

>bject: Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?
>From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
>Date: Sun, Mar 22, 1998 14:40 EST
>Message-id: <35156923.4779@paREMOVErg.org>
>
>What a terrible waste of bandwidth that 30 to 40% represents. I think
>THAT is what is point is! How coincidental that BILL CHEEK is the
>common denominator in all the problems that occur on this NG.

You lowlife hypocritical, lying dog!! YOU are responsible for an extraordinary waste of badnwidth, and for you to even suggest otherwise is utterly laughable. YOU are the LOWEST common demoninator in all of the problems. Filthy bastard.

2660. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032201270300.UAA19684@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166246

>But go ahead and do what you want anyway. That's the way both of our
>societies are nowadays. The law and other people's rights be damned.

Yep. Just another symptom of the El-Crappo society that we live in. Every day
the bar drops another notch.

2661. Re: If Belden 9913 coax is so good, why doen't Grove or RS sell it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <7B892875EC480837.72C3DBD0D1529D0E.7C503F5EB46414C5@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 166247

On 21 Mar 1998 22:39:32 GMT, rcl1@aol.com (RCL1) wrote:

>What is the dB loss per 100 ft for RG8,RG213 or 9913?
>I understand the concern for uv deterioration.

Everything you would ever want to know:

http://www.panix.com/~clay/scanning/cables/

2662. Re: PRO-64 cellular restorable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35146d75.14686593@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166248

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

geoenviro@aol.com (GeoEnviro) wrote:

> Simply that, is the 64 restorable, or can you program the cell freqs via the
> computer interface?

Sorry, no, you can't. A 1994 Act of Congress
forbids any scanner to be cellular restorable.
Only pre-1994 scanners are possible, and then
only a small percentage of those.

See my SCANNER MODIFICATION FAQ recently posted
to this forum for the gory details.

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2663. Re: WD-40 Worked !! No Fire either !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35176fb1.15259323@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166249

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Mike Stanton" <_mstanton@centuryinter.net> wrote:

>
> Just to let you guys know, I was able to restore normal operation to a
> terribly scratchy volume potentiometer with a small droplet of WD-40. Just
> for safety, I took every precaution, flack jacket, goggles, heavy leather
> gloves, tongs, made sure the unit was unplugged, hell I even called the
> Fire Dept. and had them standby while I allowed a tiny drop of moisture
> dribble from the can into the little hole of the pot. It was a very tense
> moment!
>
> The unit has been working for over a month without any explosions or fires.
>
>
> I've now got some contact cleaner, but WD-40 works just fine in a
> pinch....So please shut the hell up about it....
>
> Mike Stanton mstanton@centuryinter.net

Way to go, dude! Bravissimo!

I've been using the stuff my the gallon for
over 30 years now. The spray can WD-40 makes
a good flame thrower in a pinch. Good for
critters and vermin of all sorts and kinds.

Kinda scary the first time or two you try it.

2664. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35156e10.14841597@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166250

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

twinsradio@aol.com (TwinsRadio) wrote:

> I came here looking for scanner information. All I'm finding is useless
> rubbage of a personal and argumentive nature between these two blokes.
> Worthless.

Ummmm hummmm, except if that is ALL you find,
then there is something wrong with your news
server or your news reader.....or, possibly
something wrong with your cognitive powers.

One of the three, though I'd have no way of
knowing for sure which one. You might be
able to tell and then solve the problem. You're
the only one who can solve it, anyway.

There are a lot of worthwhile articles in this
forum. And there would be even more if you
really wanted them.

After all, a free market prevails....and this one
here can't be any more free. So people gets what
they wants, see?

Simple matter, really.

BTW....you are welcome (and invited) to contribute
worthwhile material, too, you know.

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2665. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35166f4b.15157138@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166251

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

> >Subject: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?
> >From: twinsradio@aol.com (TwinsRadio)
> >Date: Sat, Mar 21, 1998 11:34 EST
> >Message-id: <1998032116342900.LAA23228@ladder01.news.aol.com>
> >
> >I came here looking for scanner information. All I'm finding is useless
> >rubbage of a personal and argumentive nature between these two blokes.
> >Worthless.
>
> Gee, does that mean we can't count on you either to provide useful information?

I was wondering that, meself. You took the words
right off my fingertips.

;-)
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2666. Re: PRO-64 restorable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3518701b.15365132@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166252

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

geoenviro@aol.com (GeoEnviro) wrote:

> Is the RS PRO-64 cellular restorable? Any other comments?

No. No scanner since 1994 is "restorable".
It's against the law....an Act of Congress.

See my SCANNER MODIFICATION FAQ that I recently
posted to this newsgroup. It has all the gory
details.

The PRO-64 is capable of lots of other mods,
though. The FAQ tells more.

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2667. Re: ICOM R-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35197101.15594907@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166253

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Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

n2ss@pipeline.com (Anthony R. Gargano) wrote:

> Just acquired a used R-9000. Looking for any sites for
> info/suggestions/mods/accessories for this receiver. Any
> recommendations? Thanks, Tony

Dunno about that, but what did it cost
you, if I might ask? Just curious about
the used market on the 9000's now.

Do you like yours?

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2668. Re: Need user feedback on WiNRADiO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351a7159.15682862@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166254

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

David Davidson <newimage@primenet.com> wrote:

> I've visited several sites over the last couple of days that give info
> (details, specs, and prices) about WiNRADiO and it's other related
> products. I am thinking about purchasing it (the basic package), but I
> am still not sure if I want to pay as much as $575 for it.
>
> If you have used, or are currently using WiNRADiO, could you please give
>
> me some feedback on it's pro's/con's, and whether it's worth the money.
> Thanks...

$575 is awful high. Where'd you see that? If you're
really interested, contact me by e-mail for what's
probably the lowest price around.

Since I sell WiNRADiO, anything I say about it is
likely to be misconstrued by kibitzers and outsiders,
but suffice to say that I like mine.

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2669. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032202194600.VAA28751@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166255

>> >I came here looking for scanner information. All I'm finding is useless
>> >rubbage of a personal and argumentive nature between these two blokes.
>> >Worthless.
>>
>> Gee, does that mean we can't count on you either to provide useful
>information?
>
>I was wondering that, meself. You took the words
>right off my fingertips.

Now this is truly tragic. Bill, you are considered by many to be the ultimate authority on scanners and scanning. Imagine how much you would be appreciated if you spent even a fraction of the time posting useful information that you do engaging in useless vendettas with Mackey, Boe, Glen, Andy Moss, etc.

2670. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351b7286.15983812@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166256

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

qwertREMOVE@sprint.ca wrote:

> Thanks for the help Bill,
>
> I will get on it this weekend.

I'll keep an eye on this thread, so post here
anything of your results or any questions you
might have.

By the way, I have used 3/4" copper water pipe
for dipoles. You can kind of clamp the two
elements to a 2x4 for the support, and then
mount it most anywhere.

I'd use sheet metal screws to fix the TV matching
transformer flat leads to it, though. Copper
pipe doesn't take solder all that well unless
you have a lot of heat. Use star washers to
ensure a good bite into the metal, too.

Should work finer 'n frog hair when you're done.

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http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
---------------------------------------------- ---
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2671. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd5amz@flash.net
Message-ID: <35157d98.77720850@news.flash.net>
Source record: 166257
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 20:33:23 -0600, hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:

>In article <3514dbe3.52071752@news2.cts.com>,
> bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
>>
>with two quarter wave sections. We have to figure
>
>> Now, at the center of the dipole where the "o's" are,
>> is the feedpoint, where the gap should be about an inch. For
>> maximum efficiency to a scanner, you want to afix a regular
>> TV matching transformer, called a balun. Radio Shack's #15-1140
>> is a good one that will work fine.
>>
>> The two flat leads of the balun go to the antenna feed
>> points. If the antenna is copper wire, you can solder
>> the flat leads of the balun to the antenna elements.
>> If it's aluminum or something that won't take solder,
>> then use sheet-metal screws to connect the flat leads
>> to the antenna.
>
>Doesn't a half-wave dipole already have an impedence of 75ohms? Why would you
>want to use a TV type (4:1) balun with this setup?
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
twin lead has an impedance of 300 ohms.
the transformer will bring it to 75 ohms.
btw the GOOD rg6 is much cheaper than the
corresponding low loss 50ohm cable and
will do GREAT on scanners

2672. scanner page ripoff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: me@my.net
Message-ID: <6f1vp1$3bi$1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 166258
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

A number of people have e-mailed me about someone who has ripped off my links page (my page is http://www.li.net/~j4dice/links.html) and then sent e-mail messages out to people inviting them to exchange links (a copy of his message is below). This moron has simply taken my links page, posted it at his site and claimed it as his own. (He even left my e-mail address in the page when he first posted it at his site and also sent the e-mail message inviting people to exchange links to me!) I guess he's simply too stupid and lazy to come up with something of his own, so he has to try to impress people by stealing someone else's work. Many who contribute to this group have probably visited my page before and will recognize what he has posted at his site as nothing less than a ripoff. There is a copyright posted on the page and I had added a few things to the page to detect ripoffs such as this, so I'm looking into what to do about it, but in the meantime, I invite all who have visited my page and can see what a ripoff this site is to e-mail him and let him know what you think.

his page:
http://www1.centtel.com/scorpion/scanner.htm

his e-mail address:
scorpion@centtel.com

His e-mail message (gives some indication of the intelligence level we're dealing with here):
I am building a big htm for my site of scanner frequceny links to all thats out there.I wish to include you for free to my links page..this is going to be the altiment site for all to view for any thing they want dealing with scanners or radio frequencies.. All I ask is for you to trade links with me (your link on my page & my link on your page). http://www1.centtel.com/scorpion/scanner.htm is my link.I got yours has I type this message in my links .. in good faith that you will put mine in yours thanxs
From SCORPION VE3 SST

Thanks to those who have already e-mailed me and let me know about it.

Jim

2673. Re: Scanners in Airports

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jayg359@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032203400200.WAA12799@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166259

You also have to be carefull about the local laws regarding scanners. Some jurisdictions restrict their usage.
Jay Goldmark, NYS EMT-D
Captain, Woodmere FD Rescue
JayG359@aol.com

"Enjoy Life, this is not a dress rehearsal !!!"

2674. Re: Indiana Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35148a0b.8295014@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 166260

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 21:26:31 -0500, "Monte Southwell" <your username@netnitco.net> wrote:

>Can anyone help me with some northwest Indiana frequencies....
>
>Thanks
>
>Monte Southwell
>jake1@mail.netnitco.net
>

The first 5 posts got through also....
Try a Web search yet?..or maybe search dejanews for posts already relebant to the subject?

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

2675. Bearcat 800xlt Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: antho10359@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032203514201.WAA19158@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166261

I have a friend with a Bearcat 800 scanner and he's lost the book and asking me to help program it. Could some provide the basic program steps?? i.e. put a freq in a specfic bank, program a limit search etc. Thanks>

2676. Re: scanner page ripoff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@albany.net
Message-ID: <35148b67.38572711@news.albany.net>
Source record: 166262
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 22 Mar 1998 03:15:45 GMT, me@my.net (Jim Fordyce) wrote:

>A number of people have e-mailed me about someone who has ripped off my links
>page (my page is http://www.li.net/~j4dice/links.html) and then sent e-mail
>messages out to people inviting them to exchange links (a copy of his message
>is below). This moron has simply taken my links page, posted it at his site
>and claimed it as his own. (He even left my e-mail address in the page when he
>first posted it at his site and also sent the e-mail message inviting people to
>exchange links to me!) I guess he's simply too stupid and lazy to come up with
>something of his own, so he has to try to impress people by stealing someone
>else's work. Many who contribute to this group have probably visited my page
>before and will recognize what he has posted at his site as nothing less than a
>ripoff. There is a copyright posted on the page and I had added a few things
>to the page to detect ripoffs such as this, so I'm looking into what to do
>about it, but in the meantime, I invite all who have visited my page and can
>see what a ripoff this site is to e-mail him and let him know what you think.
>
> his page:
> http://www1.centtel.com/scorpion/scanner.htm
>
> his e-mail address:
> scorpion@centtel.com
>

Gee, I don't know he did put those pretty state flags in. I have to
admit I've nicked some html in my days, but geesh this was shameful.
Not even a mention where he got it, nor did he even at least change it
somehow. Everything is word for word copied. Unfortunatly, I don't
think there's much you can do about it.

Do cemetery workers prefer the graveyard shift?

Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
Jroulier@albany.net

2677. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <35172d47.6645298@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 166263

twinsradio@aol.com (TwinsRadio) wrote:

>I came here looking for scanner information. All I'm finding is useless
>rubbage of a personal and argumentive nature between these two blokes.
>Worthless.

Here's a hint: Don't read it.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

2678. REQ: Los Angeles Ambulance Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Xkkoller@earthlink.netX
Message-ID: <6f22do$mm7@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 166264

I'm looking for the currently used frequencies for Los Angeles Metro area Ambulance companies. The ones I'm particularly looking for are

Bowers (800mhz)
AMR (San Gabriel Valley, Los Angeles Metro, Glendale, South Bay I believe is 46.050)
APT
Schaefer
Gerber
Medreach

Any help would be greatly appreciated. Please send replies direct email and I only get a chance to cruise the newsgroups once a week or so. Thanks.

Ken Koller
kkoller@earthlink.net
EMT-B, Bowers Ambulance, Los Angeles
http://westarm.bc.ca/Ken_Koller/fireline.html

Do Roman paramedics refer to IV's as "4's"?

2679. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980322041718 01.XAA19445@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166265

>>I came here looking for scanner information. All I'm finding is useless
>>rubbage of a personal and argumentive nature between these two blokes.
>>Worthless.
>
>Here's a hint: Don't read it.

Make that three blokes.

2680. Re: BC235 & antenna comments...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: gmacdoug1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032204231000.XAA20403@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166266

>Question: Have you seen anything one way or the other on the antenna
>performance? After a while, I tried swapping antennas, and the 235
>performance improved dramatically! (The 100 performance dropped off
>accordingly.) Is the antenna on the 235 tuned specifically for the 800 mhz
>range at the cost of reception in some other areas (which would make sense
>since it is marketed as a trunk tracker)? Maybe the old 100 antenna is
>better tuned to a broad range of signals; at least it certainly seemed to
>perform better with the 100 antenna.

My Trunk tracker antenna center pin broke off the first couple of weeks I had it. I robbed the one off my Pro 26; it worked OK. Then I bought a commercial BNC mount 800 Mhz antenna, since all I use the scanner for is 800 Mhz. I noticed a big improvement! Good luck,

KD6CWU

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'91 Mustang GT 5.0 (mild mods)
'70 VW Bug (restoring & building blueprinted 1776 motor)
'97 Reinell 20 ft openbow 5.7 Mercruiser (stock for now)
'87 Itasca RV 460 (stock for now)

2681. Re: Police Descramble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Lavin <tlavin@nac.net>
Message-ID: <01bd554f$a06087a0$963763cf@default>
Source record: 166267

i had the same problem with the ramsey kit. it needs adjustability

> I have a ramsey speech descrambler and would not recomend it. It might
> work for you but the kit needs a modification to make it easily
adjustable
> for the different inversion frec. rates. I have tried one and have been
> unsucessful so far.

2682. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032204565700.XAA25757@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166268

>From: -John Mackey- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
>Date: Sat, Mar 21, 1998 13:02 EST
>Message-id: <351400CA.2184@parg.org>
>
>drago wrote:
>
>> Files don't have to be "attached" to be sent.
>
>Anything more than 100K was killed.
>
>
>> I didn't admit to doing it, I just enjoyed thoses times more than
>> these.
>
>Guilt by complicity.

It's true you do not have any redeeming or padastookies to count with, but I hope the little grain of wheats are not used for squibbs. They will not listen to you because you never talk scannertalk just provoking anger and discontent; you must be a republican matdaventior. I do not not no if your bandit is swinging without a guy wire or not but you should stay off 2 meters and quit using that old guys callsign.

You are not from Terre haute, Johnny, and you eat oreo cookies by the bushel - I know because your trash bags were full of empty wrappers and funny looking little round seeds. STOP IT! Please do not recite the 33 salm out loud while walking backwards or then you will see. Cerillianistic forces are gathering in the west. biding their time until woofus is met. OH, then you will read a book out loud while hopping around. Let this be a lesson to you or I will write you again.

Abner Boyd

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

2683. Why does "Abner Boyd" pilfer other people's signatures?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032205010101.AAA26396@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166269

You may have noticed a new "contributor" to this newsgroup. In the last few days, "Abner Boyd", a/k/a "azraelboy@aol.com" has become quite active here, spewing forth all sorts of insults and derogatory comments towards others. Interestingly enough, he chooses to pilfer the signature file of another participant who, until recently, was also quite active on this newsgroup. The signature being pirated is that of "cbrambo@aol.com" and appears below:

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

So tell us, "Abner", why do you choose to pirate CB Rambo's signature file?

2684. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980322205011200.AAA26439@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166270

If I had to fathom a guess, I would say it is probably John Mackey who is cancelling John Mackey's posts.

2685. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032205012500.AAA00815@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166271

>Subject: Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Bill Cheek is a wonderful old man who has bad breath but his garbage is clean with no seeds. He rite a lot of books for us to read and learn stuff by.

The other boy is just a stinky-butted guy who tries for attention because his momma doesn't like him still living at home and hopping around while reading out loud.

Abner Boyd

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

2686. Re: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS good/bad --What works best for cordless fre

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032205051300.AAA27088@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166272

>Subject: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS
>good/bad --What works best for cordless frequencies

The person who said discones were bad is trying to mislead you into making a mistake so he can set back and laugh at you. He is a vicious republican. Stay with the discone.

Abner Boyd

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

2687. Re: Open Letter to ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032205104801.AAA02321@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166273

>Tim Tyler wrote:
>> To complain about any irrelevent Usenet posts by Mackey, forward the
>> offending post & your complaint message to:
>> webmaster@parg.org
>> mscott@teleport.com

Yes, Tim, we know what you are all about too; pretending to be against Mackey when you are really his wife trying to provoke more discord by increasing net traffic to the point of creating a bandwidth bottleneck. We know you are reserving a special backbone for you and your husband to post with while the rest of us are slowed down to a mere trickle. DON'T think you can get away with this - your trashbags contents give you away. Did you not think we would find out about your marriage. C'mon man we are wise to your republican tricks. STOP hopping on one foot!

Abner Boyd

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

2688. Pro-51 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Figueroa <Figueroa@ellijay.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5550$d040e360$94dc1ece@abc>
Source record: 166274

I have a Pro-51 from Radio Shack, any offers?

Ed

2689. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032205133801.AAA28398@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166275

>To someone, such as yourself, who uses their fingers and toes as
>numerical aids, it may *appear* that there were numerous on-topic
>posts. I doubt if you have made a half-dozen in your entire career.

Stop these Ad Hominem attacks right now! You goat-faced, old cow-necked, hoot owl.
Your garbage will be indexed promptly.

Abner Boyd

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

2690. Re: Need user feedback on WiNRADiO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3514A4A4.1F3A68E@ibm.net>
Source record: 166276

David Davidson wrote:
> I've visited several sites over the last couple of days that give info
> (details, specs, and prices) about WiNRADiO and it's other related
> products. I am thinking about purchasing it (the basic package), but
> I am still not sure if I want to pay as much as $575 for it.

Hi Dave,
What exactly are you looking for in such a receiver? And $575
is a bit too much these days. Most places I've seen carry it for
$500 and some for a bit lower.

> If you have used, or are currently using WiNRADiO, could you please
> give me some feedback on it's pro's/con's, and whether it's worth
> the money.

Worth the money? Maybe. Depends what you are looking for. Everyone
has different needs. I enjoy it and think it is a great step forward
in new directions regarding the whole "PC+radio" concept. I think
it has gone from a "crawl" to a "walk" but don't think it's ready
to "run" yet.

I also recently purchased the competitive product, iCOM's IC-PCR1000.
While iCOM's software is a bit more restrictive and requires more
horsepower, the overall receiver is superior from what I have seen
across HF(especially), VHF and UHF in terms of sensitivity. The
iCOM is definitely more selective and much better at handling
strong signal overload.

As much as Rosetta has done to eliminate computer noise from
entering, it is still there and there's quite a bit of it.
The iCOM does much better since it is not inside the PC but
it has its share of birdies as well but they appear to be
just plain RFI caused internally and not due to the garbage
floating in/around the PC/display.

Either way you go, you'll find yourself working with different
co-ax, antenna and filtering schemes to eliminate as much RFI
as possible to make monitoring more enjoyable. Most of us have
found that a good compromise is to use nice, fat, well-shielded
co-ax connected to an external discone location 20 or more
feet away from the PC.

If you are into programming your own software, WiNRADIO offers
a number of programming methods that are freely available.
iCOM has tried to keep the lid on their protocol but a few
people(especially Mr. Ibelings) have done quite well at

ferreting out the details and making them known.

Of the three magazine and one web review I have seen comparing these two radios, the nod is always given toward the iCOM. This month's coming Monitoring Times will be the next such article which draws comparisions between the two as well.

Best of luck with your decision!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Scanner User FAQ http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA Columnist

2691. Re: Bearcat 800xlt Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3514A660.1FC7B77E@ibm.net>
Source record: 166277

Antho10359 wrote:
> I have a friend with a Bearcat 800 scanner and he's lost the book and
> asking me to help program it. Could some provide the basic program
> steps?? i.e. put a freq in a specfic bank, program a limit search
> etc. Thanks

To program a frequency, you need only select the channel, punch
in the frequency and press ENTER. To select a channel, you simply
press MANUAL(to make sure the radio is not scanning), key in the
desired channel # and press MANUAL again.

To program a search, you press MANUAL(to make sure not scanning),
punch in the lower frequency, press LIMIT, punch in the upper
frequency, press LIMIT, press SEARCH. To work properly, I think
the lower and upper frequencies must be contained within the
same band as defined in the manual(29-54, 118-174, 406-512 &
806-912)

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Scanner User FAQ http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA Columnist

2692. Re: Why does "Abner Boyd" pilfer other people's signatures?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032205512801.AAA04212@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166278

>Subject: Why does "Abner Boyd" pilfer other people's signatures?
>From: twinsradio@aol.com (the CB Guy)
>Date: Sat, Mar 21, 1998 23:49 EST
>Message-id: <1998032204491301.XAA24502@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
>You may have noticed a new "contributor" to this newsgroup. In the last few
>days, "Abner Boyd", a/k/a "azraelboy@aol.com" has become quite active here,
>spewing forth all sorts of insults and derogatory comments towards others.
>Interestingly enough, he chooses to pilfer the signature file of another
>participant who, until recently, was also quite active on this newsgroup.
>The
>signature being pirated is that of "cbrambo@aol.com" and appears below:
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"
>
>So tell us, "Abner", why do you choose to pirate CB Rambo's signature file?

I didn't think you would want that reason made public, but at your request,
here it is:

I have a business arrangement with cbrambo. I shove a loaf of rye bread up his
ass once a week and he allows me to use his signature. But don't worry,
rednecked boy, he lets you eat the bread. Har Hee Hwoooeee. You had to ask you
dumb twit! Anything else you wish everyone to know just ask.

Abner Boyd

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

2693. Police Scanners for sale, Pro 43 and 2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tglunz@#cybernw.com
Message-ID: <3518a9b5.10845056@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 166279
Cross-posted to: pdx.forsale,rec.radio.scanner

Hi all , I've got a couple of Great classic scanners for sale. A Pro 43 200 channel hand held, pre ban, does all you'd expect it to,very nice shape. And a Pro 2005 base set, 400 channels, good shape, full capabilities, only problem is the back light is very dim. I don't use these two any more, I've got enough radios already so best offer takes

each one. low ball offers will be ignored, if you know what these are you know what they're worth.
I would prefer a local sale to avoid all the hassles of shipping and so you'll actually see before you buy.
Thanks Terry tglunz@cnnw.net
Portland Oregon
To reply remove the # from my address

2694. Re: "I own scanners and I vote" bumper sticker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rimshot <hihat@bang.com>
Message-ID: <6f29iq$oer@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 166280

Tbrutis1 wrote in message
<19980321180212000.NAA11114@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>In article <6eq83c$9o2@examiner.concentric.net>, "Rimshot" <hihat@bang.com>
>writes:
>
>>Yeah, you'll be contributing with the sharp increase in traffic citations
>>you'll recieve because you dare think you have the right to listen to the
>>police comms.
>
>We THINK we have the right to listen to the police comms? Wrong again. We
do
>not think we have the right,.....We KNOW we have the right. I have
>listened in the past, I listen now, & will continue to listen to police
comms,
>cordless phones & cell phones. I don't go out to get those signals, they
come
>into my radio inside my home. Could we listen if our name was Newt?

Whoaaaa!
I was being sarcastic.

And if you were NEWT, you could do anything.
He's probably got henchmen running around with digital scanners right now.
--
Rimshot

2695. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: renorton@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f2at2$bfm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166281

In fact, 100% of all Americans are criminals. You can't have 50,000,000 laws
without making your entire population into criminals.

In article <350f7212.18595367@news.albany.net>, jroulier@albany.net says...
>
>isn't 80 percent of those of us on this news group criminals? I tried
>reading the fcc page, but it made it sound as if all scanning was
>illegal.
>
>
>
>-----
>Do cemetery workers prefer the graveyard shift?
>-----
>Do NOT let them deceive you with the legitimization of their myth!
>Jroulier@albany.net

2696. Re: Doesn't MACKEY have a LIFE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: renorton@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f2b95$bfm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166282

Not much of a life. The shmuck is a 7-11 clerk.

In article <3512C1E6.A0F9B9AB@pacifier.com>, pja@pacifier.com says...
>
>Doesn't Mackey have a life away the computer. He must
>be answering posts 3 or 4 hours a night.
>
>

2697. sig. direction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Me <hust@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3514BB10.57B3@hotmail.com>
Source record: 166283

While listening to a signal on a scanner, is there a way to tell from
which direction this signal is coming from?
Without a large investment.....

Thanks

2698. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3514b9c6.3618459@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166284

On 22 Mar 1998 05:13:38 GMT, azraelboy@aol.com (AzraelBoy) wrote:

>>To someone, such as yourself, who uses their fingers and toes as
>>numerical aids, it may *appear* that there were numerous on-topic
>>posts. I doubt if you have made a half-dozen in your entire career.
>
>Stop these Ad Hominem attacks right now! You goat-faced, old cow-necked, hoot
>owl.
>Your garbage will be indexed promptly.
>

Are you still going through my garbage can?

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

2699. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3514bd2f.4490997@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166285

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 02:15:29 -0800, -John- KA0SSF
<ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org> wrote:

>George, what is NAMBLA?
>
>
>George Vetterle wrote:
>> Are they affiliated with NAMBLA?

You might say they're a fraternal organization, of sorts,
that is active in the Pacific Northwest. You can probably
find information about them by doing a web search with
Yahoo.

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2700. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3514c07e.5338600@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166286

On 22 Mar 1998 02:19:46 GMT, twinsradio@aol.com (TwinsRadio) wrote:

>>> >I came here looking for scanner information. All I'm finding is useless
>>> >rubbage of a personal and argumentive nature between these two blokes.
>>> >Worthless.
>>>
>>> Gee, does that mean we can't count on you either to provide useful
>>information?
>>
>>I was wondering that, meself. You took the words
>>right off my fingertips.
>
>Now this is truly tragic. Bill, you are considered by many to be the ultimate
>authority on scanners and scanning. Imagine how much you would be appreciated
>if you spent even a fraction of the time posting useful information that you do
>engaging in useless vendettas with Mackey, Boe, Glen, Andy Moss, etc.
>

If you're familiar with the names you just referenced, then I think
you've been reading this news group for a while. I don't recall
you ever posting anything though. Howz about making a post
about scanners? If nothing else then ask a stupid question :)

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2701. Re: sig. direction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3514c582.37231217@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166287

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Me <hust@hotmail.com> wrote:

> While listening to a signal on a scanner, is there a way to tell from
> which direction this signal is coming from?
> Without a large investment.........

A dipole mounted in the horizontal plane
is bidirectional. You can make a dipole
cheaply enough. When it's rotated so as to
get the strongest signal, you have established
the line of bearing.

But you won't know which of the two possible
directions is the source. Sometimes, pure
logic will eliminate one direction. That's
about as good as it gets with a dipole.

Depending on the frequency, there are other
antennas that can be made....along the lines
of a dipole, but in yagi-uda configuration.
These are unidirectional.

A TV antenna mounted on a broomstick or something
that can be held away from the body would offer
possibilities.

I guess a lot depends on the frequency, but
in general, there are few cheap *and* easy
solutions. It helps a lot if the scanner has
an S-Meter, but most don't.

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2702. Re: scanner page ripoff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3515c9ee.38363897@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166288

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

me@my.net (Jim Fordyce) wrote:

> A number of people have e-mailed me about someone who has ripped off my links
> page (my page is http://www.li.net/~j4dice/links.html)
> .........
> his page:
> http://www1.centtel.com/scorpion/scanner.htm
>
> his e-mail address:
> scorpion@centtel.com

It's a downright shame, Jim. You're not alone in getting
ripped. I'm kinda used to it to where it doesn't hurt
so much anymore.

I publish a hard-copy newsletter....and had one brazen
jerkov publicly 'fess that he gets his copy from someone
who xeroxes 'em and sends 'em out.

I've found a number of sites that copied work straight
out of my books and then posted the material under
their own names. Talk about brass balls and steel
lugnuts......

I could go on and on with a list of such atrocities, but
suffice to say I empathize with your predicament. I'm
not sure there is any good solution other than what you
just did....make the matter publicly known. Though if
you could sue the jerk and help yourself to some of his
gainful employment, he and others like him might begin
to understand..... A garnishment of their wages for a
couple of years sure might teach a lesson, eh?

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2703. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3516cc28.38933617@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166289

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

twinsradio@aol.com (TwinsRadio) wrote:

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> >> >rubbage of a personal and argumentive nature between these two blokes.
> >> >Worthless.
> >>
> >> Gee, does that mean we can't count on you either to provide useful
> >information?
> >>
> >I was wondering that, meself. You took the words
> >right off my fingertips.
>
> Now this is truly tragic. Bill, you are considered by many to be the ultimate
> authority on scanners and scanning. Imagine how much you would be appreciated
> if you spent even a fraction of the time posting useful information that you do
> engaging in useless vendettas with Mackey, Boe, Glen, Andy Moss, etc.

First of all, be careful of the names you include.
You are not entirely correct in the statement. Some
of those people will certainly object to being
categorized with the others.

Secondly, since I apparently have to work for FREE
in order to get any "appreciation", I certainly will do
it in my own way in my own time as I, and I alone,
best see fit. Now if you'd like to PAY ME for every
"useful" post, I believe I could arrange to make you
happy beyond your wildest dreams..... All you and
I need is a bit of a retainer and a contract.....but
lacking the retainer and commitment, I'm afraid I can't
offer any real good solutions to your personal problems.

Thirdly, if you don't like the aforementioned vendettas,
then why don't YOU go to the sources and put a STOP to
them, and if you can't do it by yourself, then enlist
the aid of others. One thing is for sure, my enlightened
friend.....I don't have any vendettas. I am only the
target of them. I absolutely NEVER start the crap. But
when it keeps going and going and going and going.....like
a certain pink bunny, well.....it's my right to have a

say.....and I'll take that right whether you like it or not.

Most notably since you are not contributing to my
dinner plate; education of the kids; and my 401k.

I do thank you and appreciate your most carefully
considered opinion, of course......

At the same time, I am STILL wondering if this newsgroup
can count on ANY useful input from you? You forgot to
address that question in your reply.

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2704. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3514d4f9.662180@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166290

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:

> Doesn't a half-wave dipole already have an impedence of 75ohms? Why would you
> want to use a TV type (4:1) balun with this setup?

Some sources say a dipole has an input impedance
of 75 ohms, but that is true ONLY under very narrow
conditions of Fo at *certain* heights above ground.

For random heights, the impedance varies widely
from 75 ohms. Also, on either side of the design
center, there are wide swings of impedance.

For a scanner, it would be almost NEVER that a
dipole is placed at the exact height above ground
and operated at the exact design frequency.
A dipole for a scanner is truly your classic
"random" situation where the input Z will
unequivocally always be greater than 75 ohms.

Without getting into writing a book, let me
call your attention to TV antennas which are
known to have 300-ohm input impedance.....why?

Partly to design, of course, but also random
heights and a huge bandwidth.........

Under worst case conditions, a 4:1 mismatch will
have no real impact on the received signal level.
What, a 25% loss, which is -1.25 dB? That's not
a loss that is worthy of any jaundiced eye.

In actual practice, the homemade dipole will exhibit
impedances ranging from 100 ohms on up to 300 ohms,
so the actual case will usually be better than
a 4:1 mismatch.

Lastly, a dipole is a balanced antenna, so there
is a great value in using a balun to match the
antenna to the unbalanced coax....basically the
antenna will do all the work and not the coax...

and the coax will serve its purpose of shielding
and low loss.

Meanwhile, the casual hobbyist has little or no
chance (or desire) of finding a cheap 1:1 or 2:1
balun with a 75-ohm output, so the TV matching
transformers really are a pretty good deal. Everyone
has one laying around, and they DO work great
for the stated purpose.

This isn't "theory"....I've done it and tested and
evaluated the results for years. But you can figure
the math and see for yourself.

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2705. Re: BILL CHEEK - STUPID BELIGERANT ASSHOLE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980322042654.29204C-100000@randomc.com>
Source record: 166291

hi there, i like bill, don't come down that hard on him. i like to see and
read his posts. he sure knows about scanners, he really knows his stuff.

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e-mail dana@randomc.com

2706. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980322043121.29204E-100000@randomc.com>
Source record: 166292
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

i guess i need to follow this thread more closely.

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2707. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980322042938.29204D-100000@randomc.com>
Source record: 166293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

i want to know whats wrong with john mackey? let him post.
he has some good points.

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2708. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980322043327.29204F-100000@randomc.com>
Source record: 166294

hi there, where can i get this news e-mailed to me? i found a sorse for
the rec.amatur news groups through e-mail
what majordomo server can i find this one on, and where can i find the
rec.radio.swap in? thanks.

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2709. UBC 120XLT Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Itchins <esc@trump.net.au>
Message-ID: <35144BFA.71C2@trump.net.au>
Source record: 166339

I am trying to find out if there are any mods for the Uniden Bearcat
120XLT, I am tod that it can be modified for 800mhz band.
Thanks, Steven.
esc@trump.net.au

2710. Re: PRO-64 cellular restorable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032200172400.TAA12145@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166340

NO

2711. New scanning web page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hubert-Ashley <thubert@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <01bd5529$6b876f60$aa5cadc7@TimothyHubert-Ashley.suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Source record: 166341

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--Visit my new scanning web page at:
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Launchpad/1027/middlescan.html

KB2ZYL de Tim Hubert

Visit My Webpage at:
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Launchpad/1027/
or
http://members.tripod.com/~KB2ZYL/index.html

Email me at:
thubert@suffolk.lib.ny.us
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2712. Re: Pro 2042 & Programmit question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.com
Message-ID: <35145d03.1916574@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 166342
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Well if you have room inside the scanner that is the best place for
it as it will make for a smaller hole in the back of the scanner, I
believe you could get away with a db9 plug, there has to be some free
relastate in there to drill some holes to mount supports for it.
If you don't want to drill any holes in the scanner remove the
battery holder and mount the battery internal, which means you have to
remove the case to change but that is only once every year or two.
Then make a plate to cover the battery hole and mount your db-9 if
installing the circuit interenal or you could mount the db25 if
installing the circuit in a project box.

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 00:08:43 -0800, Chris Stankeviz
<cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu> wrote:

>Howdy...
>
>Just took a look around inside the 2042 for my anticipated installation
>of the Programmit interface next week (found CN503, etc)...[you can
>imagine my surprise when I found my channels ERASED after I put the
>thing back together! YUCK!].
>
>My question is this: How should I connect my Programmit circuit with the
>scanner? I purchased the etched board from Far Circuits. I suppose I
>could scotch-tape the board to the outside of the scanner and have 17
>wires going through a hole on the top of the scanner... but I want this
>project to be *different*! :-)
>
>If anyone has any pictures (or words), I'd love to see 'em!
>
>Thanks,
>
>Chris Stankevitz
>cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu
>(don't forget to remove NOSPAM)

2713. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: melissa@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6f1mvs$842$1@yosemite.amnix.com>
Source record: 166343
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What good is the First Amendment right to free speech, if people
don't have the right to listen to whatever public speech (
including on the air) that they want?

If people want private speech on the air, let them scramble it, but
don't tell us what we can listen to.

Of course that's just my opinion.
Anyone who doesn't agree with me is clearly wrong. :-)

Melissa My web pages: under constr.

My posting to Usenet does not imply permission, or a request, to email me,
though kind supportive comments are always welcome.
Hostile, harassing, religious harassment and/or abusive email may be posted
and result in complaints to your provider.

2714. BC147XLT help/advice needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: moxy@nojunk.istar.ca
Message-ID: <35156943.4706453@news.istar.ca>
Source record: 166344
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I just picked up a Bearcat BC147XLT for 30 bucks (brand new) in a clearance sale, so it seems like a deal no matter what, but I was wondering if anyone had any suggestions on how to improve reception or mod it. The mod I would really like is to increase the range of frequencies available, and to eliminate the frequencies blocked by Uniden. I have electronics training so I am not adverse to soldering or replacing components so send me your mods!

Thanks in advance..
Jason Sanderson
Ottawa, ON
remove NOJUNK to reply to my email, but please post your reply and CC me so others can benefit from your info!

2715. Re: Madison WI Fire Stations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Vieth <vieths@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3516FC25.1CC5E45C@ameritech.net>
Source record: 165946

Where are Stations 9 and 2? And is that new station on McKenna (Elver Park)
in service yet?
I moved at the same time they started construction.

-Scott
(formerly of Madison)

WI-073 wrote:

> Station 9 is being remodeled. Ladder 9 is running out of Station 2 until
> work is done. Weeks? a month?
>
> MPM <mconnell@itis.com> wrote in article <6f3qdp$f1o$1@news.itis.com>...
> > Can anyone tell me what has happened to Fire Station #9? Has it been
> > relocated?
> >
> >
> >

2716. Re: Help! Pro 43 Broken

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charlie Warfield, Jr." <charlie66@Ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3517181A.373A@Ameritech.net>
Source record: 165947
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

RHUNT wrote:
>
> I purchased a Realistic Pro43 (date code 8A2) from a pawn shop last
> week. Thought I was getting a good deal. However, it appears that
> someone made the following mods: opened cell freqs., extended frequency,
> and audio modification. The scanner appears to work OK on the VHF and
> UHF spectrum, scans the 800 - 900Mhz but won't recieve cell calls. It
> does recieve a local TV station (garbled) at various freqs in the cell
> range.
> Anyone have any ideas as to what is wrong, or where I can send it to get
> it repaired? Any help will be appreciated.
> Thanks
> Richard
> rhunt@prodigy.net

It sounds like they did the modifications described in the various publications by Bill Cheek, all of which are easy to do. The problem with modifications is, even though they themselves are easy, if you break one tiny wire, crack one tiny foil, etc., you can create problems that can be a real pain to chase down. To restore cellular on the PRO43 you have to practically remove every board in the thing, then get them all back together when you're done...so there's plenty of chances to mess something up and not even know it until you have the thing all buttened down.

Although Radio Shack does good work for cheap, DO NOT take it there. Since modifying a scanner for cellphones is "illegal", they are not going to help you. You can't walk in there and say, "Make my cellphone freqs work". I'd be afraid they would confiscate my scanner because of the unauthorized alterations. I wouldn't even take it there for non-cellphone related work.

If you are handy and want to do your own work, RS will sell you the service manual with all the schematics and troubleshooting tables for less than $10. Otherwise, check the ads in magazines or ask around at the next hamfest for a independant tech that will do the work.

I know this info is sketchy, but I hope it gives you some ideas.

Charlie

2717. Ericsson scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: com <!>
Message-ID: <6f75k3$gh7@outhouse.sage.net>
Source record: 165948
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

It was once wondered why an Ericsson radio system cannot be easily scanned, like the motorola. The motorola system assigns frequencies to the unit when they request and are granted access. This means that at any time a talk channel can be added to the motorola system without updating the radios. Each Ericsson radio, on the other hand, has a system block which is an association of channel numbers and frequencies. Upon request, the control channel tells the radio to go to a certain channel number. Only the radio knows the association of channel numbers to frequencies. So without the system block or key, it is improbable that an Ericsson/EDACS scanner will be built.

2718. Re: Mackey Dreck (A Star Trek Parody)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <3517164D.D37E524F@netwit.com>
Source record: 165949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick wrote:

Some hilarious text that made it onto my hard-drive which I fully intend to publish as my own work.

ROTHLMAO!!!

Bravo Richard. The actual wacky-mackey quotes were a nice touch. You got a talent there. You better publish your stuff before I do!

2719. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charlie Warfield, Jr." <charlie66@Ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <35171B63.7FC1@Ameritech.net>
Source record: 165950

Arthur Howard wrote:
>
> Anyone have a clue what the chances are of having customs find and
> confiscate an unblocked import scanner?

A very well-travelled friend once suggested to me to buy a cheap, junky scanner (it doesn't even have to work) and pack it right on top of the other stuff in the suitcase where it will be easily found. Then take the "real" scanner and bury it way at the bottom or (if a handheld) stuff it in a shoe.

The plan was for the "decoy" scanner to attract the attention and the customs officer may not look any further once the decoy is found. This also helps when going through questionable areas where valuables are often "confiscated" (ie, stolen) by customs and the local police.

Of course, this may not always work, but it's worth a try. My friend placed a cheap $40 "decoy" shortwave in his suitcase. Sure enough, the foreign customs official took it under the guise of "contraband". He looked no further, and didn't notice the $600 reciever hiding under the dirty laundry. Think of it as a $40 insurance policy.

Peace,
Charlie

2720. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul and jacki <jackid@gwis.com>
Message-ID: <35171D65.2AFF@gwis.com>
Source record: 165951

Arthur Howard wrote:
>
> Anyone have a clue what the chances are of having customs find and
> confiscate an unblocked import scanner?

There are tons of drugs being smuggled into our country everyday at the borders. I certainly would think that Customs has their priorities straight and concentrates their efforts on the real criminals at the border.

2721. Does Anyone Know N1LSW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard <tbolt@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35172C46.6602A7CA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165952
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Does Anyone Know Jack Komisarek N1LSW, New E-mail Address? His old address n1lsw@ncia.net ... is no longer active !!!

2722. alternate scanner source in vancouver BC??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Dodge <dodgefam@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <3516D9B7.A505BE6@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Source record: 165953

hi, is there an alternate to the Sack when im lookin for scanners in
Vancouver BC??

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|Matt Dodge |
|Vancouver, BC |
|ICQ#- 2101215 |
|Web Site- http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/5069/ |

2723. Sportcat 150 Intermediate Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt Tippette <burtt@myself.com>
Message-ID: <3517321B.25A6@myself.com>
Source record: 165954

Does anyone know the Intermediate Frequency to the Sportcat 150? Or how to determine what it is?

2724. Re: Ericsson scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Justin Reed <jreed@midusa.net>
Message-ID: <35173948.B23DD400@midusa.net>
Source record: 165955
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Not to sound rediculous by any means, but maxon, who makes the GE "monogram" radios, makes a dual mode 800 MHz radio that might just be affordable enough to use for "scanning"..... not that i would buy one for that purpose only....

com wrote:

> It was once wondered why an Ericsson radio system cannot be easily scanned,
> like the motorola. The motorola system assigns frequencies to the unit when
> they request and are granted access. This means that at any time a talk
> channel can be added to the motorola system without updating the radios.
> Each Ericsson radio, on the other hand, has a system block which is an
> association of channel numbers and frequencies. Upon request, the control
> channel tells the radio to go to a certain channel number. Only the radio
> knows the association of channel numbers to frequencies. So without the
> system block or key, it is improbable that an Ericsson/EDACS scanner will be
> built.

2725. Service man. for HTX-123/121

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sly Kapchinski <n5gqb@txcyber.com>
Message-ID: <35174896.57AC@txcyber.com>
Source record: 165956
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello all:

I am looking for someone that has a service manual for a Radio Shack VHF biz band radio. Model HTX-123 or HTX-121. I need some info looked up. Thanks in advance! Please reply directly. Sly

2726. FS STANDARD AX400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BP1993 <bp1993@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <3517346D.2AED6639@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 165957

WIDE BAND HAND HELD RECEIVER 500khz - 1300mhz $300
USED VERY LITTLE.

BOB

2727. Re: Top secret frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35174219.7552E5E7@eden.com>
Source record: 165958

. wrote:

> I am enclosing 5 cents with this newsgroup posting. (I like to invest big!)
> Please put it towards the investment for the 3 1/2 disk with top "secret"
> freqs.
>
> Laters
>
> Auger
>
> Ziggy wrote:
>
> > n1lsw@ncia.net wrote in article <6d85lpicc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> > > ((((((((((((((((((((TOP SECRET RADIO FREQUENCIES)))))))))))))))))))
> > ALL
> > > THE ONES YOU WANT TO KNOW. ALL THE GOOD STUFF YOU CAN'T GET!!!! WELL NOW
> > YOU
> > > CAN ON THIS 3.1/2 DISK. YOU WILL BE SHOCKED!!!!. $5.00 SHIPPED IN THE US.
> > > Thanks Jack.
> >
> > OK everyone, let's all chip in and get one copy which we can then post
> > here. I'll donate a penny. If we get 499 more people in on this, it could
> > work... ;-)
> >
> > -Phil

What the hell, i'll put in 50 cents.... make this go a little faster.

2728. Re: WIN RADIO via remote PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: GregoryR <gregjr@teleNOSPAMport.com>
Message-ID: <6f7jvf$q5n$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 165959

Having read a little about WinRadio's APIs, this seems entirely possible. Using the winradio GUI (the program the looks like a scanner) would be a huge challenge, but all the tools to develop your own simple interface are in the API. In fact, you could run Perl scripts on a web browser running on your win95 pc (like the free sambar server) to send commands to the winradio via webpages. You could even capture the audio output from the winradio to the input on a sound card and setup a 95 based realaudio server.

I haven't heard of anybody doing it, but it's just a matter of somebody spending some time. The tools are all there and all free (except the RealAudio server).

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Remove NOSPAM from address to reply
ClaytonF_Gibbs wrote in message ...
>
>
>Could a device such as WIN RADIO be remotely tuned and received from
>another PC via TCP/IP dialup/WWW?? Both parties would need WR
>hard/software I assume. Adding Real Audio in this mix, there are some
>interesting possibilities. If this is achievable, how many remote users
>could access the WIN RADIO simulataneously? Seems like it would make line
>of sight reception obsolete in a sense. Has anyone attempted or though of
>this kind of setup?
>
>I've tried Jeff Chiltons web HF radio
>(http://www.chilton.com/scripts/radio/R8-receiver) but you have to wait
>for the audio to download. Was curious if anyone has went a few steps
>further in this area.
>
>Clay
>

2729. FS C528A HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6f7hp1$lq2$1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165960

2 meter/440. Comes with quick desk charger, 2 nicads, and a cigaret adapter.Good condition and works great. Recieves and transmitt 100-180mhz, 320-479mhz. Recieves also 820-979mhz. Asking $250 dollars. mgdforty@webtv.net

2730. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: GregoryR <gregjr@teleNOSPAMport.com>
Message-ID: <6f7kq7$qo1$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 165961

In the great State of Washington, a concerned individual can report suspected incidents of child abuse or neglect without disclosing any information they choose not to. Of course, the more specifics you give, the better. However, you can give give compelling info without disclosing how you obtained it.

The state's investigators will show up at your neighbors door and ask to see the child. The parent can refuse, but then the state will start an investigation. My wife, who works in an allied health field, is required by law to report any thing see hears or sees that seems like child abuse. That would put her in an spot since she cannot, by law, report anonymously.

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Remove NOSPAM from address to reply
Jim Weidner wrote in message
<6f4k1m$5qv$1@news10.ispnews.com>...
>HYPOTHETICAL "FER INSTANCE" ---
>Suppose I am able to hear my neighbor's babysitting monitor on 49 MHz or/and
>their cordless fone on 46 MHz and I hear them abusing their infant? If I
>report it (as required, I believe, by my state's laws), am I in violation of
>Federal privacy laws.
>I want NO trouble with regard to this inasmuch as I have a responsible
>positon within my community and am fairly well known locally.
>
>(My lawyer has no expertise in this area --- assuming I had no lawyer
>for this
>HYPOTHETICAL example....)
>
>
>

2731. Re: Cell Monitored Conversation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: GregoryR <gregjr@teleNOSPAMport.com>
Message-ID: <6f7lg4$r8t$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 165962

Yes, Yes, Yes.

Do so anonymously if you feel you must. But, IMHO, doing the right thing is more important than doing the legal butt covering thing. Unless the local PD are a complete pack of morons, they'll be alot more interested in busting the drug pushers than wasting there time with you on some obtuse and obscure federal violation that they've never heard of and couldn't care less about.

Yes, it's an anoying law. But, like a lot of laws, nobody cares unless somebody gets hurt. Especially local law enforcement.

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Remove NOSPAM from address to reply
BrianFlues wrote in message
<6f6ldniki1@winter.news.erols.com>...
>Okay,
>
> So, I live about 1/2 mile from a cell tower
and I monitor a
>conversation about " 4 bags for $125.00 each" in my local
neighborhood
>(complete with address and directions I might add) on a
image of the 870
>mhz range on a non cellular scanner.
>
>Do I report it and risk prosecution for illegal monitoring?
>
>
>(The replies to THIS should be interesting and by the way
it did happen)
>
>

2732. Re: Drug dealer; was <law and privacy>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Armando Lopez <Miramarman@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6f7mep$qrp@ecuador.earthlink.net>
Source record: 165963

I would think an e-mail message with an unknow address, Hotmail.com would be in order. You could spell out details and the police could use the info from the unidentified source to write a search warrant. The info for the warrant can be from a potential illegal source, like sending a person in to buy dope. The act of buying dope is illegal but can be used. Just a thought, though you need a smart DOPE cop.

2733. Re: Shuttle freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Keyser <nospam.david.keyser@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Message-ID: <3516A425.1292@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Source record: 165964

PGlea58161 wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I'm trying to find the best freqs to monitor for Space Shuttle launches and
> would really like some advice on it. I'm going to be using an 800 MH scanner
> from the Bahamas.
>
> Pglea58161@aol.com

Here's the URL of a FAQ: http://www.indirect.com/www/sxi/shuttle.htm

Lots of Space Shuttle freqs there . . .

DK

Please remove "nospam." for e-mail replies

Dave Keyser | The opinions expressed herein are not necessarily
Gurnee, Illinois | those of my employer, Abbott Laboratories.

2734. Re: New AOR8000 unblocked $405

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathy De Viney <cdeviney@ipa.net>
Message-ID: <351739A5.A7B2D49A@ipa.net>
Source record: 165965

I am curious if others have purchased unblocked scanners from this company, as well as Bandercom and Javiation. Are they set up on the American band plan? Any problem with the item not arriving as scheduled? Good service after the sale? Etc, etc?

Coments welcome.

Martyn wrote:
>
> This is an advertisement
>
> Check out our web site http://www.multicomm2000.com
>
> We also have very secial offers on the superior Yupiteru MVT9000
>
> All our scanners are unblocked and available for shipping world-wide.

2735. Make A Fortune with Bulk Emails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: nowhere1@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3515d877.287939808@news.total.net>
Source record: 165966
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.roller-coaster,rec.running,rec.scuba,rec.skiing.alpine

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2736. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <R.35164758.630B@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 165967

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

> >George Vetterle wrote:
> >> Are they affiliated with NAMBLA?

PARG has NOTHING to do with this organization.

2737. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <R.3516C35E.394A@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 165968

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Blake Bowers wrote:

> Wrong, John. :-/

Wrong, again, Blake :-/

> Uh, a little checking for licenses that expired before that may
> change your mind on that...

Are you trying to say that you had a previous ham license to what
you NOW have?

> Entry level John. I said entry level. As in before code free
> licensing, the level that most HAMS got into as their first
> step was Novice. Now, the first level most HAMS get
> into is TECH.

YES! It is now FAR eaiser. Besides everything else I mentioned
in my post, now the questions & answers for the test are available
for anyone to review at any time. In the days prior (about when you
were referencing) the question/answer pools WERE NOT available.

Rather than actually knowing the info, you can simply memorize the
answers. :(

2738. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <R.35164AAB.5277@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 165969

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Blake Bowers wrote:
> John, insofar as the entry level technical exam for the period
> when you got your first license, as opposed to when the
> no-code license started, what is the difference?>
> HINT...None.

Wrong, Blake. :-/

I know you are a recent newcomer to ham radio (what is it, like the past 5 or 6 years?). In about 1989 (or so) there was a change to the rules for getting a Technician class license. Before that time, you were required to pass element 3 which was a 50 question test. After that time the technican test was element 3A & only 25 questions. Of course, you were still required to already passed you elements 1A & 2 which were the Novice license.

So in summary when I obtained my license for Tech, you were required to pass a 5 wpm test, a 30 question element 2 test, and a 50 question element 3 test. Today a tech license only requires a a 35 question element 2 test & a 30 question element 3A test. 15 questions less & no morse code required. Also at that time you had to PASS IT ALL AT THAT TIME, no credit was given if you passed one element & not the other as is done now. Plus, the tests are offered more frequently in more locations. At that time, the tests (above novice) were ONLY offered a few times a year at FCC locations!

There are some BIG differences in the times you asked about!

2739. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <R.3516C1D0.6E7F@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 165970
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Macaroon wrote:
> Time will tell,

Time already has told, NOTHING happened!

2740. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <R.3516C638.5EBB@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 165971
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Macaroon wrote:

> -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:
> >I've been waiting for YOU to identify YOURSELF since before November
> >but you have continued to act in coward mode & NOT identify yourself.

> All smoke, little boy. That's all you can produce. You created your little
> demand after you were publicly embarrassed in these newsgroups for failure to
> produce.

NO, YOU are the one who is creating smoke & has NEVER been able to
produce. You have NEVER admitted your REAL name or e-mail
identity, only given false or misleading info!

You are pathetic!

> You just couldn't find anything you've posted that even remotely relates to
> scanning.

Go read the coax thread, my post was just a day or 2 ago. If that is
not
related to scanning then nothing is!

2741. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <R.3516FE84.3458@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 165972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Macaroon wrote:

> You invented this little "challenge" of yours once you
> realized you couldn't show anybody even a single post of relevance back months
> ago. You still can't because there are none,

Once again you are wrong. One need only look within the last few days
to
find examples of on-topic posts from ME. Go look at he thread about
9913 coax & you will find one of my on-topic posts.

Yet we can NOT find ANY on-topic posts for YOU!

2742. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <R.3516FF3F.8D7@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 165973
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Macaroon wrote:
> You must be referring to your ability find relevant posts you've made. Nothing
> happened.

No, I am referring to the very issue YOU were speaking of. That being
your
plan of complaining to my ISP (Sprint). NOTHING has happened.
hehehehehe

2743. [REPOST] Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <R.3516FECF.7B91@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 165974

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Arthur Howard wrote:
> Anyone have a clue what the chances are of having customs find and
> confiscate an unblocked import scanner?

LIttle to none. *FEW* (if ANY) custom agents are going to know how
to tell what freqs an import scanner can receive.

2744. Freqs for Geneva in SWITZERLAND ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Antonio <vaza@mail.cern.ch>
Message-ID: <35160698.4D86AAFE@mail.cern.ch>
Source record: 165996

Anyone knows about some freqs in Geneva city SWITZERLAND ?

Thanks for your help.
Antonio.

2745. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: notreal@aolsucks.com
Message-ID: <351911ba.51745897@news.albany.net>
Source record: 165997

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 22:10:12 -0500, "Jim Weidner"
<weidner@kwiknet.net> wrote:

>HYPOTHETICAL "FER INSTANCE" ---
>Suppose I am able to hear my neighbor's babysitting monitor on 49 MHz or/and
>their cordless fone on 46 MHz and I hear them abusing their infant? If I
>report it (as required, I believe, by my state's laws), am I in violation of
>Federal privacy laws.
>I want NO trouble with regard to this inasmuch as I have a responsible
>positon within my community and am fairly well known locally.

As someone who recently did it in reality, I can say in my experience
the police were much more interested in the crime than my scanning.
Although my situation had to do with drugs, they didn't at all seemed
concerned with how I knew what I was telling them. In fact, they in
not so many words told me to keep listening to help them. As far as
suing as someone pointed out, that is false. They can't use your
information to arrest. They can use it to start their own
investigation, and THEN make an arrest. I am now, however, taking
notes and am going to mail them an anonymous letter with names, pagers
numbers, addresses from now on. For two reasons, I'm sure the calls
are taped, and when dealing with drug dealers, one doesn't want them
to know the narc. And, when all is said and done, I really don't want
them coming back at me about it. I doubt they will because as I said,
they definitely didn't tell me to stop monitoring the calls, but
better safe than sorry. In your case, I would make the call. No
child should go on being abused, and I think the police will
appreciate the tip more than how you came upon it. If you're worried,
do it anonymously.

2746. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <3516174A.3946@swbell.net>
Source record: 165998

Jeff wrote:
>
> I checked the web, and found contradictory answers. Is it illegal to
> listen to any oral transmission or only cell/cordless phones? Why are
> cell freqs blocked, but not cordless? Is it illegal to own one that
> has cell capabilities, or just using it to do so? If it's illegal to
> sell cell capable radios and or show people how to modify theirs,
> isn't 80 percent of those of us on this news group criminals? I tried
> reading the fcc page, but it made it sound as if all scanning was
> illegal.

I suspect that the FCC would like to see
scanning made illegal. I believe that the
bastard in Louisiana who caused all of our
current problems is probably working to
incrementally outlaw scanning.
Get involved in politics and make sure that
your voice is heard!

2747. Re: Madison WI Fire Stations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: WI-073 <joe@microsoft.com>
Message-ID: <6f54uh$grn@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 165999

Station 9 is being remodeled. Ladder 9 is running out of Station 2 until
work is done. Weeks? a month?

MPM <mconnell@itis.com> wrote in article <6f3qdp$f1o$1@news.itis.com>...
> Can anyone tell me what has happened to Fire Station #9? Has it been
> relocated?
>
>
>

2748. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <3516184C.729@swbell.net>
Source record: 166000

Darrell A. Larose wrote:
>
> Jeff (jroulier@albany.net) writes:
> > I checked the web, and found contradictory answers. Is it illegal to
> > listen to any oral transmission or only cell/cordless phones? Why are
> > cell freqs blocked, but not cordless? Is it illegal to own one that
> > has cell capabilities, or just using it to do so? If it's illegal to
> > sell cell capable radios and or show people how to modify theirs,
> > isn't 80 percent of those of us on this news group criminals? I tried
> > reading the fcc page, but it made it sound as if all scanning was
> > illegal.
> >
> The Electronics Communications Privacy Act (1986) made monitoring cell
> illegal, The April 1994 Ammendments added cordless phones, plus made it
> illegal to sell (or manufaturer) scanners that could be un-blocked. The
> new Bill that just passed in Congress adds even more restrictions such
> as owning devices that can monitor these frequencies. There is even a
> more restrictive bill proposed that covers most of the radio spectrum...

Face it people......You probably did nothing to help keep our hobby
alive when everyone was passing around the congressional phone and fax
numbers. So, the result is that your hobby will be outlawed over a
period of time. You probably have just became a criminal because you
own an outlawed scanner.
Just sit on your ass, complain and cry. Keep doing nothing and it will
all go away.

2749. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35161A9F.154E@swbell.net>
Source record: 166001

JTWard01 wrote:
> It is currently illegal to sell NEW cellular capable radios, and you'll always
> be able to show or tell someone how to do the mods.
> However, if HR2369 passes the Senate and becomes law it will be illegal to sell
> any cellular capable scanner, even one 10 years old, although possession will
> still be legal (makes no sense to me). It will also be clearly illegal to
> modify even your own scanner to receive either cellular or PCS frequencies.
>
> John Ward

Funny! How will the feds know when you pro scanner owners did the mods
to your scanners that are now 8 to 10 years old???? So, there seems to
be a gray area here that allows the feds/cops/fcc to bust your ass even
if you modified your Pro???? scanner in 1988!
HAHA! I love it! Remember the shitheads here who were saying that the
nut in Louisiana had modified his bill and was trying to work with
scanner hobbiests??? What a laugh! Remember that those same fools were
saying that you should not be upset about what the politician in
Louisiana was doing???
So, the next time some politician tries to remove some of your freedom,
if you relax and listen to the fools who say that you should just sit
back and be quiet, youll be so sorry you did!
Make some noise!

2750. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Unrestricted Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6f5eusjnr1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166002
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

$800!, do you mean HK dollars or US.

$800 US is way too much for this eqpt, when AOR8000 second hand can hardly fetch $800.

I wish you luck in your sale.

n article <6f0oo2$dgf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>
> I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
> imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
> the radio has never been used outdoors.
>
> There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
> to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
> following:
>
> * Software and computer cable
> * AC adaptor
> * Original owners manual (hardly touched)
> * Telescopic whip antenna
>
> I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
> shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
>

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2751. FS: Uniden Bear Tracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: st1055@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032310195401.FAA08057@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166003

For Sale Uniden Bear Tracker Model BCT-10

The Worlds Smallest Mobile Scanner

Features:
Highway Patrol Alert With Strength Meter
Highway Patrol Coverage
Local Police Coverage
Preprogrammed Scanner Covers All 50 States Plus Canada
9 Level Strength Meter
Compact & Lightweight
Instant Weather
Built-in Speaker
Windshield / Visor Mountable

Comes with: 12 V Cigarette Lighter Cable, Stubby Antenna, Remote Suction Cup Antenna, Visor Clip Mounting Bracket And Manual With Warranty Card.

Asking $100.00 + Shipping
If Intersted E-mail Me At
ST1055@aol.com

2752. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <35164758.630B@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166004

> >George Vetterle wrote:
> >> Are they affiliated with NAMBLA?

PARG has NOTHING to do with this organization.

2753. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <35164AAB.5277@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166005

Blake Bowers wrote:
> John, insofar as the entry level technical exam for the period
> when you got your first license, as opposed to when the
> no-code license started, what is the difference?>
> HINT...None.

Wrong, Blake. :-/

I know you are a recent newcomer to ham radio (what is it, like the past 5 or 6 years?). In about 1989 (or so) there was a change to the rules for getting a Technician class license. Before that time, you were required to pass element 3 which was a 50 question test. After that time the technican test was element 3A & only 25 questions. Of course, you were still required to already passed you elements 1A & 2 which were the Novice license.

So in summary when I obtained my license for Tech, you were required to pass a 5 wpm test, a 30 question element 2 test, and a 50 question element 3 test. Today a tech license only requires a a 35 question element 2 test & a 30 question element 3A test. 15 questions less & no morse code required. Also at that time you had to PASS IT ALL AT THAT TIME, no credit was given if you passed one element & not the other as is done now. Plus, the tests are offered more frequently in more locations. At that time, the tests (above novice) were ONLY offered a few times a year at FCC locations!

There are some BIG differences in the times you asked about!

2754. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <35164CF0.4DF8@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166006

DICK Kendrick wrote:
> You are at the
> heart of *all* the chaos in the scanner groups today.

Really!

OK, how do you explain all the trouble that started when Bill
tried to run under the ID of "WinRadio" without telling
anyone who he really was.

How was *I* at the heart of THAT Chaos?

Then how do you explain the fight between Bill Cheek & Rich Wells
a couple months ago?? I had NOTHING to do with starting that, either.

How was *I* at the heart of THAT Chaos?

2755. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <35164D46.3D6@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

DICK Kendrick wrote:
> Ah, the most prolific liar on the Internet today thinks he knows
> the truth when he sees it.

YOU wouldn't know truth if if slapped you in the face, DICK!

x

2756. Re: One last letter to my senators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
Message-ID: <35160515.21653536@news>
Source record: 166008

tbrutis1@aol.com (Tbrutis1) wrote:

> In article <6epmor$a73$1@quasar.dimensional.com>, "Eric F. Richards"
> <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com> writes:
>
> >I ask that you not be swayed by the Cellular Telephone Industry Association
> >and other interests in this: Banning radio reception will not solve this
> >problem; strong encryption is an excellent solution.
>
> Will someone tell me how they hope to enforce this bs law?

They don't. You'll just be assumed guilty.

> There's no way.
> There will always be ways to get around any of these so called laws. Why waste
> the time?

Because it is worth doing.

Because we alledgedly live in a democracy.

Because this will completely gut the Communications Act of 1934.

> The cordless & cell phones that are supposedly scanner proof?
> Best joke I've heard in years.

Do yourself some favors:

1) Learn the difference between digital modulation, scrambling, and
encryption.

2) Do an alta-vista search for PGP-phone to see what (wired) voice
encryption is.

3) As a friend in DOD work or the military to give a brief description
of what a STU is.

2757. Does DSP makes any significant difference?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6f5fnn$kb4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166009

I know producers push this DSP stuff, just to move their products. I have a NRD 525, which does not have DSP on it, I'm thinking of upgrading to FT1000-MP , not only for DSP only, but it's oe of the major reasons, because FT1000-MP's got what the producers call Enhanced DSP.

My beef is with all this DSP and EDSP stuff, can someone clarify the cost-benefit for forking out in excess of 10,000 dollars just for EDSP.

Producers may not respond

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2758. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6f5ka8$t4n$0@207.18.224.128>
Source record: 166010

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 03:42:36 -0800, _John *KA0SSF*
<ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> John, insofar as the entry level technical exam for the period
>> when you got your first license, as opposed to when the
>> no-code license started, what is the difference?>
>> HINT...None.
>
>Wrong, Blake. :-/
>
Wrong, John. :-/

>
>I know you are a recent newcomer to ham radio (what is it, like the
>past 5 or 6 years?). In about 1989 (or so) there was a change to the
Uh, a little checking for licenses that expired before that may
change your mind on that...

>So in summary when I obtained my license for Tech, you were
>required to pass a 5 wpm test, a 30 question element 2 test,
>and a 50 question element 3 test. Today a tech license only
>requires a a 35 question element 2 test & a 30 question element 3A

Entry level John. I said entry level. As in before code free
licensing, the level that most HAMS got into as their first
step was Novice. Now, the first level most HAMS get
into is TECH.

The entry level, as I stated, was not as tough technically as
the Tech level is now. (Which, does not mean much, as
todays licensing technical standards, as they have for
quite a bit of time, even before the code free licensing, is
just memorization for most people)

2759. WTB: Uniden BCT-12

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce A. Langos" <bruce.langos@daytonoh.ncr.com>
Message-ID: <uQfvNslV9GA.65@rpc1285.daytonoh.ncr.com>
Source record: 166011

If you have one for sale let me know.

Bruce

2760. Help, need Yupiteru MVT-7100 manual or e-mail instructions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cjs9@cornell.edu
Message-ID: <6f5pih$htp@newsstand.cit.cornell.edu>
Source record: 166012

I bought a used MVT-7100 scanner, but wothout a manual. Any and all help
will be appreciated, even if it is just e-mailing me the simple scan
bank programming / search limit instructions.
thanks
cjs9@cornell.edu

2761. Looking for schematics for an Bc895 discriminator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: intripet@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032314184400.JAA17461@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166013

Hi, looking for schematics for an Bc895 discriminator and cable.

2762. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Unrestricted Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f5s5p$o7f@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166014
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Are you buying, selling or taking up space "PAL", if I wanted HK
dollars I would send it there to be sold. You obviously don't know
much about radios. This is nothing like the AOR-8000. Your limited
level of intelligence is evident by your stupid comments. Find
something useful to do with your life besides spending your welfare
money to surf the newsgroups because you can't afford any of this
stuff anyway.

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 04:53:41 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

>$800!, do you mean HK dollars or US.
>
>$800 US is way too much for this eqpt, when AOR8000 second hand can hardly
>fetch $800.
>
>I wish you luck in your sale.
>
>
>n article <6f0oo2$dgf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
> bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>>
>> I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>> imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>> the radio has never been used outdoors.
>>
>> There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>> to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>> following:
>>
>> * Software and computer cable
>> * AC adaptor
>> * Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>> * Telescopic whip antenna
>>
>> I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>> shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
>>
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2763. Re: Good Bye John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: run@away.johnny
Message-ID: <35176b86.7478196@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166015
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Is that the one stuck in your thick skull? Who planted it there for you, tard boy?

You are such a mental midget.

-John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>hehehe,
>
>and BILL CHEEK knows about my size #15EEE boot!
>
>
>
>Bill Cheek wrote:
>> all about my Size #13EE. It went in so deep it
>> STILL sticks in his craw. Personal problem, though.

2764. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: run@away.johnny
Message-ID: <35186be1.7570100@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166016
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>Macaroon wrote:
>
>> Good idea. Just sent off a few.
>
>BAD idea, your pathetic complaints are futile!

Time will tell, loony toon.

2765. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: run@away.johnny
Message-ID: <35196bfa.7594340@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

-John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>Macaroon wrote:
>
>> I'm waiting. Just like I've been waiting for posts from you since NOVEMBER !
>
>I've been waiting for YOU to identify YOURSELF since before November
>but you have continued to act in coward mode & NOT identify yourself.

All smoke, little boy. That's all you can produce. You created your little demand after you were publicly embarrassed in these newsgroups for failure to produce.

You just couldn't find anything you've posted that even remotely relates to scanning.

You're a riot, mental boy !

2766. FS: Icom PCR-1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gregg@plains.nodak.edu
Message-ID: <6f5spr$u0m$2@node2.nodak.edu>
Source record: 166018

I have an Icom PCR-1000 scanning receiver for sale. This is the little black box rx that does all modes and practically dc to blue light. It skips cell freqs, but pretty much covers everything else. I have the latest software off the Icom web page. It is like new, with all cables, box manuals, etc.

I've run it through it's paces, and I think it is a great little radio. I find I miss the "real" radio more than I enjoy the "virtual" radio interface.

I'll sell for $475 shipped. Save a few bucks, get a like new radio, save the shipping.

(-------------------------------------)
Joe Gregg N0RF
gregg@plains.nodak.edu
(-------------------------------------)

2767. FS: Relm 200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gregg@plains.nodak.edu
Message-ID: <6f5ta7$u0m$3@node2.nodak.edu>
Source record: 166019

I have a two week old Relm 200, 200 channel mobile scanner for sale. It has alphanumeric display, ctcss, dcs decode, 800mhz less cell coverage and 100channels per second speed plus includes programming software. It has a tremendously sensitive rx, great for mobile applications. You can switch from freq display to label display with a push of a button. It has 10 banks of 20 channels, with lots of features and is ruggedly built, including a metal case. I have the box, manual, and everything that comes with it. Many of the accessories have never been taken out of the box, as I have plenty of power supplies, for example.

I paid $220, will sell for $200 plus shipping.

(-------------------------------------)
Joe Gregg N0RF
gregg@plains.nodak.edu
(-------------------------------------)

2768. Re: FS: IC7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gregg@plains.nodak.edu
Message-ID: <6f5tuhqrq1@node2.nodak.edu>
Source record: 166020

Oh damn...

I used a new mailer and forgot to change the dang reply to address..

Oops. reply to:

gregg@plains.nodak.edu as seen in the sig.

I feel dumb.

In article <6f5s8r$u0m$1@node2.nodak.edu>, none@nowhere.com (jg) wrote:
>I have an Icom 7100 scanning receiver for sale. It has 900 memories, multiple
>scanning modes and many nice features. It has full coverage from 25-2000Mhz,
>no gaps and covers all modes. It is in good shape, about a 7.5 on a 10 scale.
> It works perfectly and is practically intermod immune. All my other scanners
>get intermod from pagers, but I have never heard any kind of intermod on this
>one. It is computer controlable with the CI-V interface, which I have as an
>option if you want to buy it for an additional price.
>
>$850 shipped
>
>CI-V interface $75 with radio ONLY, I will not sell unless it is with the
>7100.
>
>
>(-------------------------------------)
>Joe Gregg N0RF
>gregg@plains.nodak.edu
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Joe Gregg N0RF
gregg@plains.nodak.edu
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2769. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: run@away.johnny
Message-ID: <351c734f.9472403@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166021
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

_John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org> wrote:

>DICK Kendrick wrote:
>> Ah, the most prolific liar on the Internet today thinks he knows
>> the truth when he sees it.
>
>YOU wouldn't know truth if if slapped you in the face, DICK!

Is that what's wrong with you? You've been beaten to death all your life by the truth that you're just plain punch drunk ?

In the words of johnny's hero (Bugs Bunny) "What a maroon!"

2770. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: run@away.johnny
Message-ID: <351a6c9a.7754762@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166022
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

She was talking about the point on your head, dimwit !!

_John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org> wrote:

>thanks Dana!
>
>
>
>Dana Yeomans wrote:
>> i want to know whats wrong with john mackey? let him post.
>> he has some good points.

2771. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: run@away.johnny
Message-ID: <351b72fb.9387503@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166023
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

_John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org> wrote:

>> I absolutely NEVER start the crap.
>
>WHAT A LIE!!!
>Would you like me to post a few examples of when YOU have
>started the crap BILL?

You're hilarious, as usual, loony toon! Now you're challenging YOURSELF to come up with posts that don't exist!

Why don't you go back 6+ months to the other challenges you failed miserably at before introducing new ones ?

2772. Re: U.S. Laws..which is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tweek@netcom-NO.SPAM-com
Message-ID: <Eq9zE9.9EL@moraga.ness.com>
Source record: 166024

Marc <mkortlander@** monmouth**.com> wrote:
>
>I hope that Tweak guy reads this

You still haven't responded to my other post which responds to your bogus attack on my. You still haven't pointed out were my statement was in error. You are an idiot who just can't deal with the fact that you made a complete fool of yourself in another newsgroup and I made fun of you.

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Had your share of stoopid(tm) people?	
View the "Contra Costa Whines" at	[This space for lease]
http://www.io.com/~tweek/cocowhine/	

2773. Re: BC700A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Domonkos <domonkos@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35167E16.848100E1@erols.com>
Source record: 166025

Get one from RadioShack for the Pro2038, it's the same radio with the RS label, and same schematic applies. RS sells them for about $10.

What do you need to find? I recently added a discriminator tap to it (15 minutes).

BTW, did you know that if you removed the BC700 front assembly and replaced it with that of the BC350 and configure the resistors per the cell mod for the BC700 the unit will scan the 800Mhz band unblocked? Seems even though Uniden ROM-blocked the BC700's, the 350's still used the OLD chip. Adding the missing resistor to the CPU mode pads enabled the 350's controller to scan the 800Mhz band. The 350's don't have the 800Mhz module installed but the pins and interface components are their. I did this for a friend last year.

Andy

Rob Pickard wrote:
>
> Does anybody have a schematic for a Bearcat BC700A?I can get one from
> uniden,but they want $30.00,not that I am a cheap,but I am looking for
> another alternative.Thank`s,Rob

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My Sony FD-7 Digital Photo Web pages http://www.erols.com/domonkos
and also at http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/9870/

While there, visit my Astro Photo Page...
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2774. RS2006 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Burke Jr <barry_b@snet.net>
Message-ID: <3516817E.D77A285A@snet.net>
Source record: 166026
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

For Sale

Radio Shack Pro-2006 w/ Optoscan OS456, discriminator tap, & PROgramit installed. Excellent condition, this radio was purchased NEW (Old Stock) in 1996.

Demo versions of control programs included.

$425 USD + shipping - CONUS only please.

Barry Burke Jr,
Connecticut, USA

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****
Barry Burke Jr. barry_b@snet.net
SNET Internet Administration
****

2775. need r-8500 info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlong@magnus.acs.ohio-state.edu
Message-ID: <rlong-2303981058300001@ts18-3.homenet.ohio-state.edu>
Source record: 166027

I am searching for a site that has instructions on opening the cellular band on an r-8500. A ham friend outside the usa bought one from a usa ham.

thanks. ron w8gus.

2776. Re: PROgramit & John M.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032316012101.LAA04371@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166028

>Subject: PROgramit & John M.
>From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
>Date: Sun, Mar 22, 1998 15:02 EST
>Message-id: <35156E5A.713E@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>

>I would just like to let everyone know that I got my PROgramit up and running for my 2042! The PROgramit allows computer control of many RS scanners. The thing is incredible... the parts only cost me about $20-25!

John's latest project is an IR interface for scanners with the Programit installed. It's a neat idea...

2777. NJ Freqeuncies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Negron <jnegron@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35168934.2D19@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 166029

<URL: http://members.bellatlantic.net/~jnegron/index.htm>.

Scanner frequency guide covering all of New Jersey. Includes
police, fire departments, airports, local housing, etc. Also
includes general frequencies and links to other scanner
related sites.

Scanner Frequency Guide for New Jersey
<URL: http://members.bellatlantic.net/~jnegron/index.htm>.

2778. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032316133400.LAA05895@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166030

>Subject: Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?
>From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
>Date: Mon, Mar 23, 1998 06:52 EST
>Message-id: <35164CF0.4DF8@paREMOVErg.org>
>
>
>OK, how do you explain all the trouble that started when Bill
>tried to run under the ID of "WinRadio" without telling
>anyone who he really was.
>
>How was *I* at the heart of THAT Chaos?

No, you weren't an instigator of that particular brouhaha. So what is your point? That you are not at least as guilty as Cheek for posting thousands of off-topic messages and for completely disrupting this newsgroup? You certainly cannot deny that, no matter how muc lying, skulking around, reality-shifting that your lame brain can come up with. When are you going to stop your vendetta against Cheek and move on like a person with a backbone? Never, I suppose. You are much happier creating trouble.

Happily, I can now killfile you. PLONK!

2779. NJ Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Negron <jnegron@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35168B60.61BD@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 166031

<URL: http://members.bellatlantic.net/~jnegron/index.htm>.

Scanner frequency guide covering all of New Jersey. Includes
police, fire departments, airports, local housing, etc. Also
includes general frequencies and links to other scanner
related sites.

Scanner Frequency Guide for New Jersey
<URL: http://members.bellatlantic.net/~jnegron/index.htm>.

2780. Re: FS: ICOM IC-W32A DUAL BAND HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nadzam <nadzam@bills2way.com>
Message-ID: <351690E7.6A4@bills2way.com>
Source record: 166032
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brand new units are selling for $299.00 with a free cable and software.
I'll offer you $240, or 20% under new for a used unit, plus shipping and
COD.

BFoy wrote:
>
> ICOM IC-W32A HT
>
> -New
> -TX and RX Modified
> -Cloning Cables and Software
> -Manual and Box
> -Leather Case
>
> Asking $310.OO. E-mail or Call me between 10am-9pm.
>
> 73,
> Bill

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Bill Nadzam "K8WN"
mailto:nadzam@bills2way.com
http://www.bills2way.com
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2781. Trade a BC-235xlt + Scanner for a BC-895xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Jerald <mjerald1@tampabay.rr.com>
Message-ID: <6f6318$h5v$1@newse2.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 166033

Looking for a trade, Will trade a brand new, less than 1 week old BC-235XLT + Logitech Page Scan Color Pro scanner sheet feed with auto document feeder with original box all software, both scanners hardly used , all original materials present and everything works great , for a BC-895XLT in same conditions. Reason for this is that I would rather have a base unit and cannot locate a 895xlt locally anywhere....

Thanks,

Mike

2782. Re: Descramblers in Canada??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032316570900.LAA05825@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166034

We manufacture a Frequency Inversion Descrambler in wired and tested and kit form as well as Signal meter's for Scanners. Our Descrambler is tunable from 2400 to 4700 Hz.

CTP Descramblers

http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

2783. LAFD Fire #3 crashes / 3 killed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6f63bs$q9v@ecuador.earthlink.net>
Source record: 166035
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner

http://www.channel2000.com/news/stories/news-980323-101216.html

CBS and Fox NEWS report three killed:

A developing story-----

LAFD Fire #3 crashed in the Griffith Park area of Los Angeles this morning. The helicopter was reported to be carrying 5 people, including a 11 year old girl who was an automobile vicitim being transported to Los Angeles Childrens Hospital.

The helicopter is reported to the a Bell 205.

A very shaken KFWB Air 98 pilot Jeff Baugh reported that an emergency call went out over the helicopter frequency, and media pilots could hear some type of engine noise.

Karl Dahlquist
karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com

2784. F/S 800 MHZ Down converter to receive full 800 band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032317035901.MAA12115@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166036

F/S Ramsey 800 MHZ Down converter with deluxe case.
Assembled from a kit.Untested!! I never made up the proper cables to check for proper reception.It bench tested ok as per the instructions! Requires cables and power supply to complete.Lost interest in the project,purchased scanner with full
800 MHZ.
$50.00 plus shipping

E-mail me with all inquires
Robert
DeForger@aol.com

2785. NEW JERSEY TYPE II Talk Groups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Geluso <froggie@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <6f61t4$icp@uucp.intac.com>
Source record: 166037

Can any one help me locate this information?

Thanks,
Frank

2786. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh6hz@anomaly.ideamation.com.NO-SPAM
Message-ID: <6f5ruemtb1@anomaly.ideamation.com>
Source record: 166038
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6f4mqd$ftd@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote:

>>But what the Federal Government did was to tell you what you
>>can not do in the privacy of your own home.
>
>There are laws that prohibit certain activities in one's
>home, e.g., manufacturing drugs, explosives, and moonshine.

Making "moonshine" in one's home has been legal for some time now.
In fact most states have stores, called "home brew centers", that
will sell you everything you need to get started.

MD
--
-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have
-- with my guns.
--
-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

2787. Trade Scanner for Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: foralje@leonplastics.com
Message-ID: <6f652sbfo1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166039

I am interested in trading for a scanner with 27MHz and cell freqs.
Preferably a mobil unit but not necessary. Will trade President Jackson
-OR- RCI 2950 (both good talkers).

Reply via e-mail to
foralje@leonplastics.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2788. Help! Pro 43 Broken

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: RHUNT <RHUNT@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <3516A151.3775@prodigy.net>
Source record: 166040
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I purchased a Realistic Pro43 (date code 8A2) from a pawn shop last
week. Thought I was getting a good deal. However, it appears that
someone made the following mods: opened cell freqs., extended frequency,
and audio modification. The scanner appears to work OK on the VHF and
UHF spectrum, scans the 800 - 900Mhz but won't recieve cell calls. It
does recieve a local TV station (garbled) at various freqs in the cell
range.
Anyone have any ideas as to what is wrong, or where I can send it to get
it repaired? Any help will be appreciated.
Thanks
Richard
rhunt@prodigy.net

2789. NC Freq Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Natalie Cerda <cerda.inc@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f688r$fi4@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166041

Do anyone help me.. I need to find more NC freq.. I do have some but I would like more thanks
--
Cerda.net@worldnet.att.net

2790. Pro-2045 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Winther <winther@u.washington.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95b.980323102224.38664A-100000@homer27.u.washington.edu>
Source record: 166042

Does anyone know any modifications/tricks for the 2045 or any links that might help. Thanks for the info.

Brian
Everett, WA

2791. New: De Kooy Homepage, aviation communication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Benjamin <astruijk@multiweb.nl>
Message-ID: <890680006.469360@nntpcache.support.nl>
Source record: 166043
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Please take a peek at my new site:
http://www.multiweb.net/~astruijk/dekooy/kooycomm.htm .
Momentarily it is only in Dutch, but there will be soon an English version too.
The subject is de mvk (naval airbase) De Kooy in Den Helder, Netherlands, Europe.

Hope you like it

2792. FS: RS TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "N1IIC (Jason Greene)" <n1iic@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <3516B2CE.70B87A52@qsl.net>
Source record: 166044
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb

I have for sale the RadioShack version of the TrunkTracker. I bought it in Novenber of last year and is in perfect condition. It includes the original box, paperwork, and the optional 12V adapter. Selling price is

$250 shipped in the U.S.
Please reply to n1iic@qsl.net Thanks!!

2793. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <3516C1D0.6E7F@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166045
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Macaroon wrote:
> Time will tell,

Time already has told, NOTHING happened!

2794. Re: Atomic Clock Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Williams <sunset@telenet.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5691$9d3b5580$459961cc@telenet.net.telenet.net>
Source record: 166046

If your PC is in the same room as your radio you can also use a program called Atom Time. It sets your PC clock to the atomic clock.

2795. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <3516C35E.394A@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166047

Blake Bowers wrote:

> Wrong, John. :-/

Wrong, again, Blake :-/

> Uh, a little checking for licenses that expired before that may
> change your mind on that...

Are you trying to say that you had a previous ham license to what
you NOW have?

> Entry level John. I said entry level. As in before code free
> licensing, the level that most HAMS got into as their first
> step was Novice. Now, the first level most HAMS get
> into is TECH.

YES! It is now FAR eaiser. Besides everything else I mentioned
in my post, now the questions & answers for the test are available
for anyone to review at any time. In the days prior (about when you
were referencing) the question/answer pools WERE NOT available.

Rather than actually knowing the info, you can simply memorize the
answers. :(

2796. Re: NEW JERSEY TYPE II Talk Groups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcardani@erols.com
Message-ID: <3516b5c5.22503820@news.tju.edu>
Source record: 166048

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 11:16:33 -0500, "Frank Geluso"
<froggie@bellatlantic.net> wrote:

>Can any one help me locate this information?
>
>Thanks,
>Frank
>
Frank,

If you mean for the NJSP, my South Jersey Scanner Page has them:

http://www.erols.com/jcardani/sjscan.htm

Joe

2797. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <3516C58D.3B43@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166049

MAlexder wrote:

> No, you weren't an instigator of that particular brouhaha. So what is your
> point?

Only that MANY problems have ocurred with Bill CHeek on this NG that
I had NOTHING to do with, so trying to blame the problems on
ME is futile.

> That you are not at least as guilty as Cheek for posting thousands of
> off-topic messages and for completely disrupting this newsgroup? You certainly
> cannot deny that,

YES I CAN, with STRONG EVIDENCE THAT YOU CAN'T DENY!

Every problem this NG has seen in the last year or 2 have the common
denominator
of BILL CHEEK, NOT ME, as indicated by your statement above. I will
qoute it again incase your little mind forgot: "No, you weren't an
instigator of
that particular brouhaha".

no matter how muc lying, skulking around, reality-shifting
> that your lame brain can come up with. When are you going to stop your vendetta
> against Cheek and move on like a person with a backbone? Never, I suppose. You
> are much happier creating trouble.
>
> Happily, I can now killfile you. PLONK!

2798. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <3516C638.5EBB@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166050
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Macaroon wrote:

> -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:
> >I've been waiting for YOU to identify YOURSELF since before November
> >but you have continued to act in coward mode & NOT identify yourself.

> All smoke, little boy. That's all you can produce. You created your little
> demand after you were publicly embarrassed in these newsgroups for failure to
> produce.

NO, YOU are the one who is creating smoke & has NEVER been able to
produce. You have NEVER admitted your REAL name or e-mail
identity, only given false or misleading info!

You are pathetic!

> You just couldn't find anything you've posted that even remotely relates to
> scanning.

Go read the coax thread, my post was just a day or 2 ago. If that is
not
related to scanning then nothing is!

2799. Re: Rice University Police?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-0RjjOSboKdzO@localhost>
Source record: 166051
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Radioman,

Lots of good information there.

> car to car 460.225

Isn't this supposed to be 462.225?

Thanks.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

2800. How do you adjust the squelch on a Minitor I ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: coffeeman@feedME
Message-ID: <3516c053.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 166052
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.feedme

Hi,I want to adjust the squelch on my Minitor I receiver.
I am now using it with an external antenna and this causes
the squelch to break,cause noise and annoy me.
Any info would be great!

Thanks

luvcoffee@hotmail.com

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2801. Re: Does DSP makes any significant difference?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f6fao$l3m$3@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 166053
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> I know producers push this DSP stuff, just to move their products. I have a
> NRD 525, which does not have DSP on it, I'm thinking of upgrading to FT1000-MP
> , not only for DSP only, but it's oe of the major reasons, because FT1000-MP's
> got what the producers call Enhanced DSP.
>
> My beef is with all this DSP and EDSP stuff, can someone clarify the
> cost-benefit for forking out in excess of 10,000 dollars just for EDSP.
>
> Producers may not respond
>

At those prices, no. But DSP, in large production runs, is much
less expensive than hard wired boards. I have telephone switching
circuits done in DSP that are even cheaper to produce in mass than
op amp filter (RC) circuits. Different tones are loaded into data
tables, no adjustments needed (that is most of the cost savings).

2802. AR8000 new shipped $425

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <3516BF5B.45774E03@ncia.net>
Source record: 166054

Check this URL
http://www.bander.com/export/exscan.htm

2803. Re: Any Mods on 860 XLT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Shoop <shoop@tctc.com>
Message-ID: <3516C4F3.F2057263@tctc.com>
Source record: 166055

I just bought a used bc860xlt this past weekend as well. I was able to pick up cell images from 894.025 through 915.000 using search.

DoubleDiamonds@webtv.net wrote:

> Just bought a used BC 860 XLT. can anybody tell me if there are any
> mods? Also, where are the cell images. Thanks in advance.

2804. Re: Paging Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Jacobs <posting@from.work>
Message-ID: <3516C5F8.549A9D7F@from.work>
Source record: 166056
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Barry O'Grady wrote:

> sam stahl <cigar@vivid.net> wrote:
>
> :Can someone please email a list regarding pager frequencies in
> Atlanta,
>
> Here they are all between 148 and 150 Mhz.
>
> :sam stahl
> :cigar@vivid.net
>
> ====================================
> To reply via email please remove the Xs from my
> return address.

Funny in our city......pagers interfere with NOAA weather channels.
Listen to NOAA
radio frequently and get interupted by Charlie needing to call Fred.

Bruce

2805. BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <3516C561.19638902@ncia.net>
Source record: 166057

Anyone have a clue what the chances are of having customs find and confiscate an unblocked import scanner?

2806. Re: LAFD Fire #3 crashes / 3 killed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: me <someone@there.org>
Message-ID: <3516C784.4FFA@there.org>
Source record: 166058
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.scanner,alt.med.ems

Here is the story, as of 12.15pm PST...God help them all....

Mike Dutra EMT-P
Pleasanton, CA

LOS ANGELES, Updated 12:15 p.m.
March 23, 1998 -- A Los Angeles City Fire Department air ambulance crashed in a residential neighborhood near Griffith Park this morning, killing four people and injuringtwo others, authorities said.

The helicopter, carrying six people as it attempted to rush a young car wreck victim to
a local hospital, went down around 7:40 a.m. near the Los Feliz area of Los Angeles.
"There are four deceased," Deputy Fire Chief Davis Parsons told reporters at a news
conference at little over two hours after the crash.
Killed in the accident were a 10-year-old girl and three of her rescuers. They have been identified as two fire department paramedics and a crew member from the air ambulance, said CBS 2 News. The survivors have been identified as city fire department personnel. The two, apparently the heliocopter's pilot and a crew member, have been taken to an area hospital and are in serious but stable condition with multiple broken bones and head injuries, Parsons said.
The helicopter was transporting the 10-year-old girl to a local hospital when it went down, said CBS 2 News. The child had been critically injured in an earlier traffic accident in Sun Valley involving a car and a dump truck. All of the deaths and injuries were to people
on board the helicopter, said CBS 2 News. No one on the ground was hurt.

The helicopter crashed on its side, its tail breaking off. Pictures from the scene show small pieces of debris scattered nearby. Authorities found part of the helicopter's tail rotor about a mile from the crash scene, said CBS 2 News.
The helicopter went down just south of Griffith Park in a residential neighborhood near Fern Dell Place and Red Oak Drive. It clipped a couple of trees but missed nearby homes and vehicles.
The cause of the accident is unknown. The crash is being investigated by the National
Transportation Safety Board and the Federal Aviation Administration.
Los Angeles Mayor Richard Riordan visited the crash scene this morning, offering support for firefighters and the families of those killed. "I ask all Angelenos to say a prayer for those that died and those that were injured," Riordan said, reports CBS 2 News.

Today's tragedy follows the March 8 death of city fire Capt. Joseph Dupee, 38, who died after being trapped in a building fire. Dupee was the first city firefighter killed in the line of duty since 1984.

2807. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mackey@mental.boy
Message-ID: <3517bc0d.28096505@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166059
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You must be referring to your ability find relevant posts you've made. Nothing happened.

Run away, little boy. You might get hurt.

_John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org> wrote:

>Macaroon wrote:
>> Time will tell,
>
>Time already has told, NOTHING happened!

2808. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mackey@mental.boy
Message-ID: <3518bc71.28196802@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166060
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 12:29:44 -0800, _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
wrote:

>Macaroon wrote:
>
>> -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:
>> >I've been waiting for YOU to identify YOURSELF since before November
>> >but you have continued to act in coward mode & NOT identify yourself.
>
>> All smoke, little boy. That's all you can produce. You created your little
>> demand after you were publicly embarrassed in these newsgroups for failure to
>> produce.
>
>NO, YOU are the one who is creating smoke & has NEVER been able to
>produce.

Wrong, yet again.

>You have NEVER admitted your REAL name or e-mail
>identity, only given false or misleading info!

All smoke, retard. You invented this little "challenge" of yours once you
realized you couldn't show anybody even a single post of relevance back months
ago. You still can't because there are none, loser boy.

>> You just couldn't find anything you've posted that even remotely relates to
>> scanning.
>
>Go read the coax thread, my post was just a day or 2 ago. If that is
>not
>related to scanning then nothing is!

Hey, shithead - NOVEMBER! Remember?! A day or 2 ago doesn't mean shit to my
challenge that you've miserably failed months ago.

I'm impressed you STILL don't have the cranial capacity to understand a goddamn
thing put to you.

I'm glad you think you are fooling people here. You are such an embarrassment.

2809. Data format of Cloning In/Out on an ICOM IC-R10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <3516cd4b.927891@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 166061

Hello everyone,

Anyone that, like me, has an ICOM IC-R10 and knows the data format specification of the data transfer when Cloning In/Out? I redirected the output to a file, and I can recognize a lot of it in a hex viewer but I need a bit more info.

Thanks in advance,

Joost van Stuyvenberg
Amsterdam, The Netherlands
stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com

=== THE TOUGHEST MAIL FILTER EVER - MY DELETE BUTTON ===

2810. AR8000 computer interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <3516CDAD.358C2739@ncia.net>
Source record: 166062

http://www.odcombe.demon.co.uk/rad_intro.html

2811. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <3516CEEA.7C608098@ncia.net>
Source record: 166063

I am referring to one purchased from another country

2812. AR2700 users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "S. Bults" <s.bults@tip.nl>
Message-ID: <6f6k3iljt1@cadmium.aware.nl>
Source record: 166064

Hi all,

I'm looking for people who have the AOR AR2700.
I'd like to exchange experiences, etc.
contact me on s.bults@tip.nl

2813. Re: AR8000 new shipped $425

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032321350400.QAA19009@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166065

>Subject: AR8000 new shipped $425
>From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
>Date: Mon, Mar 23, 1998 15:00 EST
>Message-id: <3516BF5B.45774E03@ncia.net>
>
>Check this URL
>http://www.bander.com/export/exscan.htm

They raised the price from $399 to $425.

2814. Drug dealer; was <law and privacy>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: randycz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032321374801.QAA13748@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166066

In article <6f4k1m$5qv$1@news10.ispnews.com>, "Jim Weidner"
<weidner@kwiknet.net> writes:

>Suppose I am able to hear my neighbor's babysitting monitor on 49 MHz or/and
>their cordless fone on 46 MHz and I hear them abusing their infant? If I
>report it (as required, I believe, by my state's laws), am I in violation of
>Federal privacy laws.

I had a similar, real life experience several years ago.

A new neighbor moves in next door. Comes over and introduces himself, seems like a nice guy. During the day, no activity next door; starting at dark, lots of cars coming and going. While monitoring one night, my scanner locks onto his cordless phone frequency. Before I could hit the lock out button ;) I hear a drug deal being made. A few drug deals later he makes a deal for some guns. Now I have a real problem. I need to turn him in, but both my kids bedrooms are at the front of the house. The last thing I need is a drive by shooting. While down at the courthouse one day I talked to a sheriff's deputy. I gave him frequency, phone number, license number, and anything else I could think of. He told me he would have it checked out, but a month later there is still deals being made. It's kind of weird trying to be nice to neighbor when you know he's a drug/gun dealer. Fortunately, he moved out around midnight one night on the last day of a month (rent probably came due) and the problem became some one else's. The next week I put my house on the market, sold it and got the heck out of there!

Question to the law enforcement folks: How should I have handled this?
When I told this story a couple of years later to a guy who works in the IRS enforcement division (the guys who kick the doors down) said they (the IRS) would have set up a monitoring station and busted the guy. (BTW, you should see THEIR monitoring equipment.) I never saw a car in the neighborhood that looked like it was monitoring anything (maybe that's good), maybe my neighbor caught wind of the authorities and moved out ahead of their raid.

The whole incident lasted about three months, I was glad when it was over.

Randy

2815. Cell Monitored Conversation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BrianFlues <bflues@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6f6ldniki1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 166067

Okay,

So, I live about 1/2 mile from a cell tower and I monitor a conversation about " 4 bags for $125.00 each" in my local neighborhood (complete with address and directions I might add) on a image of the 870 mhz range on a non cellular scanner.

Do I report it and risk prosecution for illegal monitoring?

(The replies to THIS should be interesting and by the way it did happen)

2816. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-- $275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6lla$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166068
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Price reduced to $275 for quick sale!

>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>been unmodified.
>
>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>
>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>following:
>
>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>* Original manual
>* Original rubber antenna
>
>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!

2817. RE: Frequencies for Vancouver, B.C. & CNR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Murphy <zoso@odyline.com>
Message-ID: <3516DAAD.F839BACF@odyline.com>
Source record: 166069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Anyone with current, working frequency lists for Vancouver, B.C. and vicinity, including the RCMP, local police, fire, EMS, CNR railroad frequencies, etc. please submit all replies to:

zosoiv@juno.com

Thanks in advance,
Sean
zosoiv@juno.com

2818. FS- AOR 3000A Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6lml$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166070
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>the radio has never been used outdoors.
>
>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>following:
>
>* Software and computer cable
>* AC adaptor
>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>* Telescopic whip antenna
>
>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!

2819. FS- Yaesu FRG-9600 - full coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6lnj$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166071
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,sbay.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I have a MINTand very seldom used FRG-9600 which covers from 60-905
>MHZ continously in all modes. The radio does not have any nicks,
>dents, or scratches whatsoever.
>
>Its been sitting in the original box and packaging for about a year.
>I'm a non-smoker and the radio's never been outdoors. It includes
>the following:
>
>* Original manual
>* Photocopy of service manual
>* Mobile mounting bracket and bolts (unused)
>* TV video board installed
>* Yaesu AC adaptor
>* Original Telescopic whip antenna
>
>This is probably the nicest 9600 you will find. Accordingly, I would
>like to ask for $450 shipped to lower 48 States. Thanks!

2820. FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6m17$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166072
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>the radio has never been used outdoors.
>
>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>following:
>
>* Software and computer cable
>* AC adaptor
>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>* Telescopic whip antenna
>
>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!

2821. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3516da12.133072208@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166073

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net> wrote:

> Anyone have a clue what the chances are of having customs find and
> confiscate an unblocked import scanner?

That is hard to estimate, but I don't think
any of "us" on the newsgroup have heard of it
ever happening. Not with scanners, anyway....

CB Radios and related contraband, yes, it
used to happen all the time. I don't know
about anymore.......

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Bill Cheek - President/CEO/Publisher \ /
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Box 262478 ~ San Diego ~ CA ~ 92196-2478 /\
bcheek@san.rr.com ftp://204.210.11.204 / \
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
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2822. Re: Discriminator Question - Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: smason@agt.net
Message-ID: <6f724bdji1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166074
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6f515rbif1@winter.news.erols.com>,
"Don Stegner" <dstegner@erols.com> wrote:
>
> I have tapped the discriminator output on my PRO-2006 / OS456. It works
> great for Trunker unless I attach the computer cable to the OS456. The
> cable seems to short out the discriminator. Also, if I attach an external
> antenna the 2006 and have the scanner (895XLT) that trunker is tuning also
> attached to the same antenna, the discriminator shorts out. Any ideas on
> how to fix this? Thanks.

I had the same problem.
Disconnect CTS (pin 5 on 25, or pin 8 on 9 pin) between the trunker data
slicer, and the OS456.

Steve

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2823. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6f75m5hah1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166075

Ferderal "privacy" laws would prevent any evidence from cordless phones from being used in court, so there would be little point in reporting this matter directly to the police. However, you could make an "anonymous" tip or simply call the police and say you are very suspicious of illegal activity (in this case, child abuse).

In article <6f4k1m$5qv$1@news10.ispnews.com>,
"Jim Weidner" <weidner@kwiknet.net> wrote:
>
> HYPOTHETICAL "FER INSTANCE" ---
> Suppose I am able to hear my neighbor's babysitting monitor on 49 MHz or/and
> their cordless fone on 46 MHz and I hear them abusing their infant? If I
> report it (as required, I believe, by my state's laws), am I in violation of
> Federal privacy laws.
> I want NO trouble with regard to this inasmuch as I have a responsible
> positon within my community and am fairly well known locally.
>
> (My lawyer has no expertise in this area --- assuming I had no lawyer
> for this
> HYPOTHETICAL example....)
>
>

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2824. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6f77fdkaq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 166076
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <3515f331.73944813@news2.cts.com>,
bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
>
> Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net> wrote:
>
> > Bill Cheek wrote:
> >
> > > Some sources say a dipole has an input impedance
> > > of 75 ohms, but that is true ONLY under very narrow
> > > conditions of Fo at *certain* heights above ground.
> > > For random heights, the impedance varies widely
> > > from 75 ohms. Also, on either side of the design
> > > center, there are wide swings of impedance.

The ARRL antenna book claims a dipole above the ground will usually have a lower impendence than 75 ohms, not higher. BTW, does an off-center dipole have wider bandwidth than a regular one? If so, does it have lower gain on its design frequency? How far off-center would be good?
> >
> > I
> Now there's a good idea I guess it's no more difficult
> to whup up one of those than a standard dipole. Might
> even be easier to mount and keep mounted. Good idea!

If the ground an other nearby objects can raise the impendence of a 75 ohm dipole, wouldn't they also raise the impedence of a folded dipole above 300ohms? BTW, which has the best bandwidth: an off-center dipole, a folded dipole, or a ground plane?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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2825. Re: Rice University Police?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@juno.com>
Message-ID: <BBA4B0FA436459DE.496E9574E8575D3C.890E5E319E604C6A@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 166077
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Thanks Charles. Nope, 460.225 is correct just remmember its not on a
repeater so you gotta be close.

Radioman

Charles McCallister wrote:
>
> Radioman,
>
> Lots of good information there.
>
> > car to car 460.225
>
> Isn't this supposed to be 462.225?
>
> Thanks.
>
> Charles
>
> To reply, remove the "x" in my address

2826. Re: FS: Ranger 2950 10 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3516EC2D.38DA@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166078
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The Ranger 2950 10 Meter Mobile is no longer available.

73,
Bill

2827. Re: FS: ICOM IC-W32A DUAL BAND HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3516EC9B.2CD3@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The Icom IC-W32A is no longer available.

73,
Bill

2828. Re: FS: Radio Shack 2042 Base Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3516ED16.7A8E@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166080
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Radio Shack 2042 Base Scanner is no longer available.

73,
Bill

2829. Mass. State PD Troop C trunked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: history67@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032323302501.SAA02853@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166081

Anyone know if Mass State Police in troop C have moved to the 800? I haven't heard much on 42.40 lately.

TIA
Sean

2830. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <3516FE84.3458@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166082
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Macaroon wrote:

> You invented this little "challenge" of yours once you
> realized you couldn't show anybody even a single post of relevance back months
> ago. You still can't because there are none,

Once again you are wrong. One need only look within the last few days
to
find examples of on-topic posts from ME. Go look at he thread about
9913 coax & you will find one of my on-topic posts.

Yet we can NOT find ANY on-topic posts for YOU!

2831. New AOR8000 unblocked $405

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn <martyn@intecc.co.uk>
Message-ID: <3516f6c5.0@norbert.cerbernet.co.uk>
Source record: 166083

This is an advertisement

Check out our web site http://www.multicomm2000.com

We also have very secial offers on the superior Yupiteru MVT9000

All our scanners are unblocked and available for shipping world-wide.

2832. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <3516FECF.7B91@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166084

Arthur Howard wrote:
> Anyone have a clue what the chances are of having customs find and
> confiscate an unblocked import scanner?

LIttle to none. *FEW* (if ANY) custom agents are going to know how
to tell what freqs an import scanner can receive.

2833. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <3516FF3F.8D7@paREMOVErg.org>
Source record: 166085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Macaroon wrote:
> You must be referring to your ability find relevant posts you've made. Nothing
> happened.

No, I am referring to the very issue YOU were speaking of. That being
your
plan of complaining to my ISP (Sprint). NOTHING has happened.
hehehehehe

2834. Re: test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3516f5b3.2454422@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166086

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 11:43:46 -0800, Leon Norrington
<lnorring@email.sjsu.edu> wrote:

>
>
>
>> test
>

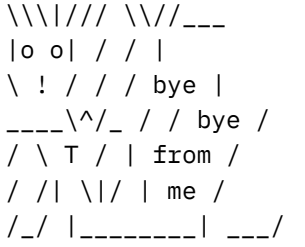
what does this look like rec.stupid.test.pictures

2835. Modification help (Scotland)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Coats <m.coats@zetnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <19980323235550784 24@zetnet.co.uk>
Source record: 166087

I have read some bits about modifying scanners to alter frequency range etc, but have no idea if this is possible with my scanners. I would welcome advice on this subject and advice on the best all round ariels for my handhelds.
Any other tricks and tips will be most welcome.
My scanners are:
1) Base - Netset 200ch Pro 2032
2) Handheld - Netset 100ch Pro 46
3) Handheld - Realistic 200ch Pro 39

Many Thanks
Mike



2836. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351655D1.708B55B2@mcn.org>
Source record: 166088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hey, we don't even really like you anyway. You are way to childish to
be here. Why don't you be a big man and leave.

_John *KA0SSF* wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > He's here only to conduct a vendetta.
>
> Are you talking about yourself Bill?
>
> > Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com> wrote:
> > > let him post he has some good points.
> >
> > Not on scanners and scanning, he doesn't. He
> > has no interest in this topic whatsoever. Nor
> > any knowledge of it, either.
>
> What's the matter Bill? Can't you handle Dana's opinions?
>
> x

2837. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <3516565B.E61CF398@mcn.org>
Source record: 166089
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You're probably wrong anyhow.

_John *KA0SSF* wrote:

> Macaroon wrote:
>
> > You invented this little "challenge" of yours once you
> > realized you couldn't show anybody even a single post of relevance back months
> > ago. You still can't because there are none,
>
> Once again you are wrong. One need only look within the last few days
> to
> find examples of on-topic posts from ME. Go look at he thread about
> 9913 coax & you will find one of my on-topic posts.
>
> Yet we can NOT find ANY on-topic posts for YOU!

2838. Re: Uniden Bear Tracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raymond DeVoe <rdevoe@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6f6uhp$fmj@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 166090

You've got to be kidding !!! I just purchased one at Boscov's for
$70.00 and returned the piece of junk.

-Ray-

ST1055 wrote in message
<1998032310195401.FAA08057@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>For Sale Uniden Bear Tracker Model BCT-10
>
>The Worlds Smallest Mobile Scanner
>
>Features:
>Highway Patrol Alert With Strength Meter
>Highway Patrol Coverage
>Local Police Coverage
>Preprogrammed Scanner Covers All 50 States Plus Canada
>9 Level Strength Meter
>Compact & Lightweight
>Instant Weather
>Built-in Speaker
>Windshield / Visor Mountable
>
>Comes with: 12 V Cigarette Lighter Cable, Stubby Antenna, Remote
Suction Cup
>Antenna, Visor Clip Mounting Bracket And Manual With Warranty Card.
>
> Asking $100.00 +
Shipping
> If Intersted E-mail
Me At
>ST1055@aol.com

2839. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351657D4.BB944AC5@mcn.org>
Source record: 166091

How about this. You made a dozen fine posts. If you have nothing more to add with any relevence, then you might shut your trap. Save post update time. You are costing everybody money.

-John- KA0SSF wrote:

> hehehehe hohohoho hahahaha
>
> I've always liked your twisted sense of humor, George!
>
> George Vetterle wrote:
> > To someone, such as yourself, who uses their fingers and toes as
> > numerical aids, it may *appear* that there were numerous on-topic.

2840. Re: Mackey Dreck (A Star Trek Parody)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <35165979.FE727FC5@mcn.org>
Source record: 166092
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Nice.

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> Uhuru: Captain, I'm receiving a primitive radio wave transmission
> from the planet below, audio only.
>
> Kirk: A transmission? From Planet Mackey? I thought the species
> occupying the planet had only evolved somewhere between a
> cockroach and a monosyllabic anthropoid. Spock, I need
> answers, dammit!
>
> Spock: Searching Captain. Two standard years ago, the planet was
> visited by a rec.radio.scanner research vessel. The ships
> logs show one of the planetary inhabitants had evolved
> into an almost subhuman species through a freak accident
> involving consumption of extremely high quantities of
> prozac and a blue water derived from a fecal disinfectant
> known as vanish. The prototype life form showed exaggerated
> tendencies to prevaricate and create ficticious personas
> using an ancient Earth computer network technique known as
> "faking email addresses." The logs go on to describe many
> incidents of irrational aggressiveness towards others in
> pitiful attempts at gathering attention. The ships linguist
> has translated the language. I'm programming the computer
> with the information. The universal translator now speaks
> and understands the language known as Toilet Boy, Captain.
> The translator will allow us to hear each sentence as it is
> translated.
>
> Kirk: Acknowledged Mr. Spock. Uhuru, put the transmission on
> audio.
>
> Uhuru: Yes, Captain. On audio.
>
> Toilet Boy: I'm 6'1" & under 200 lbs, so I am *HARDLY* "overweight".
>
> Translator: I'm 5'6" & am trying to keep my weight under 250 pounds.
> Hopefully, my lover Richard Simmonds will be able to
> help me loose the weight by pumping me silly.
>
> Toilet Boy: I see public people every day!
>
> Translator: I watch a lot of television in between selling womans

> shoes.
>
> Toilet Boy: NO, all the equipment is new out of the box, others do
> the maintainence.
>
> Translator: Of course, the shoes are new. After I try them all on,
> others clean them up before I sell them.
>
> Toilet Boy: No, it is a LARGE corporation you have DEFINATELY heard
> of. They advertise frequently!!!!
>
> Translator: I work at K-Mart.
>
> Toilet Boy: Hardly, I just got a 5% raise 2 weeks ago!!!
>
> Translator: The new shoe lifts work great. Now I'm tall enough to
> kiss my dear Richard Simmonds full on the lips.
>
> Toilet Boy: Nope, I see different customers all day long for my
> employing company!
>
> Translator: We have no repeat business and dismal sales because
> the female customers keep getting mad when I want to
> smell their feet and want to try on their shoes..
>
> Toilet Boy: You were WRONG on every single one!
>
> Translator: I'm confused. How do you work the shoe size thingy?
>
> Kirk: Spock, your analysis.
>
> Spock: Fascinating, Captain! Quite possibly the first totally
> clueless lifeform comsumed by abject misery and completely
> lacking any form of self esteem we've encountered. A completely
> useless life form.
>
> Kirk: Recommendations?
>
> McCoy: Damn it, Jim, I'm just a country doctor. I don't know a
> thing about parasite life forms. Rub some preparation
> h on it and call me in the morning.
>
> Spock: It would make an interesting case study. A life form with
> no females of the species, rampant homosexuality, massive
> delusions of adequacy, excessive prevarication, and a
> propensity to attack anyone who comes within a few feet.
> I predict a 99.875% chance of extinction of the species
> within the next 1.3 standard years, Captain. We can satisy
> the prime directive by leaving this life form to survive or
> perish on its own.

>
> Kirk: Very good Spock. Chekov, lay in a course for Talos 4, warp
> factor two. Engage.
>
> Chekov: Aye, Captain. Course laid in, warp two. Engaging.

2841. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <35165A8B.55DA8D19@mcn.org>
Source record: 166093

If you take the batteries out nobody can tell what it picks up.
Modifications are not on the outside.

Arthur Howard wrote:

> Anyone have a clue what the chances are of having customs find and
> confiscate an unblocked import scanner?

2842. Re: Cell Monitored Conversation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <35165B48.44B67484@mcn.org>
Source record: 166094

Why would you report it? Part of monitoring cell calls, unless you plan for random blackmail, would be to keep it to yourself(and friends maybe). But if you are Mr. AntiCrime, you could make Annon report.

BrianFlues wrote:

> Okay,
>
> So, I live about 1/2 mile from a cell tower and I monitor a
> conversation about " 4 bags for $125.00 each" in my local neighborhood
> (complete with address and directions I might add) on a image of the 870
> mhz range on a non cellular scanner.
>
> Do I report it and risk prosecution for illegal monitoring?
>
> (The replies to THIS should be interesting and by the way it did happen)

2843. Pro 2036

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clay S. Koenig" <cskoenig@home.com>
Message-ID: <35170A04.339F4E67@home.com>
Source record: 166095

Is there a mod for this? It's a homebase scanner with a huge finger dial on the darn thing...of course from Rat Shack..but there must be something out there for this....yes?

thanks,

Ck

2844. FS: Mint PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: xhduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <351531a1.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 166115

I have an aquaintance who would like to sell his
Radio Shack PRO-2006 scanner.
Mint condition.
25 - 520 / 760 -1300 MHz
Cell mod..
AM/FMn/FMw
US $325

Please DO NOT AUTOreply
Send a NEW message to hduff@ica.net

2845. Re: Please harass directkly via e-mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032300165701.TAA16232@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166116

>From: thehamguy@aol.com (TheHamGuy)
>Date: Sun, Mar 22, 1998 16:30 EST
>Message-id: <1998032221305000.QAA17300@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
>Hey, instead of posting this endless stream of garbage on USENET, why don't
>you
>jokers harass each other via e-mail? Your messages of agitation will arrive
>quicker and you won't have to be bothered by others jumping on the bandwagon
>to
>put in their two cents worth.
>
>Now, can we PLEASE get back to discussing RADIO on this RADIO newsgroup?

This pigface posted the same thing to rec.radio.cb

I have a scanner.

Your Friend,

Abner Boyd

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

2846. Re: digital mode scanners, are available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6f49qe$mr0$1@207.18.224.104>
Source record: 166117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 12:16:15 -0800, John Lidstrom
<jlidstrom@accessone.com> wrote:

>to call a Motorola Astro a scanner is .....a bit of a stretch. The Astro
>is
Sure it is. But for now, it is the best damn Digital scanner there
is!

>a full blown top drawer public safety portable, needs to be externally
Geez.

Let's look at the misinformation in your post one thing at
a time.

First off, the Astro is either a Portable, or a Mobile. Depends on
whether you have a Astro Portable, or a Astro Mobile!

>programmed by SOMEONE ELSE (lessin' ya'll got the software key)
Although yes, it has to be programmed, you DO NOT NEED A
SOFTWARE KEY. You do need Motorola software, and a programming
cable, and of course, a RIB. The only time you will need a software
key is when you program a trunking system into it.

>and will do a wonderful job of listening to digital audio until they
>encryption
>key is changed.

Many systems out there use just plain old Digital. No encryption, and
therefore, keyloader needed.

DVP/DES is when you will need a keyloader.

>But then, so will my Soundblaster Awe64. Or so I'm told.
>John
I have heard that vaporware also...

2847. Re: Walt Disney World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3518aae4.152321949@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166118

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 13:23:55 -0600, rockie@bright.net wrote:

>Could someone give me some frequencies for WDW administration---or any others
>you might have?

http://www.hiddenmickeys.org/WDW/WDW_Freqs.html

2848. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032300233700.TAA22434@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166119

>From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
>Date: Sun, Mar 22, 1998 18:07 EST
>Message-id: <351599A2.7067@paREMOVErg.org>
>
>Close but not quite!
>
>Actually, amateur radio is a seperate radio service than the
>citizen's radio service (CB). CB uses 27 Mhz, Amateur radio
>uses MANY different frequency bands. A extensive test is required
>for a amateur radio license in most countries.

Extensive Test!? Me and Drew didn't have to take no "extensive test".
We just bought us a book at Radio Shack that had all the test questions in it,
read it through that night and took and passed the test next day.

Sadly, I found that the bands were full of old fart hams who were always
talking about their gall bladders and stuff - which is why I enjoy CB much more
- where the real non-phony people hang out. Even if us can't spell at least we
has fun.

Your Friend,

Abner Boyd

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

2849. Re: WD-40 Worked !! No Fire either !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3519ab78.152469546@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166120

>
>I've been using the stuff my the gallon for
>over 30 years now. The spray can WD-40 makes
>a good flame thrower in a pinch. Good for
>critters and vermin of all sorts and kinds.

haha, try starting fluid sometime.

>Kinda scary the first time or two you try it.

very scary!

2850. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032300255100.TAA22852@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166121

>From: malexder@aol.com (MAlexder)
>Date: Sun, Mar 22, 1998 14:26 EST
>Message-id: <1998032219265000.OAA01072@ladder03.news.aol.com>
>
>>bject: Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?
>>From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
>>Date: Sun, Mar 22, 1998 14:40 EST
>>Message-id: <35156923.4779@paREMOVErg.org>
>>
>>What a terrible waste of bandwidth that 30 to 40% represents. I think
>>THAT is what is point is! How coincidental that BILL CHEEK is the
>>common denominator in all the problems that occur on this NG.
>
>You lowlife hypocritical, lying dog!! YOU are responsible for an
>extraordinary
>waste of badnwidth, and for you to even suggest otherwise is utterly
>laughable.
>YOU are the LOWEST common demoninator in all of the problems. Filthy bastard.

Oooohhh! He said some bad things about you, man.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

2851. For Sale pro 39 Scanner Cell!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f4a7o$suf@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 166122

Selling a Mint! Cond !! pro 39 scanner 200 ch handheld has 200 ch
hyperscan super cond hears real well.. with manual 150.00 email me
I am in so cal so shipping is alittle extra...thanks..

2852. Re: Why does "Abner Boyd" pilfer other people's signatures?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351aae02.153120463@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166123

On 22 Mar 1998 05:01:01 GMT, twinsradio@aol.com (TwinsRadio) wrote:

>You may have noticed a new "contributor" to this newsgroup. In the last few
>days, "Abner Boyd", a/k/a "azraelboy@aol.com" has become quite active here,
>spewing forth all sorts of insults and derogatory comments towards others.
>Interestingly enough, he chooses to pilfer the signature file of another
>participant who, until recently, was also quite active on this newsgroup. The
>signature being pirated is that of "cbrambo@aol.com" and appears below:
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"
>
>So tell us, "Abner", why do you choose to pirate CB Rambo's signature file?

Perhaps its the same person?

2853. Re: WTB: PRO 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351bae78.153237949@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166124

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 18:58:09 GMT, ab910@lafn.org (M. Davies) wrote:

>
>
>I had one years ago and find I need another. What's a good price and
>source for one of these units? They were new from RS for $269. but that
>was years ago. Ideas?

$269-Wow, guess I missed that sale....

People sell them in the ng all the time.

2854. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6f4dfeqbn0@207.18.224.132>
Source record: 166125
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 15:10:56 -0800, _John *KA0SSF*
<ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org> wrote:

>thanks Dana!
>
>
>
>Dana Yeomans wrote:
>> i want to know whats wrong with john mackey? let him post.
>> he has some good points.

Before you thank him, you might want to read his next post, where
he states that he should have read the thread closer. He evidently
saw your true colors.

2855. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <3515cc9c.1751783@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 166126

"John Prall" <johnpr@gwtc.net> wrote:

:please unsubscribe

Due to a bug in the software we are unable to comply with your
request until 2002.

==========
To reply via email please remove the Xs from my
return address.

2856. Re: Walt Disney World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3515BFD2.648ADAB4@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 166127

also try
http://members.tripod.com/~Orlandoscan

Jack wrote:

> On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 13:23:55 -0600, rockie@bright.net wrote:
>
> >Could someone give me some frequencies for WDW administration---or any others
> >you might have?
>
> http://www.hiddenmickeys.org/WDW/WDW_Freqs.html

2857. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikenra@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980323032718O1.WAA26815@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166128

In article <6f4k1m$5qv$1@news10.ispnews.com>, "Jim Weidner"
<weidner@kwiknet.net> writes:

>HYPOTHETICAL "FER INSTANCE" ---
>Suppose I am able to hear my neighbor's babysitting monitor on 49 MHz or/and
>their cordless fone on 46 MHz and I hear them abusing their infant? If I
>report it (as required, I believe, by my state's laws), am I in violation of
>Federal privacy laws.
>I want NO trouble with regard to this inasmuch as I have a responsible
>positon within my community and am fairly well known locally.
>
>(My lawyer has no expertise in this area --- assuming I had no lawyer
>for this
>HYPOTHETICAL example....)
>
>
>
>

All I can say is what I would do. The ramifications from allowing a neighbor to
continue abusing his child are a lot worse then the ramifications of being
found out that you were HYPOTHETICALLY snooping with a scanner.

"Officer, I was just running through some random frequencies and I stumbled
over THIS. Perhaps you should check it out."

I would report it without question, Hypothetically

Mike NRA

"Better people be distressed by my freedom than my oppression" - Mike NRA
National Rifle Association Life Member

2858. UPDATED scanner page for ADELAIDE 23/3/98

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rev@newave.net.au
Message-ID: <3515f77f.5111485@news.newave.net.au>
Source record: 166129
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,aus.aviation

Ive just UPDATED my web page with info on ambulance/fire callsigns, fire codes and info on buying a scanner. Adelaide SOUTH AUSTRALIA scanner info.

www.newave.net.au/~rev

2859. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6f4plb$8sc$0@207.18.224.90>
Source record: 166130

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 18:02:43 -0800, _John *KA0SSF*
<ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org> wrote:

>When I got my ham license you had to do it the old fashioned way,
>EARN IT WITH MORSE CODE & *REAL* TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE!
>

John, insofar as the entry level technical exam for the period
when you got your first license, as opposed to when the
no-code license started, what is the difference?

HINT...None.

2860. Re: Bill And John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <3540e870.33790766@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 166131

bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote, for the umpteenth time:

>Do this: count Mackey's posts. You will not find
>a one that has any merit to scanners and scanning.
>
>Now count mine. Do a ratio or whatever simple math
>it takes. Then you will see the fallacy in your
>statement. I rest my case........

The real fallacy here is that if one posts some on-topic stuff about scanners, that gives one the liberty to be an asshole the rest of the time. I think most anyone can spot the gigantic hole in this line of "logic."

>No matter HOW you stack the deck in favor
>of one way or the other, you WILL find a goodly
>number of on-topic, caring, detailed posts
>from me. You would find even MORE if people

And you will find an even larger number of, shall we say charitably, "off-topic" posts by you. How the first justifies the second is unclear.

>like you....with whom I *had* no quarrel, would
>simply speak the truth in their criticism, if
>there just has to be some. But more succinctly,
>if YOU stayed ON-TOPIC, that would be one less
>cause for me to drift......

Shifting the blame to others does not relieve you of responsibility for what you post.

>But did it ever occur to you that a QUESTION can
>be every bit as valuable as an ANSWER? I try
>to answer bona-fide questions in this forum. If
>you are not satisfied with the content here,
>then WHY DON'T YOU (and people like you) ASK QUESTIONS?

OK...

Why do you feel that it's incumbent upon you to answer every critical post with ever-escalating profane flame-bait?

>That certainly is one way to gently and persuasively
>steer a forum onto the topic for which it is suited.
>And it is a method that YOU can employ ANYTIME
>you wish.

And at least one person who politely posted to you was flamed by you
without provocation.

>Think about it. Because as is, your 0:1 record
>says nothing constructive either. You're throwing
>stones in a glass house, my friend! You can criticize
>me all you want, but it would behoove you to first
>put your own house in order.

According to whose rules, Mr. Bill? Since the guy, by your own count,
has only posted this one post here, he has no "house" to put in order.
A reasonable person might well ask why you don't see fit to follow
your own advice in this matter. As I've mentioned before, you could
do worse than to follow the example of Parnass, who posts signal with
ZERO noise in this forum, and draws NO flames or off-topic responses
with his contributions.
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glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

2861. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hazmat910@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032305115001.AAA09567@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166132

<< >Suppose I am able to hear my neighbor's babysitting monitor on 49 MHz
or/and
>their cordless fone on 46 MHz and I hear them abusing their infant? If I
>report it (as required, I believe, by my state's laws), am I in violation of
>Federal privacy laws. >>

I seem to recall a similar situation in an old edition of PoliceCall. From a legal stand point the parents would have every right to name you in a law suit, and because the reason for the police taking action would be solely due to your information, any charges against the parents would be dissmised, if it ever made it to court. My advice would be to examine the kids the next time you see them, if you see ANYTHING wrong or weird report injuries or bruises or burns instead of what you heard, you can then neglect to mention your motivation for a close examination if you are ever asked. This way you avoid all the legal issues of scanning AND ensure that you were listening and reporting on the correct parents.

John

2862. Thank you Casey Throwup for a very enjoyable weekend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: twinsradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032305264700.AAA11779@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166133

Just wanted to take this opportunity to thank my 'ol buddy 'ol pal Casey Throwup for a most enjoyable weekend. Not a lot to do around here this weekend and you made the time go by most quickly. Would love to stick around and chat during the week, but I have a business to run and am much too busy earning a living. But if you're lucky (and if I'm really bored), I might just show up here next weekend to "entertain" you again. Have a good one. I'll be listening to your circus on 3894.5 from time to time. As is the case here on the newsgroup, your antics there are a good source of cheap entertainment. See ya. Bye.

Your friend Drew/Abner/CBRambo/Donnie/Azraelboy/PorkButt/BigAl/whoever you want me to be today.

2863. FS: TEST EQUIPMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tal35@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032305285501.AAA17330@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166134

I've got a M/A COM Amplifier 10-500 MHZ class A 4watts out, with built in detector output , pin attenuator adjust.,internal ALC with owners manual. 150.00 plus shipping
Also have Hewlett Packard hp8761A used RF switches good from dc to 18GHZ N-connectors on input and outputs SPDT 12-15 vdc used but work well. 1db loss @ 18GHZ 480.00 in HP catolog, my price is 30.00 ea. have 30 to sell. Also have a few microwave amplifiers : 100-1Ghz 30DB low noisefigure 40.00, 6Ghz-9Ghz 45db gain 40.00 , etc. If interested please Email me. Thanks! Todd

2864. FS: RF SWITCHES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tal35@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032305331601.AAA12690@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166135

I have some Hewlett Packard 8761A RF switches for sale. DC - 18GHZ low loss ~ 1DB @ 18GHZ SPDT W/ N connectors on input and output.These sell in HP catolog for 480.00 ea. They are used, but tested, MY PRICE is 30.00 ea. If interested please EMAIL me . Todd

2865. WTB: Visual Wavelinks software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Stegner <dstegner@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6f4soe$h8e$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 166136
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am looking for a program that controls the OS456 called "Visual Wavelinks". It used to be sold by Percon, but they no longer carry it. Please email if you know of where I can get it. Thanks.

Don Stegner
dstegner@erols.com

2866. Re: NYT frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.com>
Message-ID: <3515F189.4988@servtech.com>
Source record: 166137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

bigdiq@hotmail.com wrote:

> I am wondering if anyone has set up a set of channels for cruising down the
> New York State Thruway...
>
> I don't travel downstate (Albany to NYC) all that often, so i never get to
> see what freqs (that I hastily punched in just before the trip) are working
> and which aren't.
> I am mostly interested in Thruway-only frequencies (maintenance and Police).
>
> So, what frequencies do YOU listen to when you speed, er I mean, travel at a
> safe rate of speed down I-87?

The Thruway has it's own UHF repeater based radio network using two
frequencies that alternate as you travel along the Thruway. The state
police also makes use of the VHF frequencies for interagency stuff as
well as coordination with the various troops along the way. Here's what
to listen for:

453.425 - Thruway State Police & Maintenance
453.525 - Thruway State Police & Maintenance
154.665 - State Police car-to-car (monitor this one for speed traps)
154.695 - State Police broadcasts
155.370 - New York Police Intersystem

You may also want to tune in the local state police troops for the fun
of it.
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Another fine e-mail sent out by Les Wilson of Greece, NY
--
E-mail - Personal: nessman@servtech.com
Work: les_wilson@ccmail.monroe.edu
--
Home Page: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman
Greater Rochester Railfan: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/rochrail.htm
Parma Special Police: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/papd.html
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2867. Descramblers in Canada??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trailblazer <windingroad@fullcircle.com>
Message-ID: <6f4sqn$l78@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 166138
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Can you buy a fully assembled and installed speech inversion device in
Canada?
If so could you please tell me where?

Thank you kindly

2868. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3515f331.73944813@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166139

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > Some sources say a dipole has an input impedance
> > of 75 ohms, but that is true ONLY under very narrow
> > conditions of Fo at *certain* heights above ground.
> > For random heights, the impedance varies widely
> > from 75 ohms. Also, on either side of the design
> > center, there are wide swings of impedance.

> Actually, normally this only rears it's ugly head when you are dealing
> with HF frequencies and stringing up wire dipoles. I think the original
> poster was interested in 40-50MHz.

Right. And even though 30 MHz is the "defined" end of HF
and beginning of VHF, the VHF-Lo band shares characteristics
of both HF and VHF. After all, 45 MHz would be 6.7 meters
or about 22-ft for one wavelength and 44-ft for two. Most
dipoles at the hobby shack would be mounted in that range.

Real "ify" if you ask me. Very uncertain, at best. But
even so....worst case mismatch is 4:1 which really isn't
of any impact to a receive-only system.

> My only concern would be the polarization of his dipole.
> It would probably be a good idea to mount it vertically.

Yeah, I think I mentioned that to 'im. I can't see a
horizontal application unless the limits of his range
were pretty close in and no need for fringe reception.
Then polarization might not matter.

> It's possible that if it were mounted close to the tower
> that the impedance would be reduced somewhat.

If the tower or mast were grounded, it could do one thing,
and if it were floating, it could do another. Too many
variables for us to try to deal with it here.

> > Partly to design, of course, but also random
> > heights and a huge bandwidth.....

> There's the key right there. The bandwidth.

Yeah, he mentioned 10 MHz, which is pretty broad
for a dipole. It'll work all right, but there is
no nitpicking the performance over that spectrum.
It's gonna have "lumps", "bumps", and "dips" all
across that band.

> > In actual practice, the homemade dipole will exhibit
> > impedances ranging from 100 ohms on up to 300 ohms,
> > so the actual case will usually be better than
> > a 4:1 mismatch.

> Um, I'm not sure about this. But I'm sure about my next suggestion....
>
> > Lastly, a dipole is a balanced antenna, so there
> > is a great value in using a balun to match the
> > antenna to the unbalanced coax....basically the
> > antenna will do all the work and not the coax...
> > and the coax will serve its purpose of shielding
> > and low loss.

> There's is a definate benefit in making the dipole a "folded dipole".
> This would improve the bandwidth considerably - especially when used in
> conjunction with the 300-75Ohm balun. If the original poster would like
> instructions I will be pleased to provide.

Now there's a good idea I guess it's no more difficult
to whup up one of those than a standard dipole. Might
even be easier to mount and keep mounted. Good idea!

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2869. Police Scanners for sale, Pro 43 and 2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tglunz@#cybernw.com
Message-ID: <3517fcb5.1706154@207.126.101.101>
Source record: 166140

Hi all , I've got a couple of Great classic scanners for sale. A Pro 43 200 channel hand held, pre ban, does all you'd expect it to,very nice shape. And a Pro 2005 base set, 400 channels, good shape, full capabilities, only problem is the back light is very dim. I don't use these two any more, I've got enough radios already so best offer takes

each one. low ball offers will be ignored, if you know what these are you know what they're worth.
I would prefer a local sale to avoid all the hassles of shipping and so you'll actually see before you buy.
Thanks Terry tglunz@cnnw.net
Portland Oregon
To reply remove the # from my address

2870. Re: Need user feedback on WiNRADiO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3516fc5b.76291473@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166141

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

legend@cyberpunk.net (David Davidson) wrote:

> BTW- Has anyone ever tried to develope software that will allow your
> PC to emulate a scanner without the hard card?

What on earth would you want to do that for?

Reminds me of the little fad that went around
a few years ago....fake cellular antennas so's
the neighbors would think you had a real cell phone.

> Or, because of the way the electonics are configured on
> a motherboard, it is isn't possble to do so?

Huh? See if you can rephrase that question. At
least, I don't follow you,

Back to the first question, you can download the
latest WINRADIO software from their Web site at:

http://www.winradio.com

and if you don't have a WiNRADiO in the PC, then
the software will revert to demo mode, which is
exactly what you asked for the first paragraph.

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2871. Motorola STX help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmlac123@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032306332200.BAA25345@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 166142

I need help programing my STX i just bought.
email to rmalc123@aol.com
Thanks, Randy

2872. Re: Pro 2042 & Programmit question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <3516a065.37798016@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 166143
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 22:50:18 +0100, Knut Otterbeck
<otterbec@online.no> wrote:

>What if you have the Opto535 computer-interface board installed
>inside your Pro-2042 ? Is there still room for the Programmit
>circuit? (Could still need such a utility for when on the go..)
>
>Does the circuit produce any heat? How much current does it
>draw? Any other problems anyone can see with this triplet ?
>
>Pro-2042/Opto535/Programmit/Probe 4.0 , what more could you
>really wish for in a "down-to-earth" scanner setup ?
>
>Regards,
>Knut Otterbeck

The PROgramit and OS535 will both work nicely inside of a Pro-2035 or Pro-2042...infact there is a added benefit if you have the OS535 installed. You can tap off of the DB9 connector of the OS535 to operate a serial PROgramit interface. The OS535 resides above the RF/Linear PCB and the PROgramit has tons of room (and is easier to install) in the lower half. The heat/current issue isn't anything to worry about. I would suggest to install a seperate +5V regulator for the PROgramit.

Wiggie

2873. Discriminator Question - Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Stegner <dstegner@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6f515rbif1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 166144
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have tapped the discriminator output on my PRO-2006 / OS456. It works great for Trunker unless I attach the computer cable to the OS456. The cable seems to short out the discriminator. Also, if I attach an external antenna the 2006 and have the scanner (895XLT) that trunker is tuning also attached to the same antenna, the discriminator shorts out. Any ideas on how to fix this? Thanks.

Don Stegner
dstegner@erols.com

2874. Software Wedge: anyone know about it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <3515fe51.76793390@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 166145

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

QUESTION:

Does anyone know about a program called
THE SOFTWARE WEDGE from Tal Technologies?

I'm interested in chatting with anyone who
has it and uses it to any extent.

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2875. Re: Can you expand memory on SC150?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff171 <Jeff171@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5767$4a59f7a0$8a2142d1@default>
Source record: 165796
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I heard this but have not seen any instructions as how to attempt such an
operation on my sc150

Wes <darth@planttel.net> wrote in article
<6f8s39nku1@news2.infoave.net>...
> Can the memory be expanded on the SportCat 150? Is there any other mods?
> Any info will help. Thanx in advance.
>
>
>

2876. Re: Cell Phone Freqs ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <3516f325.3799347@news.total.net>
Source record: 165797
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/pro26.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/pro26.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/pro26.htm

http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/cordless.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/cordless.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/cordless.htm

On 22 Mar 1998 00:19:47 GMT, steve@agora.rdrop.com (Steve L Smith)
wrote:

>Ok I'am a bad guy.
>Iwant to listen to cell phones and I have a scanner that will do the job.
>A RS Pro 34
>I've been successful searching between 851 -868 mgz.
>Problem is there is a ton of data and birdies.
>What is the numerical spread between Cell Phone Freqs in the above
>mentioned band ?
>
>NEWS to ME ?
>If new scanners can't get cordless phones how come I get cordless phones
>in the 902-927 mgz range ? On my new RS Trunk Tracker.
>Is it only Cell Phones that are blocked ?
>
>Why don't my neighbors new(900mgz) phones at least lock up with a data
>freq on my new unit ? Are the cordless freqs on the new scanners blocked
>from receiving digital ? You'd think that a scanner would detect a signal
>from a cordless digital phone,
>
>
>I look forward to an informed answer PLEASE
>

Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
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Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!

2877. FS: Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony White <twhite@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <6f97kq$5rv$1@usenet43.supernews.com>
Source record: 165798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Due to overabundance of projects I am selling the following items:

Kenwood R-2000. This BC-30MHz shortwave receiver is in excellent condition. Comes with manual. $300 plus shipping.

Bearcat BC760XLT, pre-ban model. This scanner radio is in excellent condition. Comes with antenna, charger, and copy of manual. $125 plus shipping.

* Hallicrafters SX-104. This 30-50MHz boatanchor receiver is in excellent cosmetic condition and good working condition. $75 plus shipping.

* Hallicrafters SX-105. This 152-173 MHz boatanchor receiver is also in excellent cosmetic condition and good working condition. $75 plus shipping.

* Special deal - take the pair for $125 plus shipping. (Sale pending)

Realistic DX-75. This GC boatanchor receiver is in very good-excellent cosmetic condition and good working condition. Includes an original (NOT a reproduction) instruction book. This is when Radio Shack was still Radio Shack, and not a Tandy division. $50 plus shipping. (Sale pending)

DenTron MT-2000A Antenna Tuner. 3kW PEP antenna tuner. This unit is in good cosmetic and working condition. $125 plus shipping.

Cobra 148GTL-DX CB transceiver. Excellent condition, including all original documentation and box. $250 plus shipping.

Marko 10-40M mobile linear. 75W, AM/SSB. Condition unknown. Take a chance? $25 plus shipping.

I need to get out of the radio business, so I would prefer outright sale to trades. Delivery possible in north Texas, eastern Oklahoma, or northwest Arkansas. If interested, or for more information, email me at twhite@cyberramp.net. Thank you.

2878. Re: Drug dealer; was <law and privacy>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Lafferty <dplaff@mtnhome.com>
Message-ID: <6f95v0$lm6@news.cei.net>
Source record: 165799

Armando Lopez wrote in message <6f7mep$qrp@ecuador.earthlink.net>...
Snip

>The info for the
>warrant can be from a potential illegal source, like sending a person in to
>buy dope. The act of buying dope is illegal but can be used. Just a
>thought, though you need a smart DOPE cop.

Most States have specific statutes that allow persons under the immediate direction of law enforcement to purchase controlled substances for legitimate enforcement purposes. That's why it's not illegal for a "snitch" to purchase drugs. Note that it has to be under the immediate control of the investigator. Since there is no similar exception in the ECPA, there is a real chance that the information received could be suppressed by the Courts.

That said, most law enforcement officers would at least like the tip, even if you can't say exactly how you know. It could at least be the starting point for the investigation of some unknown dealer, or help out an ongoing one.

2879. FS AOR-Grundig-Lowe-Relm-Sangean-Uniden Bearcat NEW SCANNERS NO REFURBS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio City Communications <alcyone@mail1.nai.net>
Message-ID: <35182057.7B9FB380@mail1.nai.net>
Source record: 165800
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

Radio City Communicationns is your online Internet store for all your
shortwave and scanner hobby needs.If your looking for a handheld or base
scanner or shortwave
radio email Radio City Communications at alcyone@mail1.nai.net .
Please send brand and model you are interested in.

Sincerely,
Ken
N1JVN Radio City Communications

2880. Re: Rice University Police?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@juno.com>
Message-ID: <09CF05F06DFF2F67.B05C7180565DD6B1.A08A518568BFEFD2@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 165801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Yeah, thats probably why you never heard them. Wish I was back in
Houston...

Radioman

Charles McCallister wrote:
>
> Radioman,
>
> OK, I've made the change to 460.225 and suppose that's why I had
> difficulties hearing something when an officer told another to go to
> channel 8.
>
> Thanks!
>
> Charles
>
> To reply, remove the "x" in my address

2881. Re: Ericsson scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lindsay C. Blanton" <lblant1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <6f9c6a$21p@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165802
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Not true,

If you can figure out the LCN (Logical Channel numbers) then your are home free.

I am currently scanning 3 EDACS systems without any problem in the DFW area using etrunk.exe. This software works just like trunker, except it is built for usage on EDACS systems. I am currently alpha testing it for the developer before it goes into beta production. Watch http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/dfw/digital.htm for news etc.

It takes the discriminator output from one scanner monitoring the data channel and drives another. All I had to do was figure out the LCNs for the systems, and it was all downhill from there.

-Lb

com wrote in message <6f75k3$gh7@outhouse.sage.net>...
>It was once wondered why an Ericsson radio system cannot be easily scanned,
>like the motorola. The motorola system assigns frequencies to the unit when
>they request and are granted access. This means that at any time a talk
>channel can be added to the motorola system without updating the radios.
>Each Ericsson radio, on the other hand, has a system block which is an
>association of channel numbers and frequencies. Upon request, the control
>channel tells the radio to go to a certain channel number. Only the radio
>knows the association of channel numbers to frequencies. So without the
>system block or key, it is improbable that an Ericsson/EDACS scanner will be
>built.
>
>

2882. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032422490001.RAA26955@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165803

>>Macaroon wrote:
>>
>>> You invented this little "challenge" of yours once you
>>> realized you couldn't show anybody even a single post of relevance back
>months
>>> ago. You still can't because there are none,
>>
>>Once again you are wrong. One need only look within the last few days
>>to find examples of on-topic posts from ME.
>
>Hey, butt-pirate, how about NOVEMBER?? Care to revisit that failure of yours
>again?
>
>Your "claim" to a few days ago is bullshit as well.
>
>How long have you been in the twilight zone?

And you, my dear feeblemindeddickstroking friend, have obviously done NO
BETTER!

2883. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey A. Groves" <Jeffrey_Groves!NOSPAM!@!nospam!.msn.com>
Message-ID: <wUWR.524$bK2.101014@news.internetMCI.com>
Source record: 165804

Mike NRA wrote in message
<1998032303271801.WAA26815@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>
>"Officer, I was just running through some random frequencies and I stumbled
>over THIS. Perhaps you should check it out."
>
>I would report it without question, Hypothetically
>

Or better yet: "Officer I had some house guests that brought along their baby monitor to monitor their own child and much to our dismay, we heard something horrible from what sounded like the neighbor's house! --- hypothetically....

2884. Sangean Worldband Radios FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio City Communications <alcyone@mail1.nai.net>
Message-ID: <351844B9.CC56B00D@mail1.nai.net>
Source record: 165805

Radio City Communication your online scanner and worldband radio store carries the
full line of Sangean Worldband Radio's . For price and ordering information email us
at alcyone@mail1.nai.net

2885. FS AOR SCANNER AND HF RECIEVERS AT Radio City Communications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio City Communications <alcyone@mail1.nai.net>
Message-ID: <351843FC.97CCF3D8@mail1.nai.net>
Source record: 165806

Radio City Communications sells the complete line of AOR AR Scanners
base and mobile plus there HF Recievers.For price and ordering
information email us at alcyone@mail1.nai.net.Our website is
http://www.angelfire.com/ct/RadioCityComm.
At our website you can see all Aor products on our links page .

2886. WTB: PRO-37, PRO-34, PRO-39

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmcinty@eos.ncsu.edu
Message-ID: <6f9gkl$1ao$1@uni00nw.unity.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 165807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hi All!
I'm interested in buying one of the above scanners, preferably the 37
or 39. Don't care about any mods or any MINOR cosmetic flaws, but it needs to
work flawlessly. Please let me know if you have one you'd like to get rid of,
and how much you'd like for it...

Sincerely,
Robert McIntyre
rjmcinty@eos.ncsu.edu

2887. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3518519D.927F8C57@primenet.com>
Source record: 165808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

_John "I love my Richard Simmonds" *KA0SSF* lied, as usual:

> YOU wouldn't know truth if if slapped you in the face, DICK!

The truth is I, among others, see right through your limp facade. You just can't face the fact that people know you for what you are, a liar and a fraud.

2888. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <351852EA.9BCE3F91@primenet.com>
Source record: 165809
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

_John "I love to show my hypocrisy" *KA0SSF* sniveled:

> NO, YOU are the one who is creating smoke & has NEVER been able to
> produce.

Looking into the mirror again, eh Toilet Boy? Don't worry, the reflected
image is just as useless and the source, YOU.

> You have NEVER admitted your REAL name or e-mail identity, only given
> false or misleading info!

Never mind the dozen fictitious addresses you used on the accounts you
illegally broke into.

> You are pathetic!

Still looking into that mirror?

> Go read the coax thread, my post was just a day or 2 ago. If that is
> not related to scanning then nothing is!

Guessing that coax is used somewhere in a radio system does not
constitute
an on-topic post. Another lame shot, Toilet Boy.

2889. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <351851E1.36572907@primenet.com>
Source record: 165810
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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_John "I know I can lie my way out of this" *KA0SSF* whined:
>
> Macaroon wrote:
> > Time will tell,
>
> Time already has told, NOTHING happened!

Wrong. USA.NET canceled your service because of the volume of
complaints about you. You lie, again Toilet Boy.
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2890. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <351853C2.83697B27@primenet.com>
Source record: 165811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

_John "I've been bad and my dearest Richard Simmonds is going to punish me, I can't wait!"*KA0SSF* stretched the limits of credulity:

> Once again you are wrong. One need only look within the last few days
> to find examples of on-topic posts from ME.

Admitting that scanner radios exist does not count as on-topic, Toilet Boy.

> Go look at he thread about 9913 coax & you will find one of my
> on-topic posts.

Looks like Richard Simmonds has been reading the magazine ads to you again inbetween getting pumped.

2891. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35185442.CDBDAD7E@primenet.com>
Source record: 165812
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

_John "I know I can lie my way out of this, I know I can lie my way
out of this" *KA0SSF* lied pathetically:

> No, I am referring to the very issue YOU were speaking of. That being
> your plan of complaining to my ISP (Sprint). NOTHING has happened.

Wrong, Toilet Boy. USA.NET dropped you due to excessive complaints. Try
another lie.

> hehehehehe

This is the noise Toilet Boy makes when Richard Simmonds slams him.

2892. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3518554D.AA6D69D@primenet.com>
Source record: 165813

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_John "NAMBLA Charter Member, and damn proud of it" *KA0SSF*
tried to deflect the truth:
>
> > >George Vetterle wrote:
> > >> Are they affiliated with NAMBLA?
>
> PARG has NOTHING to do with this organization.

PARG is the Portland chapter for NAMBLA, and Toilet Boy it's
most famous spokesperson.
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2893. Re: The Dreck Files (was Mackey Dreck (A Star Trek Parody))

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <351856B3.5E437478@primenet.com>
Source record: 165814

ROTFL! Well done! More, more!

D. P. Roberts wrote:
>
> Scully: Oh, my God! What is it?
>
> Mulder: I. . .I've never seen anything like it!
>
> Scully: It's saying something! What is it saying?
>
> Mulder: I. . .I don't know. It's unintelligible. Obviously a primitive
> form of life with a primitive form of communication.
>
> Scully: I guess I should slip into a short dress, pantyhose and high heels
> in case I need to run away.
>
> Mulder: I. . .I think that would be a good idea.
>
> Scully: Listen! It's repeating the same gargling-sounding words over and
> over. Sounds like "Mahhhhhhh-kkkkkhhhheyyyy".
>
> Mulder: I. . .I think you're right.
>
> Scully: It's just a lump of blech, I think. It's almost as rotund as Bill
> Clinton, except it makes just a bit more sense.
>
> Mulder: That's not saying much.
>
> Scully: Bleah! Ptooie!

2894. WANTED-800 MGZ. CONVERSION PRO 37

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: slimg29@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6f9ijq$j6p$1@newsd-143.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165815

can someone please e-mail me on how to restore full 800 mgz. for my pro 37 radio shack handheld scanner. all i know is it is capable of being restored . thanks, glenn

2895. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bfwinstead <winstead@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <0535D7F281ADD6C4.C9BB35AB0D8B6E35.95BED923A6CB4CFE@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 165816

Jeffrey A. Groves wrote:
>
> Mike NRA wrote in message
> <19980323032718O1.WAA26815@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> >
> >"Officer, I was just running through some random frequencies and I
> stumbled
> >over THIS. Perhaps you should check it out."
> >
> >I would report it without question, Hypothetically
> >
>
> Or better yet: "Officer I had some house guests that brought along
> their
> baby monitor to monitor their own child and much to our dismay, we
> heard
> something horrible from what sounded like the neighbor's house! ---
> hypothetically....

The cop responds: Okay. By the way, why's that big-ass antenna
on your roof doin' pointin' at their house?

2896. does anyone know of any mods for tandy Pro-29

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Palmer <rodentusrabbitus@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6f9pfv$j4j$1@barracuda.pelican.net>
Source record: 165817

please repond

2897. FS:Bearcat IV Electra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron M <monfeli@mail.telis.org>
Message-ID: <35186E63.AE6FE3C7@mail.telis.org>
Source record: 165818
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

In excellent codition with 8 crystals, manual and antenna. Asking
$50.00.
Great for a collector or someone that wishes not to tie up a scanner
operating on an 800mhz trunk system.
Ron

2898. Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35186F6A.781A52D6@eden.com>
Source record: 165819
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal on? Or a way to modify them to do this.. im am talking about the ones they sell at radio trash and wal-mart.
If not, where can i get a cheap receiver just for this purpose or plans to build one?
Any help appreciated... thanks

2899. PRO 37

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Skindell <skindell@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <35189A07.A8ADD212@mediaone.net>
Source record: 165820

Hi Robert,

I have a Pro 37 for sale .. works perfectly .. in really good condition.

Will sell for $170.00 + shipping/UPS charge.

Steve
313-453-1641

2900. Re: WTB: PRO-37, PRO-34, PRO-39

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <351874B3.63D35C5A@eden.com>
Source record: 165821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Robert McIntyre wrote:

> Hi All!
> I'm interested in buying one of the above scanners, preferably the 37
> or 39. Don't care about any mods or any MINOR cosmetic flaws, but it needs to
> work flawlessly. Please let me know if you have one you'd like to get rid of,
> and how much you'd like for it...
>
> Sincerely,
> Robert McIntyre
> rjmcinty@eos.ncsu.edu

How about a pro-51?

2901. Pro 2040 modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnny@theramp.net
Message-ID: <6f9vkh$b1d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165822

I would appreciate any modifications for the pro 2040 that anyone could send me. I am especially interested in speed, memory, 800 Mhz, and audio circuit modifications.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2902. Re: How do I expand the BC-100xlt's memories?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckm@zocalo.com
Message-ID: <chuckm-2403982030470001@157.22.200.2>
Source record: 165823
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6f7eed$2lq$1@guysmiley.blarg.net>, Jack T.Dragon
<tdragonn@blarg.net> wrote:

> How do I expand the BC-100xlt's memories to 200 channels?
>
> Remove the second, anti-spamming N from the
> end of tdragon in my address to respond,
> tdragonn@blarg.net

This is all explained in Bill Cheek's Scanner Modification Handbooks.
Basicly, there are two types of memory in scanners.
Many use a 2KX8 static RAM chip. To expand this system you replace the RAM chip with a bigger one and using switches to control the added adderss lines.
The other memory is a serially interfaced arrangement wherein the address and data travel on one lead. Some of these memories have a chip-select lead.
With these, you parallel an identical chip, connecting all leads but the chip select. The select leads are switched, one at a time, to the scanner.
If there's no chip select, the data line is switched. Cheek published info about the serial RAM systems in an issue of World Scanner Report.
Contact him at bcheek@san.rr.com

2903. Re: How do I expand the BC-100xlt's memories?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckm@zocalo.com
Message-ID: <chuckm-2403982035520001@157.22.200.2>
Source record: 165824
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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> How do I expand the BC-100xlt's memories to 200 channels?
>
> Remove the second, anti-spamming N from the
> end of tdragon in my address to respond,
> tdragonn@blarg.net

Amendment to my previous post: Some scanners don't have a RAM chip. All
the memory is in the processor chip. These you can't expand.
-- Chuck

2904. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas J. McCuen" <tmccuen@csi.com>
Message-ID: <35186EC2.62EF@csi.com>
Source record: 165825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

> > > BTW, does an off-center dipole
> > > have wider bandwidth than a regular one?
>
> I've never heard of off-centre dipoles before! I'll
> have to look more into this.
>
An off-center dipole is similar to a standard dipole only it's abt 1/3
and 2/3 of the half wave lenght instead of 50/50 like the normal dipole.

It's rez on the main freq and ODD multiples of that (instead of even)

Tom aa2vk

2905. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3518B8C0.4DA3@usa.net>
Source record: 165826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard, if USA.NET dropped me, then how come I am able to use thier system, LIKE I AM RIGHT NOW????

Guess who's telling a lie now?? YOU!!!!

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> USA.NET dropped you due to excessive complaints. Try another lie.

2906. [REPOST] Re: FS: RS TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <R.1998032416065700.LAA17304@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165827

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

>I have for sale the RadioShack version of the TrunkTracker. I bought it
>in Novenber of last year and is in perfect condition. It includes the
>original box, paperwork, and the optional 12V adapter. Selling price is
>
>$250 shipped in the U.S.
>Please reply to n1iic@qsl.net Thanks!!

Hate to tell you, RS currently has on sale at $249.95 brand new units

2907. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <R.19980324165614O1.LAA29368@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165828

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

>Whaadya mean?, PARG stands for Pecker-eatin' Ass-pokin' Rear-ender Guys,
>doesn't it?

Pretty lame, can't you do better?

2908. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <R.1998032416515001.LAA22502@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165829

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

This is some SICK STUFF, please keep it out of here, even as a JOKE, my sons (12 & 14, both licensed hams currently working towards upgrade to General were VERY offended)

Thank You

>NAMBLA: WHERE WE STAND
>
>The North American Man/Boy Love Association is both
>political and educational. We work to organize support for
>boys and men who have or desire consensual sexual and
>emotional relationships and to educate society on their
>positive nature. We speak out against the oppression
>endured by men and boys who love one another and support the
>right of all people to consensual intergenerational

2909. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <R.1998032416545000.LAA22880@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165830

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

This fine gentleman's inbox was FILLED with offers of free ammo. ATF has begun an investigation as to why on earth one man would receive SO MANY BOXES of grenades, explosives, and other incendiary devices

>You are one sick, sick, bastard. C'mon on by so I can shoot ya

2910. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <R.3518B8C0.4DA3@usa.net>
Source record: 165831
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Richard, if USA.NET dropped me, then how come I am able to use thier system, LIKE I AM RIGHT NOW????

Guess who's telling a lie now?? YOU!!!!

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> USA.NET dropped you due to excessive complaints. Try another lie.

2911. FS- One Sony Pro-80 handheld left

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f7hd0$kap@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165896
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>>I have two (2) Sony Pro-80s for sale. They are both in excellent
>>cosmetic and electrical condition. Each comes with the original
>>manual, VHF adaptor, leather carrying case, battery holder, nicads,
>>and antenna. Would like to sell for $175 each + actual shipping cost.
>>
>>For those unfamiliar with the Pro-80, here are some basics:
>>
>>* Handheld battery operated unit
>>* 40 memories in any combination of sw/am/fm/vhf freqs.
>>* 3 scan modes.
>>* Am narrow/wide mode
>>* Fm narrow/wide mde
>>* Upper/Lower ssb mode with knob adjustment
>>* Fine tunning control
>>* Tone hi/low
>>* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
>>* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
>>* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.
>

2912. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f7jf8fma2@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 165897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Arthur Howard wrote:
>
> Anyone have a clue what the chances are of having customs find and
> confiscate an unblocked import scanner purchased from another country

If you are traveling, take it out of the box (mail it home). It is
just a radio that you use. Customs is looking for drugs, guns, alcohol,
illegal plants. Radios are not on the high list. Of course, if
purchased oversees, they do want the tax!

If mailed into the country, have the custom form list it as a
shortwave radio, not a scanner.

These are just my thoughts, having deal with customs (legally).
I have not tested this but again radios are not the big targets
they are looking for.

2913. FS: RS PRO 2006 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: 2006_1111@ridgecrest.ca.us
Message-ID: <35175bae.2812572@news>
Source record: 165898

I have a RS Pro 2006 scanner for sale. Cell and speed mods. Near mint condition with original box and manual. $330.
GW

2914. 800 trunked to go digital?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: emoney250@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032406510001.BAA13155@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165899

My local police dept. has a trunked system. Except for the last week, everyday at about 11 p.m. or so the 'data' channel would change between one of three frequencies. As I said, for the last week, the 'data' channel has not moved, but the scanning has not yet been affected. Is this the first stages of a trunked system preparing to go digital or what? Please give me some educated/experienced input.

Eric

2915. Sherrif Freqs in Los Angeles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: buck100@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35175ead.30577938@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 165900

How do yo listen to those, they keep sending out a
beeping tone...

can't here two way communication , am I at the wrong freqs?

-TOm

2916. Re: Sherrif Freqs in Los Angeles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanair@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980324075411O1.CAA18634@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165901

The beeps that you hear is the radio's way of telling whoever is listening that someone else is talking. LASO's dispatch freqs. are all set up that way. However, their L-TAC, A-TAC and C-TAC frequencys are all full-duplex.

Scanair.
(Remember, I'm always listening...)

2917. For Sale pro 39...Cell...3a4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f7qmc$bom@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165902

Selling a Mint! Cond !! pro 39 scanner 200 ch handheld has 200 ch
hyperscan super cond hears real well.. with manual 150.00 email me
I am in so cal so shipping is alittle extra...thanks..

2918. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35176df1.170932985@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165903

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:

> The ARRL antenna book claims a dipole above the ground will usually have a
> lower impendence than 75 ohms, not higher.

Well, yes, it does kind of suggest that, but that
is also for Fo. When you move off freq, and change
the relationship to ground, some very complex things
can happen, starting with impedances..... Operating
far from Fo is not in the realm of most ham applications,
so the ARRL books don't really dwell there.

Scanners operate everywhere, though, and the reference
answers are not always easily dig out. A lot of the
time, you have to go by experience and empirical results.

> BTW, does an off-center dipole
> have wider bandwidth than a regular one?

I think so, but probably because I have built a lot
of OCFD's and they do seem to cover a wide spectrum,
thanks to multiple resonances with overlap. I've not
ever messed with folded dipoles other than on paper.
And paper is only so good.......

> If so, does it have lower gain on
> its design frequency? How far off-center would be good?

Well, yes, my studies suggest lots of gain peaks with
steep roll-offs to near unity, and also some negative
gain "valleys". But the thing is, the farther you go
off of one center, the closer you get to the next center,
so overall, it's pretty widebanded with 0-dBi or better gain.

> If the ground an other nearby objects can raise the impendence of a 75 ohm
> dipole, wouldn't they also raise the impedence of a folded dipole above
> 300ohms?

That, I don't know. Maybe Andy knows. I vaguely
recall that a folded dipole is less ground dependent,
but I might be remembering something else.

> BTW, which has the best bandwidth: an off-center dipole, a folded
> dipole, or a ground plane?

Well, a ground-plane shares many characteristics of a dipole. Both are relatively narrow-banded, give or take maybe 5% of Fo. So the OCFD would shine in the bandwidth department, and still have some gain.

Dipoles have a 2.15-dBi gain; 1/4-wave groundplanes can go to 3-dBi or so; while half-wave groundplanes can hit 4-dBi. And 5/8-wave groundplanes can nudge over 5-dBi. But as is always the case, the greater the gain, the narrower the bandwidth. There are exceptions (log-periodics, etc), but not much in the omnidirectional realm.

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Bill Cheek - President/CEO/Publisher \ /
COMMtronics Engineering/World Scanner Report \/
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http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
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2919. Does anyone have codes for South Australian Police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Chamings <scottc1@eisa.net.au>
Message-ID: <6f7vc8$3n5@news.eisa.net.au>
Source record: 165904

Hi,

has anyone got codes for SA Police.

ie. That 604 is a stolen car etc...
Also some other callsigns like Vixen 10 etc...

Please email to scott_chamings@bigfoot dot com

substitute dot com with .com

2920. Trade Pro62 for Modem and memory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: SKYHAWK <sky444@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f814v$c50@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165905

trade for 56 modem with voice and some 72-pinn memory.

2921. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6f89ab$q2n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165906
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

It shouldn't be more than $500.00.

second hand is second-hand, forget the mint crap.

In article <6f6m17$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
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> >the radio has never been used outdoors.
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> >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
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> >following:
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> >* Software and computer cable
> >* AC adaptor
> >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
> >* Telescopic whip antenna
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> >I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
> >shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
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2922. Re: FS- AOR 3000A Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6f89vgqiq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

It shouldn't e more than $500.00, you are charging too much money, no one cares if it is mint. Who would pay an extra $300.00 because an eqpt is mint.

Greediness is bad.

In article <6f6lml$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
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2923. Re: 2SD1676 transistor manuf or sub

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: grohe@galaxy.nsc.com
Message-ID: <35176430.1990491@139.187.81.1>
Source record: 165908
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.misc

On 21 Mar 1998 08:17:59 GMT,
in the newsgroup rec.radio.scanner,
"Wild Bill" <kwag98@tcis.net>
from Toolcity Internet Services thoughtfully posted:

> hi.. i've been trying to locate a manufacturer of, or substitute for a
> 2SD1676 transistor used in a portable scanner radio as an audio driver (i
> think). I don't know the pin basing (EBC-CBE) since the device is open.
> It's packaged as a SP-92, but space would permit the use of a TO-92.. if i
> could find the specifications for it.
> Suggestions of places that i might look online will be appreciated

2SD1676 NPN Silicon with internal base resistor network.

Pinout:

Looking at the front (flat-side w/lettering), leads down:

E C B (typical Japanese pinout)

Specs:

Primary Mfgr: Hitachi
Vcbeo 20V
Ic 0.6A
Pc 0.3W
hFE 60 min @ Vce 5V/0.01A
Vce sat 0.04V @ Ic 0.01A
ton 300nSec
toff 700nSec

This transistor has built-in resistor network on the base. A 6.8K
between the "base" pin and the actual transistor base, and 6.8K
from the actual transistor base to emitter. These transistors are
very common in mute and logic circuits.

MCM has `em. $0.31 each. $20 minimum or $5.00.

www.mcmelectronics.com

It has a pretty good Vsat, but otherwise looks like a generic
2N3904 type. You could use almost any NPN transistor, but you
will need to add the resistors externally.

Here are a few Manufacturers that are heavily into Transistors:

http://design-net.com/cgi-bin/dlsrch
http://www.toshiba.com/taec/nonflash/indexproducts.html
http://www.semiconductors.philips.com/designerindex/
http://www.semic.sanyo.co.jp/english/catalog/index-e.html
http://www.st.com/stonline/books/index.htm
http://www.zetex.com/guides.htm
http://www.elisnet.or.jp/ROHM/
http://www.temic.com/www/menus/products.htm
http://www.ti.com/sc/docs/eedesign.htm
http://www.fairchildsemi.com/catalog/

Toshiba has a good selection of the 2sa/b/c/d/k series.

And to an extent:

http://www.diodes.com/
http://www.gensemi.com/products/products.htm

This site below has a few "Japanese" transistor (2SA/B/C/D/K...)
datasheets, but it is VERY slow! And on top of that, the
"datasheets" are scanned and stored as un-compressed Windows BMP
format files (~500K/page). Download the files to disk first, then
view them.

http://www.microelectr.com.hk/DATASheet/TRANSISTOR

The "NTE" replacements page can sometimes give you a start:

http://www.nteinc.com/Web_pgs/Prodindex.html

A Complete list of Manufacturers sites is available at:

http://www.scruz.net/~gcreager/brief.htm

Cheers,
Paul Grohe

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(408) 721-7389 Tel (408) 721-2513 Fax

2924. Re: os456 or os456lite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <3517B201.AC129E29@vnet.com>
Source record: 165909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jack wrote:
> After weeks of thought I've decided to get a os456, I was wondering if
> the decoding features of the full version are worth the extra $100.

If you have to ask then I would say, probably not...but...

> Should I save the $$ and use wintone2, or go for the better one?

if you are really going to use the CTCSS, DCS and DTMF features
then it would be better to get the "full" package that does the
whole enchilada instead of trying to manage multiple entities.

> Does it work better then wintone2 at decoding dtmf,dpl and ctcss, I
> sure hope so...

It's built right in...no muss...no fuss.

Good luck!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

2925. Re: Ericsson scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcardani@erols.com
Message-ID: <3517b048.310389@news.tju.edu>
Source record: 165910
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 20:23:10 -0600, "com" <!> wrote:

>It was once wondered why an Ericsson radio system cannot be easily scanned,
>like the motorola. The motorola system assigns frequencies to the unit when
>they request and are granted access. This means that at any time a talk
>channel can be added to the motorola system without updating the radios.
>Each Ericsson radio, on the other hand, has a system block which is an
>association of channel numbers and frequencies. Upon request, the control
>channel tells the radio to go to a certain channel number. Only the radio
>knows the association of channel numbers to frequencies. So without the
>system block or key, it is improbable that an Ericsson/EDACS scanner will be
>built.
>
>
Actually this is partially correct. There is a channel/frequency
mapping inside the radio but it is the same for ALL radios. Once you
figure out the mapping (ie, channel 1 is 856.9875, channel 2 is
857.9875, etc) then you have it made. And I have found most of the
time the channels are mapped in frequency ascending order.

There is software already on the net that follows EDACS and can be
easily ported to the firmware of a scanner. The scanner manufacturers
need to know how YOU feel so give them a call and ask for an EDACs
trunking capable scanner!

Joe

2926. FS:bc200xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: graywolf63@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032414455000.JAA14593@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165911

bc200 in good cond.have box and manual and extra battery (no mod's)
asking 175.00

2927. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f8ifs$1e8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Obviously Mr. Owodunni does not know the value of radio equipment. It could be an honest mistake with him confusing the 3000A with the 3000, or is it simply a malicious attempt by him to play price police because of his ignorance and lack of funds to ever buy anything on this newsgroup other than a pack of batteries.

In any event, those of you who know radios, know full well that an AOR-3000A can still be had (blocked) at a brand new price of $1199. Therefore, an unblocked used 3000A should warrant an asking price of $800. I'm further encouraged by the fact that I've received several e-mails from you folks on this newsgroup that $800 is a fair asking price for this fine rig.

So, I hereby ask all of you to please join me in relaying an appropriate message to Mr. Owodunni that his unsolicited comments are upappreciated, and of course, ignore his additions to any adverts posted on this newsgroup. Remember, he could do the same to you one day. Thank you and have a nice day.

MR. OWODUNNI, AS I INDICATED, THE CHOICE OF LANGUAGE YOU USED IN A PERSONNEL E-MAIL MESSAGE TO ME IS INDICATIVE OF YOUR LIMITED INTELLIGENCE. PLEASE TAKE THIS AS A STERN SUGGESTION TO "GO AWAY." ITS "HIGH MAINTENANCE" INDIVIDUALS LIKE YOUSELF THAT DRAIN THE RESOURCES OF OUR SOCIAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE SYSTEMS. HAVE A GOOD DAY.
On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 06:37:53 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

>It shouldn't be more than $500.00.
>
>second hand is second-hand, forget the mint crap.
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>In article <6f6m17$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
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2928. INFO request Central Ohio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: joseph_testa@aep.com
Message-ID: <6f8pod$8k2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165913

Is anyone out there monitoring SMR in central ohio and would be willing to chat about it?, looking specifically for info on B&C SMR.

I have freqs but need other info, thanx, joe
post or email me at jtesta@oracle-dba.com

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2929. Re: EVERYONE IN THIS NEWGROUP SUCKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pantsmaster <pj6bn@herts.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.980324130316.23541D-100000-100000@sirius>
Source record: 165914
Cross-posted to: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998, Identity Crisis wrote:

> > Cool, but then your opinions dont count... shame.
>
> so says a man that strives to be blonde !

I would tell you exactly what I think of that comment, except my
opinions don't count either.

****

I was so bored this morning, I sat and memorised the words to Smashmouths
Heave-ho, Pet names and Padrino... Wanna hear?

****

2930. Re: Cell Monitored Conversation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f8jsp$7kq$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 165915

GregoryR wrote:
>
> Yes, Yes, Yes.
>
> Do so anonymously if you feel you must. But, IMHO, doing
> the right thing is more important than doing the legal butt
> covering thing. Unless the local PD are a complete pack of
> morons, they'll be alot more interested in busting the drug
> pushers than wasting there time with you on some obtuse and
> obscure federal violation that they've never heard of and
> couldn't care less about.
>
> Yes, it's an anoying law. But, like a lot of laws, nobody
> cares unless somebody gets hurt. Especially local law
> enforcement.
>
> --
> ************
> Remove NOSPAM from address to reply
> BrianFlues wrote in message
> <6f6ldniki1@winter.news.erols.com>...
> >Okay,
> >
> > So, I live about 1/2 mile from a cell tower
> and I monitor a
> >conversation about " 4 bags for $125.00 each" in my local
> neighborhood
> >(complete with address and directions I might add) on a
> image of the 870
> >mhz range on a non cellular scanner.
> >
> >Do I report it and risk prosecution for illegal monitoring?
> >
> >
> >(The replies to THIS should be interesting and by the way
> it did happen)
> >
> >

Besides, local LEOs do not really want to enforce federal
laws. Local government has a real burr up their ass about
the Feds passing that mandate local enforcement, especially
when there is no money to back it up. It is a turf thing.
Now watch out if the Feds start giving money to enforce this!!

2931. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f8kdumce1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 165916
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

paul and jacki wrote:
>
> Arthur Howard wrote:
> >
> > Anyone have a clue what the chances are of having customs find and
> > confiscate an unblocked import scanner?
>
> There are tons of drugs being smuggled into our country everyday at the
> borders. I certainly would think that Customs has their priorities
> straight and concentrates their efforts on the real criminals at the
> border.

Having gone thru customs checks at airports, they are looking for drugs, plants (and bugs on them), food items, alcohol, and anything you have not paid the import taxes on. The real secret to knowing what the Feds are after: what are they spending money at the local level for. And right now, it is not enforcement of the scanner laws!

Take the radio out of the box, use for a few weeks and tell the guy you brought from home. Mail the box back. If you are importing by mail, have the customs form say it is a shortwave receive (especially if it does receive those bands). Don't make a big deal out of it.

God, stupid laws are making crooks out of all of us!!!

2932. Re: FS: RS TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032416065700.LAA17304@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165917

>I have for sale the RadioShack version of the TrunkTracker. I bought it
>in Novenber of last year and is in perfect condition. It includes the
>original box, paperwork, and the optional 12V adapter. Selling price is
>
>$250 shipped in the U.S.
>Please reply to n1iic@qsl.net Thanks!!

Hate to tell you, RS currently has on sale at $249.95 brand new units

2933. Sale or Trade: Undien 235XLT TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce A. Langos" <bruce.langos@daytonoh.ncr.com>
Message-ID: <u6Dgh6zV9GA.82@rpc1284.daytonoh.ncr.com>
Source record: 165918

Will sell for $175.00 shipped. Unit is in excellent condition with all accessories. I am interested in trading for a Standard C-508A or a Yaesu VX-1R.

Thanks
Bruce

2934. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f8kiqmce2@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 165919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

PrinceMyshkin wrote:
>
> I can't believe that the good old U S of A, home of the free and the brave, has
> made it illegal even to own a device tht can pick electromagnetic radiation out
> of the ether. Isn't that the sort of thing for which we used to berate other
> benighted countries? Why is it illegal for me to intercept and decode radiation
> that is passing through my home, nay, my very body?

It is the 1920s all over again. Stupid laws making crooks out of
all us.

2935. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f8kl1mce3@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 165920
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

PrinceMyshkin wrote:
>
> The law is a ASS!

Did not Shakespear say that?

2936. Re: Kenwood FRS Scrambling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: koury@primenet.com
Message-ID: <351745b4.4330678@news>
Source record: 165921
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

ronszzz@go-concepts.com wrote:

>Anyone Know what type scrambling the Kenwood Family Radio Service
>radios use?
>Probably speech inversion? I don't hear any FRS activity at all here.
>
>
>For e-mail replys remove the zzz.
>
>Thanks

FRS folks are now on alt.radio.family

2937. Re: Help! Pro 43 Broken

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6f8m91$qfk@hopper.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 165922
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

RHUNT <RHUNT@prodigy.net> wrote:
> ... a Realistic Pro43 (date code 8A2) from a pawn shop .... it appears that
> someone made the following mods: opened cell freqs., extended frequency,
> and audio modification. .... won't recieve cell calls. It does recieve a
> local TV station (garbled) at various freqs in the cell range.

If the local TV station is channel 20 and it appears at 3.2 MHz intervals, it's a known problem. The signal enters through the case and mixes with the second local oscillator. This is an artifact of the PRO-43 design and has nothing to do with the cell mod. It probably also occurs throughout other bands but you noticed it where you weren't receiving anything else.

To narrow the question about the mod, search the cell range (869-894) with squelch turned down and confirm the 30 kHz step. If it steps at 12.5 kHz, the wrong diode was removed. Search 54-88 MHz for the audio of local TV stations chs 2-6 to confirm that the extended receive diode was installed correctly. Compare the general sensitivity with a good handheld to see if the previous owner properly reconnected the antenna lead (it's not necessary to unsolder the antenna or disassemble all the boards, but the most common instructions do things the hard way).

Odds are the previous owner blew the mod, which might account for it being unclaimed at a pawnshop. If all the normal functions work, it's still a good radio. The Ch 20 problem is only a minor annoyance (unless it occurs on top of a frequency you really want to hear).
/* barry /&

2938. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <EqBy41.LMp@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 165923

On 22 Mar 1998, TwinsRadio wrote:

> If I had to fathom a guess, I would say it is probably John Mackey who is
> cancelling John Mackey's posts.

If he had any intelligence, he would! But...

Puritanism (noun): The overwhelming fear that somebody,
somewhere, may be having fun...

2939. Re: Bill And John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032416345000.LAA20459@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165924

ButtCheeks dribbled from his shriveled <snip>

>Oh. You don't care? Hmmmmmm..... No I suppose
>you wouldn't care, since you are not the target
>of unwarranted and merciless attacks. Yes, in
>retrospect, I can see how you would not care.
>

QUIT WHINING BILL. ! THE ONLY THING PEOPLE HATE MORE THAN A MACKEY IS A
ButtCHEEKS WHINING!

<more whiney stuff>

>Do this: count Mackey's posts. You will not find
>a one that has any merit to scanners and scanning.
>
>Now count mine. Do a ratio or whatever simple math
>it takes. Then you will see the fallacy in your
>statement. I rest my case........

So JUST because you pat yourself on the back (stroke yourself or whatever you
call your garbage) and give an occassional tip, you think you are JUSTIFIED in
poking, prodding, nudging, and downright BAITING JM?

GO TO HELL!

So now ButtCheeks attacks some other unknown guy, (read on) gracing this group
with his judgement. This guy could be a rocket scientist for all we know, Butt
just 'cause ButtCheeks doesn't like what he says, he ramble on for PAGES!!!

>Well, that is a fine statement. Let's see....
>I count EXACTLY one post from you to this
>newsgroup over the last 31-days. And that
>one happens to be THIS post to which I am
>replying. Soooooooooo, looking at the pure
>mathematics of it, your ratio of on-topic
>(i.e. "give a damn factor) is precisely zero.
>
>Are YOU claiming to *care* more about this
>newsgroup than *I* do? Really now?
>

Oh, POOR ButtCheeks!

>No matter HOW you stack the deck in favor
>of one way or the other, you WILL find a goodly
>number of on-topic, caring, detailed posts

>from me.

Once again, his dysfunctional behavior surfaces in the form of RATIONALIZING (big word ButtCheeks, better get out the dictionary)

>You would find even MORE if people
>like you....with whom I *had* no quarrel, would
>simply speak the truth in their criticism, if
>there just has to be some. But more succinctly,
>if YOU stayed ON-TOPIC, that would be one less
>cause for me to drift......

Oh, so because ButtCheeks feels you strayed, you are DAMNED TO HELL (what a DICK!)

>Therefore, I can only suppose that you are
>yet another one of those preachers....

OH MY GAWD, ButtCheeks is now PROJECTING (more dysfunctional behavior) After all, who is the biggest, loudest, most arrogant pat himself on the back preacher. (If he would just IGNORE it all, it WOULD go away), but no, he rails about "unwarranted attacks", search the newsgroups, I counted (and will REPOST) at least five CLEAR CUT CASES of ButtCheeks ANTAGONIZING others

My tribe calls those people
>hypocrites.

You of ALL people should know that term

>Now then....rebuttal aside...and I was certainly
>entitled to one,

Entitled?, BULLS**T Bill, You aren't entitled to squat, just because some guy DARED to speak..... F**K OFF and get a life.

And PLEASE spare us the selfrightous bull about "ratios"

Didn't you say in this very ppost, "people in glass houses...

Oh yeah, there's NO GLASS LEFT IN YOUR HOUSE!!!

>Think about it. Because as is, your 0:1 record
>says nothing constructive either. You're throwing
>stones in a glass house, my friend! You can criticize
>me all you want, but it would behoove you to first
>put your own house in order.
>

In other words, ButtCheeks feels this is a matter of "my thing is bigger than yours", obviously an insecure man!

2940. Re: Cell Monitored Conversation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <3517DC86.3C46@home.here>
Source record: 165925

> Yes, Yes, Yes.
> Yes, it's an anoying law. But, like a lot of laws, nobody
> cares unless somebody gets hurt. Especially local law
> enforcement.

> Huh?? Commit a crime to report a crime? IMO the drug laws are about as stupid as the scanner laws. How can pot be illegal when alcohol is avaliable for sale on every corner?

2941. Re: 2SD1676 transistor manuf or sub

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mzenier@netcom.com
Message-ID: <mzenierEqC1st.1rs@netcom.com>
Source record: 165926
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.misc

In article <01bd540b$e238f940$e1551bd0@kwag98>,
Wild Bill <kwag98@tcis.net> wrote:
>hi.. i've been trying to locate a manufacturer of, or substitute for a
>2SD1676 transistor used in a portable scanner radio as an audio driver (i
>think). I don't know the pin basing (EBC-CBE) since the device is open.
>It's packaged as a SP-92, but space would permit the use of a TO-92.. if i
>could find the specifications for it.
>Suggestions of places that i might look online will be appreciated

It's in the MCM catalog.

There's several nationwide distributors that specialize in repair parts
like MCM, Dalbani, Premium Parts and others. They carry a selection of
original numbered japanese and other foreign (to the USA) parts.

For contact information, check out the sci.electronics.repair faq on
http://www.repairfaq.org which has a page on these outfits in there
somewhere.

Mark Zenier mzenier@eskimo.com mzenier@netcom.com

2942. Re: Bill And John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980324164446O1.LAA28026@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165927

I'm afraid dear friends and radioheads, the real problem with Mr. BCheeks has NOTHING to do with age (an obvious point), but rather is a real issue of untreated dysfunctional behaviour. I have never seen a finer example of a sicko using the "blame game", rationalization, justification, scapegoating, along with an arm length list of OBVIOUS dysfunctional behavior.

Rather than berate the poor sap, maybe we should all kick in to assist him with paying for the professional counseling he SO DESPERATELY NEEDS. And to be sure, I think he knows it.

Deep down inside, a child crys for attention, EVERY TIME A PERSON POSTS!

We love you Bill, in our own "tough love" kind of way, PLEASE GET HELP!

>Cheeks could learn a great deal from him,
>(the reputable Bob Parness) but it won't happen.
>Too much kid in him still. As old as he is, this is unlikely to >change.

2943. NEEDED: Programming Tips for TS-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxpjheller@west.net
Message-ID: <xxpjheller-2403980841130001@pm4-18.sba1.avtel.net>
Source record: 165928

Can someone e-mail me the key combination for programming freqs into an older Regency TS-2 scanner.

Many thanks.

PJH

Reply to pjheller@west.net (or remove xx before name if auto replying)

2944. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032416515001.LAA22502@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165929

This is some SICK STUFF, please keep it out of here, even as a JOKE, my sons (12 & 14, both licensed hams currently working towards upgrade to General were VERY offended)

Thank You

>NAMBLA: WHERE WE STAND
>
>The North American Man/Boy Love Association is both
>political and educational. We work to organize support for
>boys and men who have or desire consensual sexual and
>emotional relationships and to educate society on their
>positive nature. We speak out against the oppression
>endured by men and boys who love one another and support the
>right of all people to consensual intergenerational

2945. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980324165614O1.LAA29368@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165930

>Whaadya mean?, PARG stands for Pecker-eatin' Ass-pokin' Rear-ender Guys,
>doesn't it?

Pretty lame, can't you do better?

2946. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032416545000.LAA22880@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165931

This fine gentleman's inbox was FILLED with offers of free ammo. ATF has begun an investigation as to why on earth one man would receive SO MANY BOXES of grenades, explosives, and other incendiary devices

>You are one sick, sick, bastard. C'mon on by so I can shoot ya

2947. Re: Rice University Police?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-9rKxdD5WZIvd@localhost>
Source record: 165932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Radioman,

OK, I've made the change to 460.225 and suppose that's why I had difficulties hearing something when an officer told another to go to channel 8.

Thanks!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

2948. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980324171150001.MAA01322@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165933

With INFINITE wisdom, <allsafe@netwit.com>
wrote (the TRUTH):

>Quit whining. 30 to 40% of the daily traffic here in RRS is of the
>flamefest variety, and the rest is radio. Very little spam. Newsgroup
>reader procedures for using "filters" and "killfiles" may be too difficult
>for the technologically challenged to manipulate. Therefore; I offer this
>"straight forward" easy solution for those who complain of inadvertantly
>"wasting time" reading messages they don't particularly want to read:
>
>STEP 1. Read the friggin subject line before you open the message.
>
>STEP 2. *ONLY* click on messages you think you would like to read.
>
>SEP 3. If it looks like something you don't want to read. Don't click on
>it. Don't read it.
>
>You're welcome.

2949. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980324172116O1.MAA02451@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165934

But the REAL question remains;

Where in Canada do we buy these? Anybody know of stores in BC, BESIDES "The Shack" (read, extension of US Big Bro')

2950. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032417254201.MAA26497@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165935

>(drago)drivelled:
>
> Now John! Remember what the judge said about you're attempts to
>get close to more little children.....what you did to that last child
>was a terrible thing.

You know, there are limits to everything, not that Bill or John would agree,
but this places you BELOW their level, byrdbrayn!

2951. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980324173159O1.MAA27277@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165936

The Phantom "Macaroon" spewed all over the carpet:

>You're probably wrong anyhow.

This, ladies and gentlemen (and Cheeks and Mackeys, followers alike) is REAL humor!

2952. Can you expand memory on SC150?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wes <darth@planttel.net>
Message-ID: <6f8s39nku1@news2.infoave.net>
Source record: 165937
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Can the memory be expanded on the SportCat 150? Is there any other mods?
Any info will help. Thanx in advance.

2953. Re: Can you expand memory on SC150?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <3517F438.7A61@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 165938
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Wes wrote:
>
> Can the memory be expanded on the SportCat 150? Is there any other mods?
> Any info will help. Thanx in advance.

I don't think any mods exist for this scanner.

Chris

2954. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: get@a.life
Message-ID: <351ae765.4245804@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165939
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

_John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org> wrote:

>Macaroon wrote:
>> You must be referring to your ability find relevant posts you've made. Nothing
>> happened.
>
>No, I am referring to the very issue YOU were speaking of.

Right - your inability to find relevant posts. You failed miserably then, and
still are every day.

You're a mental case.

2955. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: get@a.life
Message-ID: <3519e709.4153817@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 16:29:56 -0800, _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
wrote:

>Macaroon wrote:
>
>> You invented this little "challenge" of yours once you
>> realized you couldn't show anybody even a single post of relevance back months
>> ago. You still can't because there are none,
>
>Once again you are wrong. One need only look within the last few days
>to find examples of on-topic posts from ME.

Hey, butt-pirate, how about NOVEMBER?? Care to revisit that failure of yours
again?

Your "claim" to a few days ago is bullshit as well.

How long have you been in the twilight zone?

2956. Re: WIN RADIO via remote PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <3517F2B3.2096@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 165941

GregoryR wrote:
> I haven't heard of anybody doing it, but it's just a matter
> of somebody spending some time. The tools are all there and
> all free (except the RealAudio server).

RealAudio server is FREE! (At least is was about 4 months ago)

Chris

2957. Pro- 27. Scotland

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew Morrison <jam@zetnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <19980324134724751 71@zetnet.co.uk>
Source record: 165942

Hi, I have recently re-discovered my Realistic Pro-27 hand held scanner after unpacking some stuff which was left after moving house a year ago . Unfortunately the manual has been misplaced & I got to wondering if anyone in this n/g might be able to help by e-mail.

Best regards

Andy, Ayr, Scotland.

2958. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6f8st5$ag9@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 165943
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

"Hans Holm" (hholm@istar.ca) writes:
> Stark I read the text on this page and I believe that you may not have fully
> understood certain parts of this code.
>
> Quote "
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> "private communication" means any oral communication, or any
> telecommunication, that is made by an originator who is in Canada or is
> intended by the originator to be received by a person who is in Canada and
> that is made under circumstances in which it is reasonable for the
> originator to expect that it will not be intercepted by any person other
> than the person intended by the originator to receive it, and includes any
> radio-based telephone communication that is treated electronically or
> otherwise for the purpose of preventing intelligible reception by any person
> other than the person intended by the originator to receive it; "
>
> In this you might not have completely understood the part that says, I quote
>
> "and includes any radio-based telephone communication that is ((treated
> electronically or otherwise)) for the purpose of preventing intelligible
> reception by any person other than the person intended by the originator to
> receive it;".
>
> this black and white states that the originator of the communication must
> treat "electronically or otherwise" the communication if he expects his
> conversation to be private e.g. (scramble the signal). If you read the code
> on interception of a radio-based telephone communication it states that if,
> and only if, the person listening to said communication is intercepting it,
> "maliciously or for gain" then that person would be liable of an offence.
>
>>With pleasure. One source is the NF2G Scannist Pages Canadian
>>section. Go to http://www.ggw.org/nf2g/canada_index.html and follow
>>the "Laws & Regs" link. If you want to dig further and read the
>>entire text of the law, the proper cites are given.
>
Isn't legal language wonderful??? IMHO it is vague enough that charges
could be filed, if there was a compelling reason to. In Canada our
communications agency is so under funded, and over worked they can only
respond to a serious occurance (like someone causing interference to
law enforcement or ATC...) Yes the law exists, buried deep within the
Criminal Code of Canada, and the Radiotelecommunications Act. But owning
a cell capable scanner is legal, as long as it can recieve other frequencies
ie; weather, marine ham et al. So if the scanner is full spectrum there

really a problem. If the device only recieved cell it may be illegal.

2959. Re: Paging Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: deli-bear@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f8vuc$qpj@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

the frequency marked on my digital pager is 931.2125. I loaded it into a
BC200, and found the expected signals.....

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/) deli-bear@worldnet.att.net (\
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2960. Re: Kenwood FRS Scrambling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwilkers@netcom.com
Message-ID: <jwilkersEqC9JA.F89@netcom.com>
Source record: 165945
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

ronszzz@go-concepts.com writes:

>Anyone Know what type scrambling the Kenwood Family Radio Service
>radios use?
>Probably speech inversion? I don't hear any FRS activity at all here.

Simple speech inversion. Listen to FRS while in scanning mode. You'll
pick up traffic, esp. if you are close to an interstate to hear cars in
convoy.
--
John L. Wilkerson Jr. jwilkers@netcom.com
http://members.tripod.com/~jwilkers/frspage.html

Supporting two-way radio for the family of the modern era.

Support the us.* hierarchy! Request your ISP add all us.* groups today!

Spamgard(tm) in effect to attend to unwanted commercial email.

2961. FS-Universal M-400 Decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6t8j$eef@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165975
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have an excellent (brand new condition) M-400 that I have no need
for, which I acquired as part of a package deal. It comes with the
AC adaptor and original manual. The unit has no scratches, nicks or
dents. The unit currently sells for $399 new, I would like to sell
it for $150 shipped, or best offer.

Here are some basics from the original owners manual:

Shortwave reception modes include:

* baudot 45, 50, 57, 75 and 100 baud.
* ASCII 75, 100 adn 150 baud.
* SITOR A & B automatically selected by AUTOR.
* FEC-A 96 and 144 baud.
* SWED-ARQ S, M and L lengths.
* FAX (to printer port) 120 LPM 576 IOC

For VHF/UHF enthusiasts, the following capabilities are featured:

* ACARS Aviation message/telemetry mode.
* POCSAG Digital pager mode.
* GOLAY Digital pager mode.
* CTCSS (PL) Decoding 41 standard codes.
* DCS (DPL) Decoding 104 standard codes.
* DTMF Decoding 16 digits.

2962. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans Holm <hholm@istar.ca>
Message-ID: <gNCR.386$af4.595151@NewsRead.Toronto.iSTAR.net>
Source record: 165976
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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this black and white states that the originator of the communication must treat "electronically or otherwise" the communication if he expects his conversation to be private e.g. (scramble the signal). If you read the code on interception of a radio-based telephone communication it states that if, and only if, the person listening to said communication is intercepting it, "maliciously or for gain" then that person would be liable of an offence.

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>the "Laws & Regs" link. If you want to dig further and read the
>entire text of the law, the proper cites are given.

2963. Re: Pro 2042 & Programmit question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Knut Otterbeck <otterbec@online.no>
Message-ID: <351702D3.85EFADCB@online.no>
Source record: 165977
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Thanks for the Programmit info ,John!

The IR is a bit to advanced at the moment , but something to
consider later :)

Will contact your homepage in due course.....

Regards
Knut

John Montalbano wrote:
>
> Knut Otterbeck wrote:
> >
> > What if you have the Opto535 computer-interface board installed
> > inside your Pro-2042 ? Is there still room for the Programmit
> > circuit? (Could still need such a utility for when on the go..)
>
> I am quite sure that others have done this. Join the list at
> majordomo@qth.net with subscribe programit in the body. Then send mail
> to programit at qth.net and someone can answer this.
> >
> > Does the circuit produce any heat? How much current does it
> > draw? Any other problems anyone can see with this triplet ?
>
> The circuit draws very little current, perhaps 20 - 30 mA and does not
> produce any noticeable heat.
> >
> > Pro-2042/Opto535/Programmit/Probe 4.0 , what more could you
> > really wish for in a "down-to-earth" scanner setup?
>
> How about IR remote control from a handheld controller and wireless
> downloads at a few hundred feet. Visit http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj for
> more details.
>
> John Montalbano
> KA2PYJ

2964. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-- $275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f700p$1vs@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165978
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>Price reduced to $275 for quick sale!
>
>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>been unmodified.
>>
>>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>>
>>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>>following:
>>
>>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>>* Original manual
>>* Original rubber antenna
>>
>>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!
>

2965. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-- $275 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f701q$1vs@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165979
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>Price reduced to $275 shipped and insured to lower 48 States!
>
>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>been unmodified.
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2966. FS-New walkie talkie kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6vph$1vs@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165980
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

I have two unassembled single channel walkie-talkie in a kit. The units are brand new with instruction manuals. This is a great learning tool for young children. Not recommended for kids under 6 years old due to the small parts. $25 shipped to lower 48 States.

2967. Re: FS: ICOM IC-W32A DUAL BAND HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jng2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980324011144401.UAA27339@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165981

Are these good radio's? Who sells them new for $299. Anybody got some specs on this radio. # of channels? Scan rate. Thanks

Brand new units are selling for $299.00 with a free cable and software. I'll offer you $240, or 20% under new for a used unit, plus shipping and COD.

Jeff
JNG2000@AOL.COM

2968. Re: Mass. State PD Troop C trunked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: pntx@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032401262300.UAA29981@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165982

Check out these links.

<A HREF="http://www.capecod.net/~tcaldwel/msptrpc.htm">Program Files\Netscape\Communicator\Program\msp</A><A HREF="http://lynx.dac.neu.edu/home/httpd/s/stjohnso/ematrunk/index.html">

Mass Trunking System Information</A>

2969. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351c104f.9266913@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165983

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 04:38:44 -0800, Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org> wrote:

>How about this. You made a dozen fine posts. If you have nothing more
>to add with any relevence, then you might shut your trap. Save post
>update time. You are costing everybody money.

What, are you using a 300baud modem and a per minute isp?

Do your self a favor and dump that shit netscape newsreader,
learn about filters and don't contribute to this BS.
>
>-John- KA0SSF wrote:
>
>> hehehehe hohohoho hahahaha
>>
>> I've always liked your twisted sense of humor, George!
>>
>> George Vetterle wrote:
>> > To someone, such as yourself, who uses their fingers and toes as
>> > numerical aids, it may *appear* that there were numerous on-topic.
>
>

2970. Sold-Universal M-400 Decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f73mr$sck@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thank you for your interest!

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>* SITOR A & B automatically selected by AUTOR.
>* FEC-A 96 and 144 baud.
>* SWED-ARQ S, M and L lengths.
>* FAX (to printer port) 120 LPM 576 IOC
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>* POCSAG Digital pager mode.
>* GOLAY Digital pager mode.
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>* DCS (DPL) Decoding 104 standard codes.
>* DTMF Decoding 16 digits.

2971. Re: NJ Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Rooney <"n2nkbREM@n2nkb"@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f73rg$ndu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165985

Jose Negron wrote:
>
> <URL: http://members.bellatlantic.net/~jnegron/index.htm>.
>
> Scanner frequency guide covering all of New Jersey. Includes
> police, fire departments, airports, local housing, etc. Also
> includes general frequencies and links to other scanner
> related sites.

Thanks for the guide. Interested in the Sports Complex or
Colleges?

Al n2nkb@worldnet.att.net

2972. Astro Radio Patent Numbers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hh357@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032403593701.WAA20528@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165986

Could someone with a Motorola Astro Radio please post the various Patent numbers on, and/or in it.

This is for a private research project I'm into at the moment.

TIA,
H Higgins

2973. Re: Top secret frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "." <wolves@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <3517310F.348F206E@ctel.net>
Source record: 165987

I am enclosing 5 cents with this newsgroup posting. (I like to invest big!)
Please put it towards the investment for the 3 1/2 disk with top "secret"
freqs.

Laters

Auger

Ziggy wrote:

> n1lsw@ncia.net wrote in article <6d85lpicc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> > (((((((((((((((((((TOP SECRET RADIO FREQUENCIES))))))))))))))))))
> ALL
> > THE ONES YOU WANT TO KNOW. ALL THE GOOD STUFF YOU CAN'T GET!!!! WELL NOW
> YOU
> > CAN ON THIS 3.1/2 DISK. YOU WILL BE SHOCKED!!!!. $5.00 SHIPPED IN THE US.
> > Thanks Jack.
>
> OK everyone, let's all chip in and get one copy which we can then post
> here. I'll donate a penny. If we get 499 more people in on this, it could
> work... ;-)
>
> -Phil

2974. AOR 8000 w/opto scout FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene <gene@surfsouth.com>
Message-ID: <01bd56db$f33b0580$3276bdcc@gene.surfsouth.com>
Source record: 165988
Cross-posted to: alt.phreaking,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

|||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||| FOR SALE||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||

AOR 8000 with cell mod's and Opto Scout Model 40. AOR 8000 also has the mod's for the scout so it can "reaction tune" the frequency that the Scout catches. also novex mod's done also.
Also included is the Optoelectronics DC 440 Tone decoder and the Optoelectronics "CI-V~ CX12" and AOR RS232 computer interface for the Scout, DC440 and the AOR 8000. And two opto DB32 mini antenna's
Everything was bought and kept just as the day it arrived all boxes, chargers, cable's, paperwork, invoice and accessories and all equipment have Nicad batteries.
All Equipment was bought from EEB and mod's were done there as well.

The total price I paid for all equipment with everything was $1451.00 and the first $1095.00 takes it all. Anyone interested or need any more info can email me at gene@surfsouth.com

I have a scanned .bmp of the invoice if anyone would like to see it.

2975. PRO 2006 w/ optoscan 456 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene <gene@surfsouth.com>
Message-ID: <01bd56dc$0e2bfe80$3276bdcc@gene.surfsouth.com>
Source record: 165989
Cross-posted to: alt.phreaking,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

For Sale Pro 2006 with cell mods. blah blah blah etc etc. Also Installed
OptoScan 456 computer controlled scanning board. Built in tone decoder etc.
It does it all. All boxes and paper work etc. just like the day it was
bought. Comes with all software and cables. "scancat Gold. Wedding
forces me to sell. Gene

now at $ 525
email or call 912-242-3338
gene@surfsouth.com

2976. Re: Pro 2006 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35184419.22527016@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165990
Cross-posted to: alt.phreaking,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

On 24 Mar 98 04:14:05 GMT, "toesucker" <toesucker@hotmail.com> wrote:

>For Sale Pro 2006 with cell mods. blah blah blah etc etc. Also Installed
>OptoScan 456 computer controlled scanning board. Built in tone decoder etc.
>It does it all. All boxes and paper work etc. just like the day it was
>bought. Comes with all software and cables. "scancat Gold. Wedding
>forces me to sell. Gene
>
>
> now at $ 525
>email or call 912-242-3338
>gene@surfsouth.com

Wow, two bad decisions..:)

2977. How do I expand the BC-100xlt's memories?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <6f7eed$2lq$1@guysmiley.blarg.net>
Source record: 165991
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

How do I expand the BC-100xlt's memories to 200 channels?

Remove the second, anti-spamming N from the
end of tdragon in my address to respond,
tdragonn@blarg.net

2978. MOTOROLA STX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmlac123@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032404435800.XAA27307@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165992

Anyone in the San Diego are that program my STX radios?????
Email me, Randy

2979. os456 or os456lite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351946a8.23182561@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165993
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

After weeks of thought I've decided to get a os456, I was wondering if
the decoding features of the full version are worth the extra $100.
Should I save the $$ and use wintone2, or go for the better one?
Does it work better then wintone2 at decoding dtmf,dpl and ctcss, I
sure hope so...
On a side note, I live about 1 1/2 miles from optoelectronics and
decided to go there today to check things out, how disappointing..
the place has a sign on the door saying "no sales at this location,
please call the 800# for orders." ..and here I was ready to get the
full version..cash in hand.

2980. FS-NIB Bearcat 2500XLT - $250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f7hfg$kap@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>been unmodified.
>
>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>
>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>following:
>
>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>* Original manual
>* Original rubber antenna
>
>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!

2981. The Dreck Files (was Mackey Dreck (A Star Trek Parody))

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <351b2154.1880828@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 165995

Scully: Oh, my God! What is it?

Mulder: I. . .I've never seen anything like it!

Scully: It's saying something! What is it saying?

Mulder: I. . .I don't know. It's unintelligible. Obviously a primitive form of life with a primitive form of communication.

Scully: I guess I should slip into a short dress, pantyhose and high heels in case I need to run away.

Mulder: I. . .I think that would be a good idea.

Scully: Listen! It's repeating the same gargling-sounding words over and over. Sounds like "Mahhhhhhh-kkkkkhhhheyyyy".

Mulder: I. . .I think you're right.

Scully: It's just a lump of blech, I think. It's almost as rotund as Bill Clinton, except it makes just a bit more sense.

Mulder: That's not saying much.

Scully: Bleah! Ptooie!

2982. AR8000 power up settings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: feilerm@iea.com
Message-ID: <3519A6BB.7B95BB6D@iea.com>
Source record: 165696

Could someone please post or send me some good settings for the 5 AR8K
power up defaults. Adventurous soul that I am, I have "played around
with mine and now can't find that happy medium anymore. When I turn on
audio in scan mode my scan rate decreases noticably and I know I miss
some transmissions because I tested it on the TV band. Turn audio off
and it stops on the station, turn it on and it passes the station (after

a brief pause).
I would also like to start a thread on the pros and cons of different
power up default settings. I'm sure others out there have some of the
same questions as I.
Thanks in advance to all of you experts who are going to respond to this

and help us adventusome folks find that happy medium.

2983. [REPOST] Re: PROgramit & John M.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <R.35197CB9.7E55@usa.net>
Source record: 165697
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

I have received a couple e-mails about this. So let me
answer NOW to avoid confusion, NO, I am NOT the "John M"
he refers to below>

I'm glad to be of assistance!

Chris Stankeviz wrote:
> I would also like to personally thank John M, creator of

2984. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <R.1998032515434101.KAA25166@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165698

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

>yeah right, you're a fine example. you're the one who has been flaming
>everyone. you don't want the little morons to read offensive stuff then pull
>the plug. i doubt that you will, however. you would rather have other people
>watch your kids for you.
>
>
>Max Innis
>
>

Let's see, call a guy's kids "morons", let's see if THAT pisses him off. No, Max, it's you who is the moron, in fact, my little "morons" appear to be superior beings to you.

L8r dayz butt bud.

All of you that seem to defend the NAMBLA post (and there have been a few, though NOT NEARLY AS MANY WHO THINK YOU ARE SICK F**K's) must have something in your heart for these guys, maybe I SHOULD pull the plug...

Bunch 'o pedophiles in this group. (not EVERYONE, just the defenders)

Kids hear profanity everyday. TV, Radio, classroom,

But pedophilia, that's some sick stuff.

And disguised as acceptable (read the NAMBLA crap, you all are the ones defending it, you must understand something us humans don't.

LUHOOSERS!

2985. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <R.1998032515354400.KAA24155@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165699

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

>>>Whaadya mean?, PARG stands for Pecker-eatin' Ass-pokin' Rear-ender Guys,
>>>doesn't it?
>>
>>Pretty lame, can't you do better?
>
>no, can't you?
>Max Innis
>
>

Not my yob, Max, not my yob

2986. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <R.19980325170109O1.MAA07875@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165700

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Precisely my point, Mr. Innis (and his fellow NAMBLA'ers)

You feel you can do, what did you say:

" i'll talk about anything i want and if you don't like it, you can get the hell out. better yet, why don't you?"
Max Innis

...and then blame the parents for YOUR lack of taste, intelligence, OR eloquence.

It is YOU who is too dimwhitted to get the point (let alone SPELL it correctly) IF this was your FAV NG, alt.pedophiles.r.us, yes, my sons would NOT be able to read it because, YES, I am an intelligent parent who has taken necesary steps to pevent them from going places no REAL MEN go.

HOWEVER, this is a radio NG. (Not that it seems to matter) And they are sharp radio heads. Licensed as techs (go ahead, say BFD, ANYONE can get that) at ages 11&13, they are pushing the limit for a level of license you probably don't even understand, SO, they stop on by a scanner NG and show me this stuff about men "loving (actually, the word is sexually abusing) boys younger than themselves.

Can't you get it? No, that was a silly question. Deep down you MUST harbor some support for these sicko's, as your logic is as perverse as their's

G'day NAMBLA guy, and as my son said,

"No, you can NOT touch me there!"

2987. [REPOST] Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <R.35197D09.20CD@usa.net>
Source record: 165701
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

How do you prove that I have lied?

Macaroon wrote:
> Sure you have - there's another example right here ! You just LIED again. FOOL!

2988. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <R.35197E32.454B@usa.net>
Source record: 165702
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Hawke wrote:

> would you care to explain then why the originating host is cts?
>
> I have been lurking in here for some time, and I have just one opinion,
> that John Mackey can't tell the truth (and the headers below prove it)

You have NO idea what YOU are talking about!

Look at the -=PATH=- statment it DOES NOT start out as "CTS" as you
indicate. It appears as YOU are lying only to create trouble! I starts
at
sprint! (look to the far right for the beginning, NOT the left)

> _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
> Newsgroups:
> rec.radio.scanner, alt.radio.scanner
> Subject:
> Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts
> Date:
> Wed, 25 Mar 1998 00:03:30 -0800
> Organization:
> http://www.parg.org
> Path:
>news1.uswest.net!newsfeed1.uswest.net!su-news-feed4.bbnplanet.com!su-news-hub1.bbnplanet.
com!news.bbnplanet.com!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail

2989. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <R.3519778D.278@usa.net>
Source record: 165703
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

YOU are the LIAR because I have a recent e-mail from Bill Cheek to prove it!

How pathetic YOU are!

Macaroon wrote:
> How come when I tried to send you mail just now, it got returned?
> "No such user jmackey@usa.net on this system"

2990. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <R.3519C34B.7A5C@usa.net>
Source record: 165704
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Be careful who YOU are talking to CHUMP!

cipher wrote:
> Talking about you, chump.

2991. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <R.3518BA21.3D73@usa.net>
Source record: 165705

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Blake Bowers wrote:

> John, the question pools have been available since back in
> the dick bash days. Long before the advent of No-Code
> licensing. Long before.

Wrong Blake :-/

However, I do believe you are familar with the Bash Books. :)

Actually, Dick Bash was interviewing
people who came out of FCC offices immediately after they
took their amateur radio test as getting them to write down
one question & answer from the test they had just taken. He
then printed a book of the results of this. A few years AFTER Bash
had started doing this, the FCC made the question pool public &
handed testing over to the VEC's such as the ARRL, W5YI, etc.

2992. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <R.3518BABD.5A3@usa.net>
Source record: 165706
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Well said!

unfortunately, we've told Cheek that MANY times & he won't listen.

:(

Bro Dogg wrote:
> Hey, we don't even really like you anyway. You are way to childish to
> be here. Why don't you be a big man and leave.

2993. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <R.3518BA52.D0A@usa.net>
Source record: 165707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

I'm coming from USA.NET right now so YOU must be the one
lying!!!

hehehehehehe

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> Wrong. USA.NET canceled your service because of the volume of
> complaints about you. You lie, again

2994. [REPOST] Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <R.3518BD75.122E@usa.net>
Source record: 165708
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

I have NEVER lied on this NG, YOU have lied MANY times!

(how about your example that I was kicked off my usa.net as an
example!!!)

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> You
> just can't face the fact that people know you for what you are, a liar
> and a fraud.

2995. [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <R.3518BC34.5870@usa.net>
Source record: 165709
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

I have NEVER done what you state below. If you have any proof, then
POST IT OR BE SHOWN AS THE LIAR YOU ARE!!!!!

hehehehehehehe

how pathetic YOU are!

hehehehe

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> Never mind the dozen fictitious addresses you used on the accounts you
> illegally broke into.

2996. I NEED STX SOFTWARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmlac123@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032505424300.AAA10227@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165746

Can anyone help. I need the software to program a Motorola STX radio.
email rmlac123@aol.com

2997. Anybody ever used the ST-2 Scan-tenna ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Wenger <Dwenger@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fa61u$cgi@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165747

I'm thinking of buying one and don't want to take the sellers word about how good it is.

Also, the drawing that I'm looking at shows it mounted parallel to the ground, when I thought that it was mounted perpendicularly. Would the parallel mount get better gain ?

I'm looking at the Scanner World website. Is $44.50 a reasonable price (with shipping) ?
Or is there a better place to look ?

Also, is there a way, with modern technology being where it is *today*, to repair a broken antenna, yet ?

ALUMA-GLOO, perhaps ? :-)

--
D. Wenger
zzTopDwenger@worldnet.att.net
(you know the drill,delete the band (spammbuster))

2998. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ian Robert Walker <Ian@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <3GinDaDZ1KG1EwbE@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 165748
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35218c2d.4630735@news.swbell.net>, D. P. Roberts
<inigo@montoya.net> writes
>>Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal
>>on? Or a way to modify them to do this.. im am talking about the ones
>>they sell at radio trash and wal-mart.
>
>You can't "listen" to WWVB the way you can with WWV/WWVH. Apparently the
>clock receives coded transmissions regarding the time.
>
>Within the past day or two I read a message where someone found an atomic
>clock at Wally World. Well, they didn't find an ATOMIC clock, but they found
>one MARKED "Atomic Clock" that adjusted to WWVB. I mean, how would your
>neighbors feel if you had to set up a cesium reactor and dig a
>mile-circumference ditch in order to set up the magnetic guns?

Oh come on! An a caesium clock fits in a 19 inch rack and is 10U high, a
rubidium clock is a 6 inch cube. Having several of each at work I know.

P.s. Wahat is "cesium", and why does it need a reactor?
--
Ian Walker G8ILZ on packet as G8ILZ@GB7SRC

I have an IQ of 6 million, | How will it end? | Mostly | Out of cheese
or was it 6? | In fire. | harmless | error

2999. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Message-ID: <3518BA21.3D73@usa.net>
Source record: 165749

Blake Bowers wrote:

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> the dick bash days. Long before the advent of No-Code
> licensing. Long before.

Wrong Blake :-/

However, I do believe you are familar with the Bash Books. :)

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took their amateur radio test as getting them to write down
one question & answer from the test they had just taken. He
then printed a book of the results of this. A few years AFTER Bash
had started doing this, the FCC made the question pool public &
handed testing over to the VEC's such as the ARRL, W5YI, etc.

3000. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3518BA52.D0A@usa.net>
Source record: 165750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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lying!!!

hehehehehehe

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> Wrong. USA.NET canceled your service because of the volume of
> complaints about you. You lie, again

3001. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3518BABD.5A3@usa.net>
Source record: 165751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Well said!

unfortunately, we've told Cheek that MANY times & he won't listen.

:(

Bro Dogg wrote:
> Hey, we don't even really like you anyway. You are way to childish to
> be here. Why don't you be a big man and leave.

3002. Radio News 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: fireboss@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6fab54$naa@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 165752
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

> Two-way Radio System Anchors Communications During New York Ice Storm
> Relief Efforts
>
>
> The ice storms that hit six upstate New York counties this past January
> have been called the worst natural disaster ever to hit the state. The
> massive relief and recovery effort called for coordinating hundreds of
> teams from volunteer organizations, local power and telephone companies
> and more than two dozen local, state and federal agencies.
>
> Fortunately, the state of New York immediately activated relief efforts.
> Clinton County's public-safety agency representatives knew exactly how
> to respond, partly due to a "mock" disaster training exercise held last
> summer. Clinton County also has a Motorola 800 MHz trunked two-way
> radio system. The five-channel, four-site Motorola SmartNet IITM
> simulcast system handled as many as 40,000 transmissions during one 24-
> hour period. There were few busy signals, none lasting more than a few
> seconds, despite heavy usage. Transmission was uninterrupted, despite
> the radio system's transmission towers, antennas and microwave dishes
> being coated with ice three to four inches thick.
>
> Ice began accumulating throughout the region on January 5 and a second
> storm was forecast for January 7. When the ice storm hit January 7, it
> strained trees, structures and power lines far beyond anything they had
> ever experienced. Tens of thousands of trees and thousands of utility
> poles snapped or fell. In all, ice storms devastated a 7,000 square-
> mile area from Lake Ontario to Lake Champlain, left 116,000 residents
> without power for days and stranded many others without food or warm
> shelter, while temperatures remained well below freezing.
>
> In recovering from this disaster, firefighters were the first line of
> defense. It was the firefighters who several years ago saw the need for
> improved two-way radio communications in Clinton County and they
> proposed an 800 MHz trunked system to the county board of legislators,
> who approved the $4 million purchase. The system has been on-line since
> the summer of 1993.
>
> The rugged terrain that makes northern New York so attractive to
> vacationers poses special challenges to radio communication. During the
> weeks of disaster relief and recovery efforts, the careful work done to
> design and implement a radio system to meet unique coverage requirements
> paid off handsomely. In almost all cases, the radio system provided
> clear communication to mobile and portable units.

3003. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3518BC34.5870@usa.net>
Source record: 165753
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have NEVER done what you state below. If you have any proof, then
POST IT OR BE SHOWN AS THE LIAR YOU ARE!!!!!

hehehehehehehe

how pathetic YOU are!

hehehehe

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> Never mind the dozen fictitious addresses you used on the accounts you
> illegally broke into.

3004. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3518BD75.122E@usa.net>
Source record: 165754
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have NEVER lied on this NG, YOU have lied MANY times!

(how about your example that I was kicked off my usa.net as an
example!!!)

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> You
> just can't face the fact that people know you for what you are, a liar
> and a fraud.

3005. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3518ADBC.D841879E@eden.com>
Source record: 165755
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WB5SXK wrote:

> >Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal
> >on?
>
> There is really nothing to listen to. It is data and is decoded to set the
> clock.
> Bill Ford, WB5SXK
> Systems Administrator
> City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
> Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
> Email: wb5sxk@amsat.org

Oh, i thought the WWVB and WWWH or whatever the call signs are were all the same,
where you can hear the computerized man saying the time, "At the tone zero hours, twenty-three minutes, coordinated universal time." So there are two different types of signals? A data type signal and a voice signal? Tell me if i have it right, if so where can i get a cheap receiver to get the voice transmissions? I have and OLD OLD world band radio and can tune into 10 MHz, but that radio is so old it take about 15 minutes to tune it and if you move it it loses the signal. Thanks

3006. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3518AF97.D32C18D6@eden.com>
Source record: 165756
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WB5SXK wrote:

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> >on?
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have it right, if so where can i get a cheap receiver to get the voice
transmissions? I have and OLD OLD world band radio and can tune into 10
MHz,
but that radio is so old it take about 15 minutes to tune it and if you
move it
it loses the signal. Thanks

3007. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3518AD17.D34CDBE9@eden.com>
Source record: 165757
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WB5SXK wrote:

> >Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal
> >on?
>
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3008. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3518AD78.8DB90E81@eden.com>
Source record: 165758
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WB5SXK wrote:

> >Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal
> >on?
>
> There is really nothing to listen to. It is data and is decoded to set the
> clock.
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3009. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3518AE4F.83FFFCFB@eden.com>
Source record: 165759
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WB5SXK wrote:

> >Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal
> >on?
>
> There is really nothing to listen to. It is data and is decoded to set the
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3010. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3518AE60.13C183D2@eden.com>
Source record: 165760
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WB5SXK wrote:

> >Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal
> >on?
>
> There is really nothing to listen to. It is data and is decoded to set the
> clock.
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3011. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3518B22D.6B5E8148@eden.com>
Source record: 165761
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WB5SXK wrote:

> >Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal
> >on?
>
> There is really nothing to listen to. It is data and is decoded to set the
> clock.
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but that radio is so old it take about 15 minutes to tune it and if you
move it
it loses the signal. Thanks

3012. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3518AE09.20DEEF73@eden.com>
Source record: 165762
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WB5SXK wrote:

> >Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal
> >on?
>
> There is really nothing to listen to. It is data and is decoded to set the
> clock.
> Bill Ford, WB5SXK
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3013. Re: BC 300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: K6ME <k6me@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <6fahed$3ck$1@zinger.callamer.com>
Source record: 165763

Am in need of instruction manual for a Bearcat 300. A copy will suffice and
I will Sase for mailing. Thanks: K6ME
>Sk6me@thegrid.net< Remember "S"pam!!

3014. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fam30ssh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Mr King Kong:

After insulting me privately, you come to the public net, and play a fucking victim. You are very stupid.

As I told, an executive of this forum privately this morning, the price you are charging was too much, don't you have any heart at all, what about the newbies to this hobby? Money is not everything you fuckhead.

He agreed with me in private that it was too steep, that he does not believe you are talking in terms of US $.

I said it must be US $ becuase I asked you politely was it HK $, and you kept quiet.

Motherfucker. Someone offered me $650 for it, I was not the one trying to sell an AOR3000A without a box for $800 - what a stupid thing to do? screaming mint, does not take away the fact that eqpt is too steep in price.

I'll say take the $650, and run your fucking ass to the bank. Asshole. I still reckon $650 is $150 too steep, but some might just love this radio so much to fork out an extra $150 for it.

It is greediness to play on that likeness.

Asshole. Just don't ever send me again one of your stupid private mails, or I'l wrink your neck.

Motherfucker. I can give you $800 free, if that is your fucking problem - Asshole.

AOR3000A was launched almost 3-4 years ago, and there are newer and better models out now, how the fuck can anyone justify $800? Did they actally give you the money for it. Good for justifcation ehn?

Please lets face reality here, you guys are just fucking pissing me off now.

In article <6f8ifs$1e8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>
> Obviously Mr. Owodunni does not know the value of radio equipment. It
> could be an honest mistake with him confusing the 3000A with the 3000,
> or is it simply a malicious attempt by him to play price police
> because of his ignorance and lack of funds to ever buy anything on
> this newsgroup other than a pack of batteries.
>
> In any event, those of you who know radios, know full well that an

> AOR-3000A can still be had (blocked) at a brand new price of $1199.
> Therefore, an unblocked used 3000A should warrant an asking price of
> $800. I'm further encouraged by the fact that I've received several
> e-mails from you folks on this newsgroup that $800 is a fair asking
> price for this fine rig.
>
> So, I hereby ask all of you to please join me in relaying an
> appropriate message to Mr. Owodunni that his unsolicited comments are
> upappreciated, and of course, ignore his additions to any adverts
> posted on this newsgroup. Remember, he could do the same to you one
> day. Thank you and have a nice day.
>
> MR. OWODUNNI, AS I INDICATED, THE CHOICE OF LANGUAGE YOU USED IN A
> PERSONNEL E-MAIL MESSAGE TO ME IS INDICATIVE OF YOUR LIMITED
> INTELLIGENCE. PLEASE TAKE THIS AS A STERN SUGGESTION TO "GO AWAY."
> ITS "HIGH MAINTENANCE" INDIVIDUALS LIKE YOUSELF THAT DRAIN THE
> RESOURCES OF OUR SOCIAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE SYSTEMS. HAVE A GOOD DAY.
> On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 06:37:53 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> >It shouldn't be more than $500.00.
> >
> >second hand is second-hand, forget the mint crap.
> >
> >
> >In article <6f6m17$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
> > bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
> >>
> >>
> >> >I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
> >> >imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
> >> >the radio has never been used outdoors.
> >> >
> >> >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
> >> >to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
> >> >following:
> >> >
> >> >* Software and computer cable
> >> >* AC adaptor
> >> >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
> >> >* Telescopic whip antenna
> >> >
> >> >I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
> >> >shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
> >>
> >>
> >>
> >>
> >>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> >>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>

>

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3015. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <3518ED8A.542A256C@mich.com>
Source record: 165765

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>Path:
>news.mich.com!enews.sgi.com!su-news-feed4.bbnplanet.com!su-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.b
bnplanet.com!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail

> From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner, alt.radio.scanner
> Subject: Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's
Posts
> Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 00:03:30 -0800
> Organization: http://www.parg.org
> Lines: 10
> Message-ID: <3518BA52.D0A@usa.net>

>I'm coming from USA.NET right now so YOU must be the one
>lying!!!

>hehehehehehe

Remember folks, if you think he's posting irrelevent material to
this newsgroup, FORWARD IT TO HIS ISP!
When he posts from his Sprint ISP --as he did this time & most others
recently-- the address to forward his post(s) in question & your
complaint to is: abuse@sprintisp.com

If he manually enters in a PARG or usa.net address to make it seem
like he posted from them, forward his posting(s) on to
webmaster@parg.org & mscott@teleport.com, and abuse@usa.net, so they're
made aware of the tie-in.

Prevention is better than cure!

--
Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/
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3016. Software for Icom R7100 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. DRIN Nicolas" <nicolas.drin@cea.fr>
Message-ID: <6farbk$36m$1@news.cea.fr>
Source record: 165766

Is there a real good software for the Icom R7100 ?
Best 73

Nicolas Drin, F5HFZ

3017. Populated uPD858 board for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: xhduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <3518ff8d.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 165767

I have a populated Uniden 858 board as used
in the Realistic TRC-449, 457, 458 and several other
brands and models of 40 channel SSB CB's.
Board mounted parts are installed, including the uPD858 PLL IC.
No driver, final or any other chassis mounted parts.
NOS...It was aquired after production of the radios ceased...
Looks like it was ready to drop into a chassis.
This is a virgin board as it has never been used.

Best offer gets it.

DO NOT AUTOreply.
Send a NEW message to hduff@ica.net
.

3018. Re: I NEED STX SOFTWARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fb2nb$2na@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165768

Unless your wanting to program Conventional channels only, it wont do
you any good. If your thinking that your going to use it as a trunked
Radio, you need a bit more than just the software.

Rmlac123 wrote:
>
> Can anyone help. I need the software to program a Motorola STX radio.
> email rmlac123@aol.com

3019. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: maxinnis@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032514164100.JAA15237@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165769

>Subject: Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?
>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>Date: Tue, Mar 24, 1998 11:56 EST
>Message-id: <1998032416561401.LAA29368@ladder03.news.aol.com>
>
>>Whaadya mean?, PARG stands for Pecker-eatin' Ass-pokin' Rear-ender Guys,
>>doesn't it?
>
>Pretty lame, can't you do better?

no, can't you?
Max Innis

3020. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: maxinnis@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032514185900.JAA15461@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165770

>Subject: Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?
>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>Date: Tue, Mar 24, 1998 11:51 EST
>Message-id: <1998032416515001.LAA22502@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
>This is some SICK STUFF, please keep it out of here, even as a JOKE, my sons
>(12 & 14, both licensed hams currently working towards upgrade to General
>were
>VERY offended)
>
>

yeah right, you're a fine example. you're the one who has been flaming everyone. you don't want the little morons to read offensive stuff then pull the plug. i doubt that you will, however. you would rather have other people watch your kids for you.

Max Innis

3021. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <890834043snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 165771
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <6fam30ssh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com> segun_owodunni@yahoo.com writes:

> As I told, an executive of this forum privately this morning, the price you
> are charging was too much, don't you have any heart at all, what about the
> newbies to this hobby? Money is not everything you fuckhead.

You are confused. This newsgroup is for buying and selling radios
and Kin Ho is trying to do that.

If you've been told that this is a forum with an executive, then I'm
afraid someone is a week early in playing an April fool joke on you.

Please post here again when you have something to buy or to sell.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

3022. WANTED: COLORADO Fort Collins Radio (Police, Fire, Ambulance) FREQS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ToolMan <tvminor@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35191627.EA098CB5@hotmail.com>
Source record: 165772
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If anyone has an updated listing of the Fort Collins/Loveland Colorado area, could you please e-mail them to me? Thank you in advance!!

3023. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <890838403snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 165773
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <890834043snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
tgold@panix.com "Anthony R. Gold" writes:

> You are confused. This newsgroup is for buying and selling radios
> and Kin Ho is trying to do that.

Since writing that I noticed that this thred has been posted to
groups other than rec.radio.swap and my comments were aimed only at
postings to that one newsgroup.

My apologies to readers of the scanner and shortwave newsgroups who
may still be interested to read anonymous, illiterate and inaccurate
flames from segun_owodunni.

Followup set.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

3024. FS:Uniden BC9000XLT W/Cell Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron M <monfeli@mail.telis.org>
Message-ID: <351921F8.9E98B956@mail.telis.org>
Source record: 165774
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Check out this Mint Condition BC9000XLT on the eBay Auction, its a beautiful unit that is less than a year old. Get to it by clicking below.
eBay item 9249911 (Ends 04/01/98 07:19:06 PST) - Uniden BC9000XLT 500ch w/cell Scanner

3025. NEW SCANNER STORE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhouse007@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032515165801.KAA21923@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165775

SCANNER OUTLET
410 S NORFOLK ST
SAN MATEO CA 94401
1-650-344-5012

3026. FS-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pmayer7309@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980325152109O1.KAA25427@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165776

I have a Radio Shack 2006 for sale. It is in very good condition.I purchased it two years ago. I am asking $300.00 buyer pays the shipping.

pm7309@a.o.l

3027. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-$250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fb7nt$rro@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165777
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

$250 shipped within the lower 48 States!
>>
>>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>>been unmodified.
>>>
>>>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>>>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>>>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>>>
>>>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>>>following:
>>>
>>>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>>>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>>>* Original manual
>>>* Original rubber antenna
>>>
>>>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>>>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>>>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!
>>
>

3028. FS- Unblockes AOR 3000A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fb7qd$rro@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>
>>I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>>the radio has never been used outdoors.
>>
>>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>>following:
>>
>>* Software and computer cable
>>* AC adaptor
>>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>>* Telescopic whip antenna
>>
>>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
>

3029. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032515354400.KAA24155@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165779

>>>Whaadya mean?, PARG stands for Pecker-eatin' Ass-pokin' Rear-ender Guys,
>>>doesn't it?
>>
>>Pretty lame, can't you do better?
>
>no, can't you?
>Max Innis
>
>

Not my yob, Max, not my yob

3030. voice-linked headsets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rstevens@cols-compeople.com
Message-ID: <6fb8iq$c7r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165780
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Does anyone know how I can buy/build an microphone addition to my scanner setup? I have a uniden bc200xlt and two noise reduction headsets from racing radios that we
us for race scanning. i'd like to add some kind of voice actuated microphones that would allow us to talk to each other over (or interrupt) the race
broadcast and, when finished, switch back to the scanner broadcast. I'm SOOO tired of either screaming or the shoulder-tap/earphone lift method of talking, but they want $400 for the proper setup. With detailed plans, i could build it if anyone can help!! thanks in advance

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3031. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980325154341O1.KAA25166@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165781

>yeah right, you're a fine example. you're the one who has been flaming
>everyone. you don't want the little morons to read offensive stuff then pull
>the plug. i doubt that you will, however. you would rather have other people
>watch your kids for you.
>
>
>Max Innis
>
>

Let's see, call a guy's kids "morons", let's see if THAT pisses him off. No, Max, it's you who is the moron, in fact, my little "morons" appear to be superior beings to you.

L8r dayz butt bud.

All of you that seem to defend the NAMBLA post (and there have been a few, though NOT NEARLY AS MANY WHO THINK YOU ARE SICK F**K's) must have something in your heart for these guys, maybe I SHOULD pull the plug...

Bunch 'o pedophiles in this group. (not EVERYONE, just the defenders)

Kids hear profanity everyday. TV, Radio, classroom,

But pedophilia, that's some sick stuff.

And disguised as acceptable (read the NAMBLA crap, you all are the ones defending it, you must understand something us humans don't.

LUHOOSERS!

3032. Re: NEW SCANNER STORE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Wenger <Dwenger@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fb9h7$72s@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165782

Is there a Website ?

RHouse007 <rhouse007@aol.com> wrote in article
<1998032515165801.KAA21923@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> SCANNER OUTLET
> 410 S NORFOLK ST
> SAN MATEO CA 94401
> 1-650-344-5012
>

3033. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032515544300.KAA26491@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165783

Mr. Mackey,

Although I do not like you, I must clue you in on something. You see, it appears in this case that Mr. Kendrick is an idiot unable to reason that, just 'cause you use a parg.org address to RECEIVE mail, you do not still hold your usa.net account (which you do).

You should have left it well enough alone. Now these pricks are going to fill usa.net's postmaster slot with more flamebaiting and hogwash in an ill attempt to control what you do and where you go (just 'cause they think they can. No, they may be able to lick their balls, but that's about as far as it goes).

Too bad for these loosers the ISP's are getting wise to this ploy and typically require some solid evidence of a crime before they kill your account.

Ahh the 1'st amendment is a beautiful thing, after all, that's what all these fags use as their jfor their continuing crap. (excuse me, PEDOPHILES, check out your other thread. These guys appear to be defending NAMBLA's mission. I didn't even know who that was until we were graced with their FILTH in this NG)

>Richard, if USA.NET dropped me, then how come I am able to use thier
>system, LIKE I AM RIGHT NOW????
>
>Guess who's telling a lie now?? YOU!!!!
>
>
>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>> USA.NET dropped you due to excessive complaints. Try another lie.

3034. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032516002100.LAA00360@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165784

This is scary, Mackey

I seem to see that these guys are inferior to you more so every day, (and that is a SCARY thought)

Do they think that the postmaster@parg.org AKA mscott@somewhere.else REALLY gives a rip what a fellow parg member does?

I'll bet he's almost as twisted as you (ALMOST), and probably hits the DELETE key on EVERY complaint!

>If he manually enters in a PARG or usa.net address to make it seem
>like he posted from them, forward his posting(s) on to
>webmaster@parg.org & mscott@teleport.com, and abuse@usa.net, so they're
>made aware of the tie-in

3035. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: maxinnis@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032516300300.LAA04155@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165785

>Subject: Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?
>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>Date: Wed, Mar 25, 1998 10:43 EST
>Message-id: <1998032515434101.KAA25166@ladder01.news.aol.com>

>Let's see, call a guy's kids "morons", let's see if THAT pisses him off.

like father like sons, as you are well on your way to proving. this joker gets his learner's permit for the info hiway and first thing he does is blow by the speed limit and while giving everyone the finger. do you know anything about scanning or are you just here to french tongue with mackey?

>
>All of you that seem to defend the NAMBLA post (and there have been a few,

no one has been defending nambla. what they're telling you--but you seem too dim witted to understand--is that if you don't want your kiddies reading this stuff then don't let them. i'll talk about anything i want and if you don't like it, you can get the hell out. better yet, why don't you? you've done nothing but piss, moan, complain and whine. you're as useless as lipstick on a bulldog, but not as good looking.'
Max Innis

3036. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032517010901.MAA07875@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165786

Precisely my point, Mr. Innis (and his fellow NAMBLA'ers)

You feel you can do, what did you say:

" i'll talk about anything i want and if you don't like it, you can get the hell out. better yet, why don't you?"
Max Innis

...and then blame the parents for YOUR lack of taste, intelligence, OR eloquence.

It is YOU who is too dimwhitted to get the point (let alone SPELL it correctly) IF this was your FAV NG, alt.pedophiles.r.us, yes, my sons would NOT be able to read it because, YES, I am an intelligent parent who has taken necesary steps to pevent them from going places no REAL MEN go.

HOWEVER, this is a radio NG. (Not that it seems to matter) And they are sharp radio heads. Licensed as techs (go ahead, say BFD, ANYONE can get that) at ages 11&13, they are pushing the limit for a level of license you probably don't even understand, SO, they stop on by a scanner NG and show me this stuff about men "loving (actually, the word is sexually abusing) boys younger than themselves.

Can't you get it? No, that was a silly question. Deep down you MUST harbor some support for these sicko's, as your logic is as perverse as their's

G'day NAMBLA guy, and as my son said,

"No, you can NOT touch me there!"

3037. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonny@iza.mentalcase
Message-ID: <351c098f.6286320@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165787
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Sure you have - there's another example right here ! You just LIED again. FOOL!

_John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net> wrote:

>I have NEVER lied on this NG, YOU have lied MANY times!
>
>(how about your example that I was kicked off my usa.net as an
>example!!!)
>
>
>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>> You
>> just can't face the fact that people know you for what you are, a liar
>> and a fraud.

3038. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonny@iza.mentalcase
Message-ID: <351d09f2.6384900@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

How come when I tried to send you mail just now, it got returned?

"No such user jmackey@usa.net on this system"

You lie again (still).

_John *KA0SSF* <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>I have NEVER done what you state below. If you have any proof, then
>POST IT OR BE SHOWN AS THE LIAR YOU ARE!!!!!
>
>
>hehehehehehehe
>
>how pathetic YOU are!
>
>
>hehehehe
>
>
>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>> Never mind the dozen fictitious addresses you used on the accounts you
>> illegally broke into.

3039. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjb@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <6fbesg$3mf@camel20.mindspring.com>
Source record: 165789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6f8kl1mce3@gte2.gte.net>, GTE/n9nwo@gte.net says...
>
>PrinceMyshkin wrote:
>>
>> The law is a ASS!
>
>
>Did not Shakespear say that?

No, Dickens. Oliver Twist. The law was blaming Mr. Bumble for something Mrs. Bumble did since he was supposedly the head of the family. "If the law supposes that, the law is a ass, a idiot."

3040. Re: Frisco Choppers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bundy@medics.com
Message-ID: <35114d03.166051681@nntp.best.com>
Source record: 165790

Dick Dillman <ddillman@igc.apc.org> wrote:

>
>San Francisco has recently added its first police helicopters in many
>years to service. Has anyone heard these yet? What channels and call
>signs are they using? What are their hours of operation?

The hours of operation vary. The Air/Marine Div. is headed up by a
Sgt. Kovaleff, out of Hunter's Point.

>The press photo seemed to indicate that the helicopters were not
>equipped with Nightsun spotlights so perhaps they're restricted to day ops?

Day Operation only for right now.

>Our former helicopter, a Hughes 300, used the call sign 3V1 so if
>something like this pops up it might be them.

The callsign is simply "Air 1". They operate on PIC, just like the
ground units. You can usually find AIR 1 or Marine 1 on PIC 8.

Bundy
Production Paramedics
San Francisco
www.e-media.com/medics

3041. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans Holm <hholm@istar.ca>
Message-ID: <NNbS.53$Ou4.361230@NewsRead.Toronto.iSTAR.net>
Source record: 165791
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Darrell A. Larose wrote in message <6f8st5$ag9@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>Isn't legal language wonderful??? IMHO it is vague enough that charges
>could be filed, if there was a compelling reason to. In Canada our
>communications agency is so under funded, and over worked they can only
>respond to a serious occurance (like someone causing interference to
>law enforcement or ATC...) Yes the law exists, buried deep within the
>Criminal Code of Canada, and the Radiotelecommunications Act. But owning
>a cell capable scanner is legal, as long as it can recieve other
frequencies
>ie; weather, marine ham et al. So if the scanner is full spectrum there
>really a problem. If the device only recieved cell it may be illegal.
>
>
If this law does exist somewhere deep down in the Canadian criminal code
then could you please back up your statement.

>So if the scanner is full spectrum there
>really a problem. If the device only received cell it may be illegal.

I have yet to see any law that would even remotely suggest that it would be
illegal to own such a device, unless it could be proven that that device was
used maliciously, for gain, or the device had some kind of descrambler
connected to it. The way that I understand this act, any kind of descrambler
attached to your scanner would be illegal in Canada. Does this sound
correct?

3042. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: maxinnis@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032518200800.NAA14560@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165792

>Subject: Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?
>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>Date: Wed, Mar 25, 1998 12:01 EST
>Message-id: <1998032517010901.MAA07875@ladder03.news.aol.com>

obfd (old blithering foolish dope) ranted:

>It is YOU who is too dimwhitted to get the point (let alone SPELL it
>correctly)

ah, geez, moron. you got me there. it is dimwitted (just as i spelled it). you are an unbelieveable joke... i know dan quayle and you're a dan quayle.

>steps to pevent them from going places no REAL MEN go

let me know when you become either real or a man.

>Can't you get it? No, that was a silly question. Deep down you MUST harbor
>some support for these sicko's, as your logic is as perverse as their's

how long have you had this fear of your own latent homosexuality? don't worry, you get over it with a few years of counseling and perhaps the right medication.

>G'day NAMBLA guy, and as my son said,
>
>"No, you can NOT touch me there!"
>
wow! your son said that to you? geez... and you are foolish enough to admit this in public?

you are unbelievably boring. like i said, get lost. i'm tired to smacking you around.

Max Innis

3043. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans Holm <hholm@istar.ca>
Message-ID: <73cS.54$Ou4.375824@NewsRead.Toronto.iSTAR.net>
Source record: 165793

OBFD wrote in message <1998032417211601.MAA02451@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>But the REAL question remains;
>
>Where in Canada do we buy these? Anybody know of stores in BC, BESIDES
"The
>Shack" (read, extension of US Big Bro')

You can get unblocked scanners at,
http://burnabyradio.com/
http://www.com-west.com/
or if you live in Vancouver Canada there is a small store in the Richmond auto mall I believe that it is called AMP Communications, they usually have an ad in the lower mainland Buy&Sell near the automobile radio section. You might want to call Icom they have an office in Vancouver and I think that they sell unblocked scanners.

3044. Re: NJ Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Negron <jnegron@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <3519519A.2DE0@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 165794

Al Rooney wrote:
>
> Jose Negron wrote:
> >
> > <URL: http://members.bellatlantic.net/~jnegron/index.htm>.
> >
> > Scanner frequency guide covering all of New Jersey. Includes
> > police, fire departments, airports, local housing, etc. Also
> > includes general frequencies and links to other scanner
> > related sites.
>
> Thanks for the guide. Interested in the Sports Complex or
> Colleges?
>
> Al n2nkb@worldnet.att.net
Yes, Sports Complex and Colleges will be add sometime in the near
future, right now I am working on Local Hospitsls......

3045. Cellular Pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanist@acmenet.net
Message-ID: <6fbnjbpsb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165795
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

FS: RS PRO-26 200 channel handheld.
This is not a jumper wire modified image recieving rig.
This one has the European Version CPU installed.
(hold 2,9,keylock and turn radio on and display reads 72BEH-EUR 0.11)
Not a scratch on this radio 25mhz- 1300.00mhz with NO GAPS.
Duram Radio wants $443.24 plus shipping. Then theres Customs.
This one is already here in the US NO WORRYS
PLEASE NO PRICE WINERS, AND YOU KNOW WHO YOU ARE !!
Serious inquires ONLY. Trades always concidered
$ 400.00 Reply to: scanist@acmenet.net

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3046. Re: Can you expand memory on SC150?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351a51d7.229284438@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165832

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

"Wes" <darth@planttel.net> wrote:

> Can the memory be expanded on the SportCat 150? Is there any other mods?
> Any info will help. Thanx in advance.

Memory is not expandable in the SportKitty. Neither
is the frequency coverage.

There are plenty of things that can be done to
most any scanner; just not cellular and not
memory in this case.

You should see my SCANNER MODIFICATION FAQ that
was recently posted to this newsgroup. It offers
some details that you can consider.

-- ----
Bill Cheek - President/CEO/Publisher \ /
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http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
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3047. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35194c8a.227927388@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165833

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > > BTW, does an off-center dipole
> > > have wider bandwidth than a regular one?
>
> I've never heard of off-centre dipoles before! I'll
> have to look more into this.

Here's a good one for scanner antennas:

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18" 48"
------o o---------------
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And ideally fed from a balun; TV matching transformer
being just finer 'n frog hair. The main consideration
of an OCFD is to keep the two elements non-mathematically
related, or a never-rounding decimal. The above has a
9 : 16 ratio which is pretty ideal.

> I like to design Rx antenna with Tx in mind. That way you know that the
> collective "system" is tuned - maybe not optimized, but at least tuned!
> 8-)

Yeah....ri---ght.....lemme see you go transmitting all
over creation betwixt DC and Daylight. And gimme a
video camera to shoot the scene when the D.O.C. comes
around to test your intestinal fortitude.

<grin>

> > That, I don't know. Maybe Andy knows. I vaguely
> > recall that a folded dipole is less ground dependent,
> > but I might be remembering something else.
>
> I Don't really know. I had always understood that the closer any
> antenna was to an obstruction/reflecting surface, the lower the
> impedance would be. Much like in a loudspeaker when you unload a woofer
> the impedance jumps up. Apples and pears here I know but I think the
> comparison is fair.

I don't think it's a "for certain". A lot depends on
whether the obstruction or surface is a reflector or
an absorber or even a disperser. Three different conditions
can yield three different results. Complex impedances
go nutzo under some conditions.

The thing is, what works for a ham doesn't always work
so good for the scannist. It was that very point that
you and me argued over a couple of years ago with respect
to TV antennas mounted vertically.....for scanners. I
doubt any ham in reasonable possession of his faculties
would transmit through a TV antenna.... and thus would
logically think...not to receive, either. But TV beams
make great, highly directive, high gain scanner antennas.

That could be why you've never messed with OCF-dipoles,
as I doubt you'd ever transmit through one. But anyway,
lest we digress.....

> > Dipoles have a 2.15-dBi gain; 1/4-wave groundplanes can go
> > to 3-dBi or so; while half-wave groundplanes can hit 4-dBi.
> > And 5/8-wave groundplanes can nudge over 5-dBi. But as is
> > always the case, the greater the gain, the narrower the
> > bandwidth. There are exceptions (log-periodics, etc), but
> > not much in the omnidirectional realm.
>
> I would tend agree. The exception being when you co-phase numerous
> folded dipoles. I used to work for a company that made some very
> excellent 138-174MHz antennas with 8.5dBd (or better) right across the
> band. And the VSWR was less than 1.5:1 at any given frequency. It's
> basically comprised of four folded dipoles co-phased on a pole.

Ummmm, yeah, come to think of it, I did a three-state wide
repeater system in 1982 where some sites were configured
with an array of folded dipoles. Plumb forgot all about
them. I used yagis from DB Products for most of the
sites. But an occasional store-and-forward site sometimes
needed to collect data from several other sites around
the azimuth. Even used PASSIVE repeaters in a couple of cases.

> Speaking of wideband dipoles, I thought of another idea that I tried out
> in the beginning days of my scanning hobby. I took some long computer
> ribbon cables that a friend gave me and made a multi-band dipole. I
> didn't measure it at the time but it seemed to work pretty good! I'll
> attach a small picture showing a three-bander. FWIW, I know some Hams
> that use antennas like this for 40, 20 & 10m.

Some SWL'ers did something of that nature using rotator wire,
you know....the kind that has 5 or even 8 conductors. Only
they brought it around into a loop. Dubbed it the "Carpet Loop"
no less...because it could be laid under the carpet in the
living room or where ever......

But I don't think that one even behaved like a dipole, much less
looked like one. It was a tunable loop, as I recall.

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3048. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: GHansen <Glenn.Hansen@USA.NET>
Message-ID: <01bd5789$004b1aa0$1b0737a6@glenn>
Source record: 165834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net> wrote in article <35187456.6B5F@ibm.net>...
>
> Speaking of wideband dipoles, I thought of another idea that I tried out
> in the beginning days of my scanning hobby. I took some long computer
> ribbon cables that a friend gave me and made a multi-band dipole. I
> didn't measure it at the time but it seemed to work pretty good! I'll
> attach a small picture showing a three-bander. FWIW, I know some Hams
> that use antennas like this for 40, 20 & 10m.
>

Andy,

I made a similar multi-band dipole using 3/4 inch PVC pipe with the wire legs contained inside. The longest dipole is cut around 49 Mhz and the shortest 870 MHZ. There are a total of 7 legs. A PVC TEE is at the center and this is where the coax exits. Oh yea, it is mounted vertical. Works surprisingly well. Certainly does a better job on the 7 freqs it was cut for and quite a few others. Highly recommended for a DIY that wants to play with a cheap antenna. Certainly better than a whip!

3049. Realistic HTX-202 - 2 meter hand held VHS FM TRANCEIEVER Great Price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: stan26@unicomp.net
Message-ID: <351d57dc.366504@news.unicomp.net>
Source record: 165835

Realistic HTX-202 - 2 meter hand held VHS FM TRANCEIEVER
great shape, very little use, all parts, extra batery pack
Sells for $249.99 NEW I will let it go for $125.00 obo.
stan
stan26@unicomp.net
Irving, Tx

3050. Boston Med-Flight Freqs ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimmi@thecia.net
Message-ID: <6f9pfn$am8$1@usenet87.supernews.com>
Source record: 165836

I'm looking for the freqs for the Boston Med-Flight dispatch, can anyone help me out?

Thanks in Advance,
Jimmi

3051. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032502484200.VAA10347@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165837

Richard Kendrick sucked from ButtCheeks private parts:

>Toilet Boy?

>Toilet Boy

>Toilet Boy

>Toilet Boy

Do I hear a broken record?

Why doesn't this guy try something original. Cause he has no brain, it's on loan to ButtCheeks this week

What a shame, the boys who share a brain!!!

Luhooser!!!!

3052. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6f9ue1$9el$0@207.18.224.126>
Source record: 165838

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 12:17:34 -0800, _John *KA0SSF*
<ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org> wrote:

>> Entry level John. I said entry level. As in before code free
>> licensing, the level that most HAMS got into as their first
>> step was Novice. Now, the first level most HAMS get
>> into is TECH.
>
>YES! It is now FAR eaiser. Besides everything else I mentioned
>in my post, now the questions & answers for the test are available
>for anyone to review at any time. In the days prior (about when you
>were referencing) the question/answer pools WERE NOT available.
>
John, the question pools have been available since back in
the dick bash days. Long before the advent of No-Code
licensing. Long before.

>Rather than actually knowing the info, you can simply memorize the
>answers. :(

Just like you could before no-code licensing.

3053. Software FTV ver.1.0 can be used with Pro-51?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pathana@is3.nyu.edu
Message-ID: <6f9u1o$k7k$2@news.nyu.edu>
Source record: 165839

any one has luck to use software FTV ver. 1.0 with Pro-51 and simple
pc with a sound card?
thank u.

3054. Pro-51 What it can do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pathana@is3.nyu.edu
Message-ID: <6f9tv1$k7k$1@news.nyu.edu>
Source record: 165840

I have a Pro-51 handheld unit. What can be done with it:
1) is there any software I can run with this.
2) can my pc sound card works like an interface and ear-jack of my pro-51?
3) what can be heard; seen by Pro-51? morse code; weather satellite images?
4) what and where are the interfaces for Pro-51? thank u.

3055. Re: How do you adjust the squelch on a Minitor I ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6f9unn$9el$1@207.18.224.126>
Source record: 165841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.feedme

On 23 Mar 98 20:04:35 GMT, coffeeman@feedME wrote:

>Hi,I want to adjust the squelch on my Minitor I receiver.
>I am now using it with an external antenna and this causes
>the squelch to break,cause noise and annoy me.
>Any info would be great!

The prefered method for adjusting the squelch on the Minitor is
by using the squelch control.

Take the top off the pager, push the two circuit boards up from
the battery compartment, and looking at it as a sandwich, from the
edge, you will see either the end of the reeds on the side, or you
will be seeing a pot. Turn the pot to adjust the squelch.

3056. Mods for SC150?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tork <tork@cts.com>
Message-ID: <01bd57a1$ff41dea0$3b9dd8cc@tork.cts.com>
Source record: 165842

Are there any mods. for the Uniden SC150? Thanks for any help.
--
David Torkelson
KF6DGN
33.205 N 117.353 W&#65533;
Grid Square DM13
http://www.mirabilis.com/1588617
ICQ # 1588617

3057. MORE Scanning Listening Sites w/RealAudio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Meyers <hcs@communique.net>
Message-ID: <01bd57a6$33345fe0$a35270ce@default>
Source record: 165843

Found more scanning listening sites thru Jim Fordyce's
GREAT! Scanner Links. Use Your RealAudio Player 5.0
If you don't have it they'll let you download it free.

www.agt.net/public/gpnet/gpnet.html

Thanks Jim!

3058. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT - $250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fa27d$l90@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165844
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>
>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>been unmodified.
>>
>>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>>
>>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>>following:
>>
>>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>>* Original manual
>>* Original rubber antenna
>>
>>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!
>

3059. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35218c2d.4630735@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 165845
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal
>on? Or a way to modify them to do this.. im am talking about the ones
>they sell at radio trash and wal-mart.

You can't "listen" to WWVB the way you can with WWV/WWVH. Apparently the clock receives coded transmissions regarding the time.

Within the past day or two I read a message where someone found an atomic clock at Wally World. Well, they didn't find an ATOMIC clock, but they found one MARKED "Atomic Clock" that adjusted to WWVB. I mean, how would your neighbors feel if you had to set up a cesium reactor and dig a mile-circumference ditch in order to set up the magnetic guns?

3060. Windows digital audio recorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35196BDE.AE42E1B0@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165846
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I tried RecAll and unless you buy it it only lasts 30 Days (Unless you are
naughty and have a crack which i am told doesn't work)
try the "scanner recorder" it is much more friendly to the scanner and you dont
have to do major file conversions
the only thing that i have seen that RecAll does that scanner recorder does not
is play back files.

best of all scanner recorder is FREE not shareware or time limited
FREEWARE

The timestamps are neat too

Check out the Page
http://www.davee.com/scanrec.html

This is an independant eval of these programs

Thanks,

Jason Webb
The Orlando Trunktracking Page
http://members.tripod.com/~Orlandoscan

>

3061. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <351c6c18.1722012@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 165847
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>>Within the past day or two I read a message where someone found an atomic
>>clock at Wally World. Well, they didn't find an ATOMIC clock, but they found
>>one MARKED "Atomic Clock" that adjusted to WWVB. I mean, how would your
>>neighbors feel if you had to set up a cesium reactor and dig a
>>mile-circumference ditch in order to set up the magnetic guns?
>
>Oh come on! An a caesium clock fits in a 19 inch rack and is 10U high, a
>rubidium clock is a 6 inch cube. Having several of each at work I know.
>
>P.s. Wahat is "cesium", and why does it need a reactor?

"Cesium" is what the Wicked Witch yells to her Guards and Winged Monkeys
during the Climactic Castle Chase (CCC). Before the CCC, you will note the
use of an "hourglass" but I have no idear how long a time period was measured
by that specific device.

3062. Re: PROgramit & John M.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35197CB9.7E55@usa.net>
Source record: 165848
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have received a couple e-mails about this. So let me
answer NOW to avoid confusion, NO, I am NOT the "John M"
he refers to below>

I'm glad to be of assistance!

Chris Stankeviz wrote:
> I would also like to personally thank John M, creator of

3063. Re: Frequenices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: William McGuire <wmcguire@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <35196910.85F08D8@interlog.com>
Source record: 165849

Hi Dennis,

Try this site.

http://www.members.home.com/ontscan/

Bill

WILLIAM MCGUIRE
mailto:wmcguire@interlog.com
Port Charlotte FL
SUPPORT THE ORGAN DONOR PROGRAM

3064. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35197AAB.1706@usa.net>
Source record: 165850

OBFD wrote:

> Do they think that the postmaster@parg.org AKA mscott@somewhere.else REALLY
> gives a rip what a fellow parg member does?

Yea, postmaster/mscott called me at about 11 PM last night
asking me who this idiot "ttyler@mich.com" is. Apparently,
Tim sent him **57** messages (all in one day - yesterday)
bitching about me. What a fool. Now he said he will
create a routing in his e-mail refusing to accept e-mail
from Tim!

3065. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Todd L. Sherman" <afn09444@afn.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.A32.3.95.980325143155.248229A-100000@freenet2.afn.org>
Source record: 165851

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:

> Ferderal "privacy" laws would prevent any evidence from cordless phones from
> being used in court, so there would be little point in reporting this matter
> directly to the police. However, you could make an "anonymous" tip or simply
> call the police and say you are very suspicious of illegal activity (in this
> case, child abuse).

Hmm. You encouraged me to bring up something that I've been thinking about in reading this thread.

Actually, he's talking about listening in on BABY MONITORS, not cordless phones. But, while I'm aware that baby monitors are within the same bandspread as the cordless phones, and use some of the same channels...

The question is...are "baby monitors" specifically included in the listening ban? I don't _think_ they are. But I could be wrong.

I forget, myself. Been a while since I had to look up the law, personally. ;-)
Had to do with a particular kitty cat I USED to own which disappeared once evening. Neighbor was the culprit. Info was not useable because of how I obtained it - with a scanner listening to their portable phone, and they got away with it. Was actually two weeks after the Gingri...Ging...the Egotistical Numbnut Event.
Found out they'd shot my cat with a pellet gun for fun. They'd also been harrassing us by lobbing golf balls at our house and causing damage to it - as well as at other neighbors homes, and throwing drug paraphanalia (sp?) and trash in our back yard. Believe me, the police WANTED the information I had on them, but when the actual law was scrutinized, it was discovered it could not be used.
I had license plates for over 70 visiting vehicles that would come in cycles over a week), recordings of phone conversations regarding drug deals and drug meetings, confirmation and braggings on how they killed my cat, how it writhed and suffered ("it was standing up in our front yard just like a chipmonk and I took the gun and shot it through the head man! should have seen it! was so funny how it...[gory details of death removed]...I hid it and waited until after mom left the next morning for work and then I took it and threw it in the garbage can."), braggings about how they went into our garage years past and stole a toolbox containing old hand-tooled tools that used to belong to my great-great-grandfather - Civil War era hand-made tools). The information could have nailed the sadistic SOB, and his accompliss friend. But, because of the law, they got away with it.

Don't that beat all?

I should have said to hell with the consequences and reported it all anyway. Its kids like these who grow up thinking that killing animals is okay, that being sadistic to people is okay, who dream of "blowing people's heads off with a shotgun while they're tied, arms behind their back in a chair, wouldn't that be cool?!" as one recorded conversation goes - who are suddenly coming of teen-age and are now killing their own peers for stupid, meaningless, trivial and inconsequential little things in their own hometown schools.

Unlike Ging-whoever, I had a real cause to turn on that scanner and tune to those freqs -- if it ever came down to that. However, as it really was, it was an accident - I'd hit the wrong scanner bank button - the 0 instead of the 8 (wich on a BC-100XLT is right beneath the 8). It contained the portable phone freqs that I hadn't used in about a couple years. In that time listening to those freqs became a banned thing. :(

But yes, SIU wanted my information badly until we researched and discovered the current laws regarding scanning port. freqs.

Todd

/--\
| Todd L. Sherman/KB4MHH, Storm Evader - E-mail: afn09444@afn.org |
| -//- http://www.afn.org/~afn09444/ -\\- |
| Gainesville, Alachua County, Florida |
| Member: Alachua County SKYWARN (http://www.afn.org/~skywarn/) |
\--/

3066. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35197D09.20CD@usa.net>
Source record: 165852
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

How do you prove that I have lied?

Macaroon wrote:
> Sure you have - there's another example right here ! You just LIED again. FOOL!

3067. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35197C03.1467@usa.net>
Source record: 165853

Tim Tyler wrote:
> like he posted from them, forward his posting(s) on to
> webmaster@parg.org & mscott@teleport.com, and abuse@usa.net, so they're
> made aware of the tie-in.

Yea Tim it worked, they are aware.

(don't you remember, you did all this about a month ago also, plus
mailing
to the PARG president)

Last night at about 11 PM I got a call from mscott asking who the
idiot "ttyler@mich.com" is that sent him **57** e-mails in ONE
day bitching about me. He says he will put YOU in a killfile
(which is what YOU should do if I bother you that much you
dumbshit).

3068. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35197E32.454B@usa.net>
Source record: 165854
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hawke wrote:

> would you care to explain then why the originating host is cts?
>
> I have been lurking in here for some time, and I have just one opinion,
> that John Mackey can't tell the truth (and the headers below prove it)

You have NO idea what YOU are talking about!

Look at the -=PATH=- statment it DOES NOT start out as "CTS" as you
indicate. It appears as YOU are lying only to create trouble! I starts
at
sprint! (look to the far right for the beginning, NOT the left)

> _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
> Newsgroups:
> rec.radio.scanner, alt.radio.scanner
> Subject:
> Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts
> Date:
> Wed, 25 Mar 1998 00:03:30 -0800
> Organization:
> http://www.parg.org
> Path:
>news1.uswest.net!newsfeed1.uswest.net!su-news-feed4.bbnplanet.com!su-news-hub1.bbnplanet.
com!news.bbnplanet.com!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!not-for-mail

3069. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7nono.com
Message-ID: <351c6e5b.175598596@news.dancris.com>
Source record: 165855
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

>Mr King Kong:
>
>After insulting me privately, you come to the public net, and play a fucking
>victim. You are very stupid.
>
>As I told, an executive of this forum privately this morning, the price you
>are charging was too much, don't you have any heart at all, what about the
>newbies to this hobby? Money is not everything you fuckhead.
>

Mommy, what is a motherfucker? What is fuck? Why is this jerk using
profanity when it is totally unnecessary?
>He agreed with me in private that it was too steep, that he does not believe
>you are talking in terms of US $.
>
>I said it must be US $ becuase I asked you politely was it HK $, and you kept
>quiet.
>
>Motherfucker. Someone offered me $650 for it, I was not the one trying to sell
>an AOR3000A without a box for $800 - what a stupid thing to do? screaming
>mint, does not take away the fact that eqpt is too steep in price.
>
>I'll say take the $650, and run your fucking ass to the bank. Asshole. I still
>reckon $650 is $150 too steep, but some might just love this radio so much to
>fork out an extra $150 for it.
>
>It is greediness to play on that likeness.
>
>Asshole. Just don't ever send me again one of your stupid private mails, or
>I'l wrink your neck.
>
>Motherfucker. I can give you $800 free, if that is your fucking problem -
>Asshole.
>
>AOR3000A was launched almost 3-4 years ago, and there are newer and better
>models out now, how the fuck can anyone justify $800? Did they actally give
>you the money for it. Good for justifcation ehn?
>
>Please lets face reality here, you guys are just fucking pissing me off now.
>
>
>

>In article <6f8ifs$1e8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
> bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>>
>> Obviously Mr. Owodunni does not know the value of radio equipment. It
>> could be an honest mistake with him confusing the 3000A with the 3000,
>> or is it simply a malicious attempt by him to play price police
>> because of his ignorance and lack of funds to ever buy anything on
>> this newsgroup other than a pack of batteries.
>>
>> In any event, those of you who know radios, know full well that an
>> AOR-3000A can still be had (blocked) at a brand new price of $1199.
>> Therefore, an unblocked used 3000A should warrant an asking price of
>> $800. I'm further encouraged by the fact that I've received several
>> e-mails from you folks on this newsgroup that $800 is a fair asking
>> price for this fine rig.
>>
>> So, I hereby ask all of you to please join me in relaying an
>> appropriate message to Mr. Owodunni that his unsolicited comments are
>> upappreciated, and of course, ignore his additions to any adverts
>> posted on this newsgroup. Remember, he could do the same to you one
>> day. Thank you and have a nice day.
>>
>> MR. OWODUNNI, AS I INDICATED, THE CHOICE OF LANGUAGE YOU USED IN A
>> PERSONNEL E-MAIL MESSAGE TO ME IS INDICATIVE OF YOUR LIMITED
>> INTELLIGENCE. PLEASE TAKE THIS AS A STERN SUGGESTION TO "GO AWAY."
>> ITS "HIGH MAINTENANCE" INDIVIDUALS LIKE YOUSELF THAT DRAIN THE
>> RESOURCES OF OUR SOCIAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE SYSTEMS. HAVE A GOOD DAY.
>> On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 06:37:53 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>>
>> >It shouldn't be more than $500.00.
>> >
>> >second hand is second-hand, forget the mint crap.
>> >
>> >
>> >In article <6f6m17$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
>> > bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>> >>
>> >>
>> >> >I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>> >> >imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>> >> >the radio has never been used outdoors.
>> >> >
>> >> >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>> >> >to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>> >> >following:
>> >> >
>> >> >* Software and computer cable
>> >> >* AC adaptor
>> >> >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>> >> >* Telescopic whip antenna

>> >> >
>> >> >I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>> >> >shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
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>> >
>> >------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>> >http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
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>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3070. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6fbofj$5dm@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 165856
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

"Hans Holm" (hholm@istar.ca) writes:
> Darrell A. Larose wrote in message <6f8st5$ag9@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>>Isn't legal language wonderful??? IMHO it is vague enough that charges
>>could be filed, if there was a compelling reason to. In Canada our
>>communications agency is so under funded, and over worked they can only
>>respond to a serious occurance (like someone causing interference to
>>law enforcement or ATC...) Yes the law exists, buried deep within the
>>Criminal Code of Canada, and the Radiotelecommunications Act. But owning
>>a cell capable scanner is legal, as long as it can recieve other
> frequencies
>>ie; weather, marine ham et al. So if the scanner is full spectrum there
>>really a problem. If the device only recieved cell it may be illegal.
>>
>>
> If this law does exist somewhere deep down in the Canadian criminal code
> then could you please back up your statement.
>
>>So if the scanner is full spectrum there
>>really a problem. If the device only received cell it may be illegal.
>
> I have yet to see any law that would even remotely suggest that it would be
> illegal to own such a device, unless it could be proven that that device was
> used maliciously, for gain, or the device had some kind of descrambler
> connected to it. The way that I understand this act, any kind of descrambler
> attached to your scanner would be illegal in Canada. Does this sound
> correct?
>
I can't recall the full URL, but there is an on-line search at the Canada
Justice Department's WEbsite (http://canada.justice.gc.ca) follow the
links to the "laws" link. This would be in Section 46, of the Criminal
Code of Canada. Search terms would be intercepting of telephone or of
telecommunications. Yes descambling of scrambled communications is also
covered under Her Majesty's Laws of the Land...

Dave's NF2G scannist pages does have some links at the URL:
http://www.ggw.org/nf2g/canada_index.html

3071. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3519778D.278@usa.net>
Source record: 165857
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

YOU are the LIAR because I have a recent e-mail from Bill Cheek to prove it!

How pathetic YOU are!

Macaroon wrote:
> How come when I tried to send you mail just now, it got returned?
> "No such user jmackey@usa.net on this system"

3072. NEW UBC9000XLT unblocked $312

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn <martyn@intecc.co.uk>
Message-ID: <351981e0.0@norbert.cerbernet.co.uk>
Source record: 165858

Special Deal price from Multicomm 2000 UNBLOCKED Uniden UBC9000XLT's

Please feel free to visit our web site at http://www.multicomm2000.com

We ship world-wide FAST

Sorry if we have offended anyone by our advertising

3073. AOR8000 New, Unblocked, $395

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn <martyn@intecc.co.uk>
Message-ID: <351982c5.0@norbert.cerbernet.co.uk>
Source record: 165859

Special Deal price from Multicomm 2000 UNBLOCKED AOR 8000's Please feel
free to visit our web site at http://www.multicomm2000.com
We ship world-wide FAST
Sorry if we have offended anyone by our advertising

3074. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: hazmat910@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032522060801.RAA17242@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165860

Baby monitors ARE included in the laws.

In article <Pine.A32.3.95.980325143155.248229A-100000@freenet2.afn.org>, "Todd L. Sherman" <afn09444@afn.org> writes:

>
>> Ferderal "privacy" laws would prevent any evidence from cordless phones
>from
>> being used in court, so there would be little point in reporting this
>matter
>> directly to the police. However, you could make an "anonymous" tip or
>simply
>> call the police and say you are very suspicious of illegal activity (in
>this
>> case, child abuse).
>
> Hmm. You encouraged me to bring up something that I've been thinking
>about in reading this thread.
>
> Actually, he's talking about listening in on BABY MONITORS, not cordless
>phones. But, while I'm aware that baby monitors are within the same
>bandspread as the cordless phones, and use some of the same channels...
>
> The question is...are "baby monitors" specifically included in the
>listening ban? I don't _think_ they are. But I could be wrong.

3075. Request for Texas Frequency Listing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <dminnick@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <6fc087$59q$1@nnrp1>
Source record: 165861

If anyone has a frequency listing for Travis and/or Williamson Counties in Texas (police, fire, emergency, etc.), please send them to me. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.
Regards,
David Minnick

3076. Re: PROgramit & John M.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35198eef.1363597@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165862
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 13:52:57 -0800, _John *KA0SSF*
<jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net> wrote:

>I have received a couple e-mails about this. So let me
>answer NOW to avoid confusion, NO, I am NOT the "John M"
>he refers to below>
>
>I'm glad to be of assistance!
>
>
>Chris Stankeviz wrote:
>> I would also like to personally thank John M, creator of

Oh I'm sure anyone could confuse you two..

3077. trunktracker, Alinco DR-130 2M mobile and GE-PCS edacs radio for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Thorpe <no@spamjerk.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5843$0abaa860$0db584cc@jack>
Source record: 165863
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Uniden trunktracker scanner for sale. $175.00. Perfect condition including the box and manuals.

I also have a Alinco DR-130 2M mobile rig for sale. Asking $200.00 for this unit. In good shape. Comes with mounting bracket and appropriate plugs. Also comes with radio shack magnet mount mobile antenna

GE-PCS radio for sale. Will work with EDACS systems. Have this programmed for Denver Co and Westminster CO, receive only. This is a hobby radio for me. Will sell for $400.00 firm.

Will sell all radios at once or one at a time. If you're interested, please email me at

N0VLD@yahoo.com

for those of you who don't know. the 0 in N0VLD is a zero, just incase you're not familiar with ham callsigns.

Jack

3078. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35198BBC.D4AE530D@eden.com>
Source record: 165864
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WB5SXK wrote:

> >Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal
> >on?
>
> There is really nothing to listen to. It is data and is decoded to set the
> clock.
> Bill Ford, WB5SXK
> Systems Administrator
> City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
> Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
> Email: wb5sxk@amsat.org

Oh, i thought the WWVB and WWWH or whatever the call signs are were
all the
same,
where you can hear the computerized man saying the time, "At the tone
zero
hours, twenty-three minutes, coordinated universal time." So there are
two
different types of signals? A data type signal and a voice signal? Tell
me if i
have it right, if so where can i get a cheap receiver to get the voice
transmissions? I have and OLD OLD world band radio and can tune into 10
MHz,
but that radio is so old it take about 15 minutes to tune it and if you
move it
it loses the signal. Thanks

3079. MOBITEX HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOSPAM remove XX to reamail <telecom@deal-maker.com>
Message-ID: <35183C39.5117@deal-maker.com>
Source record: 165865

Hallo,

How to remove the hex dump in screen of mobitex,
also looking voor ini file within the program.

Some tekst I cant read,
they use also different control bytes,
how to change that ?

Or any advice to let the program running proper,
will be welcom.

Many thanks and greatings.

Jan.
NL

3080. New WC Dispatcher Channel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam.n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <NoSpam.n9jig-ya023080002503981719120001@news.theramp.net>
Source record: 165866

The Wisconsin Central is now using 160.215 as a Dispatcher channel on the
Chicago Sub from Trevor WI to River Grove IL. 161.295 is still used for
Road purposes. 160.215 is called "Channel 9"

WC Radio Layout is:
1 160.785 Road West
2 160.260 M/W, Chit Chat
3 161.295 Road East
4 160.335 Terminal Operations
5 160.845 Yard (NFDL)
6 161.070 Yard
7 161.250 Yard (Green Bay)
8 161.385 Yard (Green Bay)
9 160.215 Dispatcher (Chicago Sub)

Channel uses vary around the system.

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* Rich Carlson, N9JIG (n9jig@theramp.net) *

Illinois Highway Page: http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html

3081. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "MR. JERRY HENRY KACPRZYCKI" <theoldbrooklynkid@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fc4cj$2fe@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165867
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jose Cuervo wrote:
>
> Is there an atomic clock/radio that you can listen to the WWVB signal
> on? Or a way to modify them to do this.. im am talking about the ones
> they sell at radio trash and wal-mart.
> If not, where can i get a cheap receiver just for this purpose or plans
> to build one?
> Any help appreciated... thanks
I DO NOT KNOW 'BOUT WWVB BUT WWV CAN BE FOUND
ON 2.500, 5.000, 10.000. 15.000. & 20.000 MEGACYCLES
--
ATTENTION, ATTENTION: BECOME A SYWARN WEATHER VOLUNTEER
WITH YOU LOCAL WEATHER OFFICE!!!!

3082. Help identify this signal...?? - unknown.wav (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: cfortner@netrover.com
Message-ID: <35199475.297129@news.netrover.com>
Source record: 165868
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Can anyone identify what this signal is?? I am receiving it on
901.850 Mhz in Southwestern Ontario, Canada.....

Thanks!!

3083. Re: Atomic Clock Radios (WWV Info Web Page)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6fc52a$l1l@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165869
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Get all the info on this web page:

http://www.boulder.nist.gov/timefreq/wwv/wwv.html

David M. Hitchner - dmhitchner@worldnet.att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
-
ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

3084. Re: Help identify this signal...?? - unknown.wav (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <3519A94A.874028A5@mcn.org>
Source record: 165870
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

You're supposed to attach the attached file, dummy. I hear a funny
signal up there too. I think it's for cell routing or something.

Chris Fortner wrote:

> Can anyone identify what this signal is?? I am receiving it on
> 901.850 Mhz in Southwestern Ontario, Canada.....
>
> Thanks!!

3085. Re: Help identify this signal...?? - unknown.wav (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <3519AA5A.95CEC54B@mcn.org>
Source record: 165871
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Either way, it's the same signal.

Chris Fortner wrote:

> Can anyone identify what this signal is?? I am receiving it on
> 901.850 Mhz in Southwestern Ontario, Canada.....
>
> Thanks!!

3086. EDACS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "MR. JERRY HENRY KACPRZYCKI" <theoldbrooklynkid@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fc8ll$s61@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165872

EVERYONCE ONCE IN A WHILE I SEE A REFERENCE TO EDACS.
WHAT DO THE INITIALS E.D.A.C.S. STAND FOR?
THANK YOU.
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ATTENTION, ATTENTION: BECOME A SKYWARN WEATHER VOLUNTEER
WITH YOU LOCAL WEATHER OFFICE!!!!

3087. FS:PRO-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Art <ka3fmo@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <3519D019.67332C44@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 165873

I have for sale, only 3 months old, the Radio Shack PRO-2042 base scanner. Only used it a few times.....excellent condition...with box, receipt, everything that came with scanner.
Purchased the Bearcat BC895XLT, so no use for the PRO-2042 really. Paid $400 for PRO-2042. Will sell for $350 and I will ship insured.

Art
ka3fmo@sprintmail.com

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73's, Art
Internet: ka3fmo@erols.com
Packet : ka3fmo@ka3fmo.#sepa.pa.usa.noam
KA3FMO BBS IP Address: 209.122.45.156

3088. Re: Help identify this signal...?? - unknown.wav (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3519AD09.A9749132@eden.com>
Source record: 165874
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Chris Fortner wrote:

> Can anyone identify what this signal is?? I am receiving it on
> 901.850 Mhz in Southwestern Ontario, Canada.....
>
> Thanks!!
>
What do you hear on this frequency? That might help...

3089. Base Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3519ADA5.63A536F0@eden.com>
Source record: 165875
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have a few handheld scanners, and want to get a good base station scanner.
I hear so much about radio Shacks Pro-20XX's, whats the best/worst...
And what about other companies? ... Also are there any base scanners that can recieve 1-1Ghz? all of the scanners i have now start at 30 Mhz, i am missing out on all the lower bands... thanks

3090. FS Standard HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fc6qtsbe1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165876

C528A 2meter/440 comes with quick desk charger, 2 nicad battery, and a cigarett adapter. Recieves and transmitts on 100-180mhz, and 320-479mhz. Also recieves 820-979mhz countinuous. I'm asking $250 dollars. Good condition. Thanks. mgdforty@webtv.net

3091. Pro 2005 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fc971sem1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165877
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I want to use this scanner for my car and i want to know is can i cut the AC cord and hook it up directly to my car or do i need to buy a DC cord from radio shack and plug it from the back of the DC out put?Also, what antenna can i use to get the most of this radio for my car? Thanks. mgdforty.webtv.net

3092. Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner originating from Rockwell Automation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Eisner <boei@trifox.com>
Message-ID: <3519B2A8.260E@trifox.com>
Source record: 165878
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

Hi All,

It appears that someone from Rockwell Automation has issued
a series of Rogue Cancels in the rec.radio.scanner and
alt.radio.scanner News groups AGAIN!!!

Who ever is doing it appears to be using a Patch version of
Netscape which seems to allow cancels of articles that don't
match to From User ID. This very strange???

It appears that this Rogue has cancelled several Aricles tbat
were posted from the following ISPs:

harborcom.net
aol.com
imcnet.net
ispnews.com
uswest.net
dejanews.com
cei.net
erols.com
bellsouth.net
bellglobal.com
earthlink.net
sprintnet.net
wordlnet.att.net
netcom.com

Anyway, these are the headers that I came across this evening:

Path:
moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!sunqbc.risq.qc.ca!newsfeed.atl.be
llsouth.net!uunet!in3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <Pine.SOL.3.91.980319103631.19211A-100000@sirius>
Control: cancel <Pine.SOL.3.91.980319103631.19211A-100000@sirius>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:20:37 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc72h$45l1@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <Pine.SOL.3.91.980319103631.19211A-100000@sirius>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218

Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!ais.net!newsm.ibm.net!ibm.net!uun
et!in3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups:
alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,scott@harborcom,pjgreene@harborcom.
net
Subject: cmsg cancel <3510DBE0.FBD01D70@harborcom.net>
Control: cancel <3510DBE0.FBD01D70@harborcom.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:20:59 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc736$45l2@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <3510DBE0.FBD01D70@harborcom.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
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et!in3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <1998031914063201.JAA03337@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998031914063201.JAA03337@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:21:07 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc73e$45l3@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <1998031914063201.JAA03337@ladder01.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
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rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <3510B503.CC30D39C@imcnet.net>
Control: cancel <3510B503.CC30D39C@imcnet.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:21:45 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc74l$47l2@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <3510B503.CC30D39C@imcnet.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

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rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <6eupedlqo1@news5.ispnews.com>
Control: cancel <6eupedlqo1@news5.ispnews.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:22:02 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc756$47l3@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <6eupedlqo1@news5.ispnews.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

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news-spur1.maxwell.syr.edu!news.maxwell.syr.edu!Supernews60!supernews.com!uunet!in3.uu.net
!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <3511D548.575B@slkc.uswest.net>

Control: cancel <3511D548.575B@slkc.uswest.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:22:39 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc76a$47l4@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <3511D548.575B@slkc.uswest.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
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u.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <6eqfut$u56$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Control: cancel <6eqfut$u56$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:23:02 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc772$47l5@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <6eqfut$u56$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
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n3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <MPG.f7bb8983efffb5c989680@news.cei.net>
Control: cancel <MPG.f7bb8983efffb5c989680@news.cei.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:25:21 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7bc$47l6@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <MPG.f7bb8983efffb5c989680@news.cei.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0

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rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups:
rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateu
r.misc
Subject: cmsg cancel <35121F94.1275@bellsouth.net>
Control: cancel <35121F94.1275@bellsouth.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:25:29 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7bk$47l7@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <35121F94.1275@bellsouth.net>
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From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <35124D22.8735842F@erols.com>
Control: cancel <35124D22.8735842F@erols.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:25:39 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7bu$45l4@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <35124D22.8735842F@erols.com>
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From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <6eta9gsqu2@newsbell.bellglobal.com>
Control: cancel <6eta9gsqu2@newsbell.bellglobal.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:25:48 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7c7$45l5@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <6eta9gsqu2@newsbell.bellglobal.com>
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kwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <1998032012365401.HAA25449@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032012365401.HAA25449@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:25:52 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7cc$45l6@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <1998032012365401.HAA25449@ladder01.news.aol.com>
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rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <1998032012544101.HAA29202@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032012544101.HAA29202@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:26:00 -0500

Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7cj$45l7@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <1998032012544101.HAA29202@ladder03.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
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.com!uunet!in3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <3512716E.EDD@earthlink.net>
Control: cancel <3512716E.EDD@earthlink.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:26:04 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7co$45l8@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <3512716E.EDD@earthlink.net>
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rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <1998032014334000.JAA06859@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032014334000.JAA06859@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:26:09 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7ct$45l9@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <1998032014334000.JAA06859@ladder01.news.aol.com>
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mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <35134DBE.128F@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Control: cancel <35134DBE.128F@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:26:15 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7d3$45l10@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <35134DBE.128F@paNOSPAMrg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
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unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <6f0mqd$b0$0@207.18.224.60>
Control: cancel <6f0mqd$b0$0@207.18.224.60>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:26:22 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7da$45l11@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <6f0mqd$b0$0@207.18.224.60>
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54!uunet!in3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <351369cc.4376369@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Control: cancel <351369cc.4376369@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:26:27 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7df$45l12@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <351369cc.4376369@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
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X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

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rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <3514b9c6.3618459@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Control: cancel <3514b9c6.3618459@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:26:30 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7di$45l13@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <3514b9c6.3618459@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
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X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

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rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <351391FA.7FAD@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Control: cancel <351391FA.7FAD@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:26:37 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation

Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7do$45l14@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <351391FA.7FAD@paNOSPAMrg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
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bbnplanet.com!uunet!in3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <6eu0bn$8cu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Control: cancel <6eu0bn$8cu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:26:50 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7e6$45l15@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <6eu0bn$8cu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
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unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <1998032113385600.IAA28896@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032113385600.IAA28896@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:27:19 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7f3$45l16@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <1998032113385600.IAA28896@ladder01.news.aol.com>
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rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <6eu1uk$3el@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Control: cancel <6eu1uk$3el@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:27:36 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7fk$45l17@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <6eu1uk$3el@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
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bbnplanet.com!uunet!in3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <6eu3gl$l8e@fridge.shore.net>
Control: cancel <6eu3gl$l8e@fridge.shore.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:27:44 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7fr$47l8@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <6eu3gl$l8e@fridge.shore.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
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in@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <3513e31b.4418969@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Control: cancel <3513e31b.4418969@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:27:47 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7fv$47l9@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <3513e31b.4418969@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
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rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <35129d2d.15743447@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Control: cancel <35129d2d.15743447@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:28:01 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7gd$45l18@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <35129d2d.15743447@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
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3093. Help decoding Uniden manufacture date

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Vieth <vieths@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3519A7A8.90D62EF0@ameritech.net>
Source record: 165879

Hi:

I've got a SportCat 150 (yellow, if you interested) that has a manufacture
code of "0DID". Can anyone help me decode this?

The reason I'm asking is that I had my SportKitty running next to my brand
new BC895XLT and one of them was picking up cell phone calls in
the neighborhood of 900MHz.

Since I purchased the SportKitty about a year ago, I knew it could pick
up phone conversations but I didn't think it was anything special. But now
I'm running it side-by-side with my 895XLT and the 895 isn't picking
up a damn thing in the 900 MHz range.

I'm thinking that I got a SportKitty that was manufactured before the
cellular ban went into effect. Maybe this particular radio sat on the
shelf at Best Buy for quite a long time before I bought it last Summer?

I can't think of any other reasons that would explain why my SC150 can
pick up a ton of conversations and the 895 gets nothing. I even monkeyed
with the antennas on both radios. The SC150 can still monitor phone conversations
even with it antenna disconnected!

Can anyone explain why the SC150 is picking up calls and the 895 is
drawing a blank?

-Scott

3094. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3519C34B.7A5C@usa.net>
Source record: 165880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Be careful who YOU are talking to CHUMP!

cipher wrote:
> Talking about you, chump.

3095. Re: Software FTV ver.1.0 can be used with Pro-51?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barun Gupta <barun@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fcel4$6jd@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165881

o-o wrote:
>
> any one has luck to use software FTV ver. 1.0 with Pro-51 and simple
> pc with a sound card?
> thank u.
I am a newbie to digital radio and have experimented with a couple of software programs. First of all I am using a SONY 2010, a regular old PC with a soundblaster compatible sound card with the microphone placed close to the Sony's speaker. A very basic setup. I have tried FTV, WEFAX and BTL and the only one that I have had any success with is BTL.

BTL is only good for RTTY. I have on several occassions been able to decode RTTY signals in the 7080-7090 and 14080-14090 bands at 45/170. These are mostly hams. I have spent hours trying other frequencies/baud/shift but with no luck. BTL seems to be a very sensitive program producing stuff even when the mike is some distance from the speaker. It is easy to use. I usually set the baud/shift to 45/170 and tune around. If I hear anything that remotely sounds like the RTTP diddle, I tune the center freq up/down a little bit till i get the typical bars that are equidistant from the center and voila the garbage on the screen turns into recognizable words.

If you know of a strategy or a way to get anything other than hams on the 40 m and 20 m bands please let me know. I am keen on being able to do that.

FTV supposedly can handle FAX, SSTV, RTTY and MORSE. Forget about morse. RTTY is also not very good. It only has a clumsy setting for baud. god alone knows what it does for the Shift and the only tuning has to be done on your radio - that means you need a real good radio. Also it does not seem to be too sensitive. I have not been able to decode even one station with FTV. Maybe I am not using it properly - but the instructions don't help a lot - at least for a newbie. Now, with FAX/SSTV, I would not be able to identify the sound if I heard it. I have tried for hours to get anything that remotely resembles something taht is not noise but with no luck. If you have any luck with FTV please let me know as I would like to be able to decode FAX/SSTV.

3096. Re: MOBITEX HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <3519C7C8.9E5299EF@eden.com>
Source record: 165882

NOSPAM remove XX to reamail wrote:

> Hallo,
>
> How to remove the hex dump in screen of mobitex,
> also looking voor ini file within the program.
>
> Some tekst I cant read,
> they use also different control bytes,
> how to change that ?
>
> Or any advice to let the program running proper,
> will be welcom.
>
> Many thanks and greatings.
>
> Jan.
> NL

Try reading the docs or the online help when you add the command line
"/?".

3097. Directional gain Antena needed for 40-50Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Ceraldi <ceraldi@albany.net>
Message-ID: <6fchdh$ha4$1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 165883

I am in need of a high gain receive only antenna for the 40-50Mhz range (a dipole or beam would be fine)
any suggestions?
thanks,
Aaron Ceraldi

3098. Re: Help identify this signal...?? - unknown.wav (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam.n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <NoSpam.n9jig-ya023080002503982238210001@news.theramp.net>
Source record: 165884
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Sounds like a data signal from a cellular type system. With all the new data and voice systems out there nowadays, it could belong to one of many different services. Also, if it originates from Canada it makes it more difficult to pin down due to the less information available as to users of specific freqs in that range.

In article <35199475.297129@news.netrover.com>, cfortner@netrover.com (Chris Fortner) wrote:

> Can anyone identify what this signal is?? I am receiving it on
> 901.850 Mhz in Southwestern Ontario, Canada.....
>
> Thanks!!

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* Rich Carlson, N9JIG (n9jig@theramp.net) *

Illinois Highway Page: http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html

3099. Re: Pro 2005 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam.n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <NoSpam.n9jig-ya023080002503982243080001@news.theramp.net>
Source record: 165885
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

I have removed the AC cords from all of my 2004/5/6 scanners (all 8 of them) and on some I installed a plug/socket arrangement. Since I power all my radios from a single 12VDC power supply in the shack, the AC cords are not needed.

The 2005 uses a small coaxial power cord for 12VDC, and that can be had at the local Radio Shack. Check the polarity and be sure the cord has the center tip as Positive.

I prefer the AS Mon-51 due to its superb low band covereage and good coverage on other bands. I end up with VHF 1/4 waves though due to low clearence in the garage, and 95% of my listening in the VHF highband...

In article <6fc971sem1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>, mgdforty@webtv.net (Reservoir Dogs) wrote:

> --WebTV-Mail-261866692-5963
> Content-Type: TEXT/PLAIN; CHARSET=US-ASCII
> Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7BIT
>
> I want to use this scanner for my car and i want to know is can i cut
> the AC cord and hook it up directly to my car or do i need to buy a DC
> cord from radio shack and plug it from the back of the DC out put?Also,
> what antenna can i use to get the most of this radio for my car?
> Thanks. mgdforty.webtv.net
>
> --WebTV-Mail-261866692-5963
> Content-Description: signature
> Content-Disposition: INLINE
> Content-Type: TEXT/HTML; CHARSET=US-ASCII
> Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7BIT
>
>
> "http://forsite.net/kimh/mar/xfile.wav">
>
> --WebTV-Mail-261866692-5963--

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3100. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Communications <communications@whitleynet.org>
Message-ID: <3519cf0d.0@news.ctlnet.com>
Source record: 165886

As a police dispatcher I will give you my "spin" on your situation, take it for what it is worth...

Call your local police dept and tell them what has happened, and don't leave your name. We get anonymous reports all the time where I work. We like to know the name of the reporting party, but don't always get it. You may be told "we need your name for the report, it wont be given out to anyone..." or "we cant act on your complaint without your name...", don't buy it.

Taking care of these matters is always much easier when we have the name of the calling party, but as public servants we also have a duty to investigate crime and protect the public. Any police department that did not act on an anonymous complaint of serious child abuse is just asking for trouble. Obviously I cant guarantee what would happen for sure, but I'm pretty confident your police would at least look into it.

Step two: notify your local welfare or families and children office of the same thing. Do this right after you call the police. Don't give them your name either, unless you want to.

CALL BOTH THE POLICE AND WELFARE. Trust me. It will actually get looked into if you do.

And dot feel guilty for listening to your neighbor's transmissions. If they didn't want their privacy violated, they should not have put a transmitter on open carrier in their home. period. You are not guilty of anything more than what thousands of police officers do every day. I know of several instances where baby monitors and cordless phones were used to gain "probable cause" of further investigation. The use of their scanners in the squad car for eavesdropping was not used in court as evidence. Thus the difference between "evidence" and "probable cause". I was even personally involved in an incident, quite similar to yours, where a neighbor heard a child being abused on here cordless phone when she picked it up. I was called from off duty to use radio direction finding equipment to locate the baby monitor which was on the same frequency as the calling parties cordless phone. Those people were convicted of child abuse, and I was called to testify about my part in locating the defendants home. Not once was the FCC or any federal privacy act brought up in court.

P.S.: A tip on remaining anonymous when you call ANYONE. You may have caller I.D. in your area. If this is the case, or if you don't know, look in the front of your phone book, in the Custom Calling Options section, for "Caller ID Block", "Per Call Block", or "Privacy Calling". Federal law mandates telephone companies to provide this service. It will give you a short number to dial, something like "*67", before you dial the number to the police or welfare office. And just incase you didn't realize it, you don't have to

subscribe to Caller ID for it to work on calls from you.

P.P.S: I have worked as a public safety dispatcher for over ten years. I have been a "scanner head" for much longer than that. Just for the record, there are some people in the public safety and law enforcement fields who believe in and support the rights of scanner owners.

Jim Weidner wrote in message <6f4k1m$5qv$1@news10.ispnews.com>...
>HYPOTHETICAL "FER INSTANCE" ---
>Suppose I am able to hear my neighbor's babysitting monitor on 49 MHz
or/and
>their cordless fone on 46 MHz and I hear them abusing their infant? If I
>report it (as required, I believe, by my state's laws), am I in violation
of
>Federal privacy laws.
>I want NO trouble with regard to this inasmuch as I have a responsible
>positon within my community and am fairly well known locally.
>
>(My lawyer has no expertise in this area --- assuming I had no lawyer
>for this
>HYPOTHETICAL example....)
>
>
>

3101. FORT WALTON AND AREA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: SMOKEY AND THE BANDIT <theoldbrooklynkid@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fcigm$r6d@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165887

LOOKING FOR CURRENT AND UP TO DATE FREQUENCIES FOR FORT WALTON BEACH,
AND SURROUNDING COUNTY FOR A FRIEND WHO DOES NOT HAVE INTERNET ACCESS.
PLEASE E-MAIL THEM TO ME. THANKS.
FORT WALTON IS IN FLORIDA.
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ATTENTION, ATTENTION: BECOME A SKYWARN WEATHER VOLUNTEER
WITH YOU LOCAL WEATHER OFFICE!!!!

3102. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner originating from Rockwell Automation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert H. Eisner" <rheisner@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fcmth$ll0@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165888

WRONG!!!

I'm currently compiling a list of Cancelled posts and several
of them are about SCANNING!!!

AzraelBoy wrote:
>
> >From: Bob Eisner <boei@trifox.com>
> >Date: Wed, Mar 25, 1998 20:43 EST
> >Message-id: <3519B2A8.260E@trifox.com>
> >
> >Hi All,
> >
> >It appears that someone from Rockwell Automation has issued
> >a series of Rogue Cancels in the rec.radio.scanner and
> >alt.radio.scanner News groups AGAIN!!!
>
> So what? The messages she cancelled were not about scanning anyhow.
>
> You should be glad.
>
> AB
>
> "Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3103. FS: Bearcat BC2500XLT scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim - KD6DX <sakane@wco.com>
Message-ID: <6fcodliub1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 165889

The BC2500XLT scanner has been used very little and is in very good condition. I purchased the scanner new from Scanner Unlimited, near San Francisco, and had them perform their unrestricted frequency modification at the time. The scanner steps the proper 30 kHz channel spacing

Uniden BC-2500XLT
1) Scanner, excellent condition
2) Original box, excellent condition
3) Leather Case, excellent condition
4) Flex Antenna, excellent condition
5) 4 or 5 dead Battery packs, poor condition
6) Charger, excellent condition
7) Asking $250 + Shipping

Last year I purchased a new battery pack from Scanner Unlimited and it too is currently dead. This sort of proves three things.
1) the batteries are still available.
2) I don't use the scanner enough to maintain my batteries
3) Bearcat makes poor battery packs.

The BC2500XLT is a 400 channel, continuous band* scanner, 25 MHz to 1.3 GHz.
*Excludes UHF Television 551 MHz to 759 MHz, but includes all the other bands.
V.E.O. Control, 20 Banks, Turbo Scan, Auto-Weather and Auto-Store.

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Jim Sakane - KD6DX
sakane@wco.com
http://www.wco.com/~sakane/amateur.html

3104. Re: Pro-51 What it can do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: GregoryR <gregjr@teleNOSPAMport.com>
Message-ID: <6fcpvhikb1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 165890

No morse code. The pro-51 is AM and FM only. To hear Morse code, you'd need a CW mode. With CW, the transmitter sends an unmodulated transmission. To hear it, the receiver mixes in a second frequency very close to the first. The difference is in the frequencies is a modulation in the relm of human ears.

You could certainly direct the output from the earphone jack to the input on your sound card to capture sounds, however.

Greg

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****
Remove NOSPAM from address to reply
o-o wrote in message <6f9tv1$k7k$1@news.nyu.edu>...
>I have a Pro-51 handheld unit. What can be done with it:
>1) is there any software I can run with this.
>2) can my pc sound card works like an interface and
ear-jack of my
>pro-51?
>3) what can be heard; seen by Pro-51? morse code; weather
satellite
>images?
>4) what and where are the interfaces for Pro-51? thank u.
>
>

3105. Re: Pro-51 What it can do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <3519EF10.788339D@mcn.org>
Source record: 165891

No commercial radio, picks up some cell stuff at outsides of band.
Other regular stuff.

o-o wrote:

> I have a Pro-51 handheld unit. What can be done with it:
> 1) is there any software I can run with this.
> 2) can my pc sound card works like an interface and ear-jack of my
> pro-51?
> 3) what can be heard; seen by Pro-51? morse code; weather satellite
> images?
> 4) what and where are the interfaces for Pro-51? thank u.

3106. FS: SCOUT MODEL 40 NICE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Schwerdtman <Bob9000@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <3519CC28.B4D@concentric.net>
Source record: 165892
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Hi. I am selling my Scout model 40 version 3.1
Reaction tunes the AR8000 and others. Unit is in excellent condition and
comes with manual, Ac adaptor, DB32 stubby antenna, Custom carrying
case, and the cable that tunes the R-11 interceptor and Icom R-10
$225.00 including insured shipping. Postal money order up front.
Thanks
BOB
847-356-5665

3107. Re: How do I expand the BC-100xlt's memories?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <3519F730.1ED3@blarg.net>
Source record: 165893
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Chuck Meyer wrote:
> > How do I expand the BC-100xlt's memories to 200 channels?
>
> Amendment to my previous post: Some scanners don't have a RAM chip. All
> the memory is in the processor chip. These you can't expand.
> -- Chuck

That is true, but there are a many scanners out there that have
the cpu's abilities configured by a set of diodes or jumpers. These
enable cell, 800mhz reception, set's HF freqs to Euro or American, etc.
With a few scanners, one of these options are to control the max number
of stored freqs. Remember the Pro-2004's mod to add 100 channels?
I remember reading an article a while back talking about
expanding the 100xlt's memories (which uses the same CPU as the 200xlt,
which is a 200 channel scanner) to 200 channels. Now that I have a 100xlt
of my own, I'd like to do that, but can't find anywhere any info on this
mod.
Anyone know anything on this, or am I mistaken about this
particular scanner's abilities.

Remove the second, anti-spamming N from the
end of tdragon in my address to respond,
tdragonn@blarg.net

3108. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <3518b1a5.6835431@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 165894
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net> wrote:

>Speaking of wideband dipoles, I thought of another idea that I tried out
>in the beginning days of my scanning hobby. I took some long computer
>ribbon cables that a friend gave me and made a multi-band dipole. I
>didn't measure it at the time but it seemed to work pretty good! I'll
>attach a small picture showing a three-bander. FWIW, I know some Hams
>that use antennas like this for 40, 20 & 10m.

I once had a "spider dipole" that was cut for 75, 40, and 20 meters.
It also covered 15 on the third harmonic of the 40 meter wire. I fed
it with coax, and the wires were inverted V configuration that also
served as guy wires for a 50 ft. mast. Worked great. It'd also do
ten meters fairly well, but I had a better antenna on ten.

A ribbon cable dipole cut for a bunch of frequencies of interest
should work fair for scanning, too, but I've never tried it. Wouldn't
cost much to make, though.
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glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

3109. Re: Help a sailor smile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Darren L. Shields" <illiad@mw.idsonline.com>
Message-ID: <3519C000.60FBD904@mw.idsonline.com>
Source record: 165895
Cross-posted to: alt.military.police,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio-shack,local.valdosta.forsale,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Great Idea!!
I was with the 82nd Airborne Division in Saudi Arabia from Aug-Apr
during the war and I can vouch for the effect of a letter out of the blue
from a concerned American. I'd be glad to do my part now as someone did
their part for me when I was there. Keep up the good work

"HONORING THOSE WHO WOULD SERVE"

KB9RXG
Darren
82ND ABN DIV(Jun 88-Jun95)

Doug Quayle wrote:

> Hello! My name is Doug Quayle, and I've got a good buddy of mine on the
> U.S.S. John C. Stennis, our USN Aircraft Carrier presently floating in
> the Gulf, wishing he were wearing a GREEN uniform (hehehe).
>
> Anyway, playing the waiting game over there can't be all that fun, so
> all of the friends and family of the Stennis Battle Group that are on
> the net have decided to boost the morale of the boys & girls next
> month. We'd appreciate your support as well.
>
> We ask that you "snail" mail (i.e. via the disgruntled postal worker's
> union) a letter or a postcard to:
>
> Any Sailor
> U.S.S. John C. Stennis (CVN-74)
> FPO AE 09542-2874
>
> And mail this note ON APRIL 1st. The idea is to innundate the ship with
> mail over a 2-3 day period. Mail call to a sailor is usually a little
> more important than to those of us on dry land, so we figure it'll
> really make their day to hear some words of encouragement, support, or
> the latest Monica Lewinsky joke, from someone American.
>
> Our goal is to get a letter to EVERY sailor, and the Stennis is a BIG
> ship, so we need help.
>
> Thanks a bunch;
>
> d.q.

3110. Trunked Tracker Question !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfsay@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6feekn$i9m@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165496

I am thinking of purchasing a Bearcat TrunkTracker and where I live in West Orange, NJ the police are on a trunked system with four channels, and now I have them in the first bank of my Sportcat Radio and have to keep hitting scan real fast to track the conversation. Now , I know the Trunked tracker will be able to track the channels but West Orange also has this annoying noise that transmits constantly and my question is, will the tracker also eliminate this sound and is this normal with trunked systems ? Any help would be much appreciated
Please email me.

Thanks in advance,
Bob Sayers

3111. Re: Help identify this signal...?? - unknown.wav (1/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hoodoo@newnorth.net
Message-ID: <351aac86.13114471@news.newnorth.net>
Source record: 165497
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 23:38:14 GMT, cfortner@[snip].com (Chris Fortner)
wrote:

>
>begin 644 unknown.wav

You are a very ignorant ASSHOLE!!

3112. Re: Trunked Tracker Question !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032620585401.PAA04204@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165498

>Subject: Trunked Tracker Question !
>From: rfsay@worldnet.att.net (Bob S)
>Date: Thu, Mar 26, 1998 15:44 EST
>Message-id: <6feekn$i9m@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
>
>
You will find using a TT will enhance your listening greatly (and yes, say goodbye to the noise) as long as it is not a GE/Ericsson system, which a TT will not track. I have the BC895 and I recommend it highly.

3113. Pro 25 test mode frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <Scanman@SYMPATICO.CA>
Message-ID: <351AC263.35F1@SYMPATICO.CA>
Source record: 165499

Does anyone know if this scanner
has a test mode and what are the test
freqs? Cell?

3114. Re: Trunked Tracker Question !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcardani@erols.com
Message-ID: <351ac53d.29110060@news.tju.edu>
Source record: 165500

On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 15:44:03 -0500, rfsay@worldnet.att.net (Bob S)
wrote:

>I am thinking of purchasing a Bearcat TrunkTracker and where I live in
>West Orange, NJ the police are on a trunked system with four channels, and
>now I have them in the first bank of my Sportcat Radio and have to keep
>hitting scan real fast to track the conversation. Now , I know the Trunked
>tracker will be able to track the channels but West Orange also has this
>annoying noise that transmits constantly and my question is, will the
>tracker also eliminate this sound and is this normal with trunked systems
>? Any help would be much appreciated
> Please email me.
>
>Thanks in advance,
>Bob Sayers

Bob,

Unfortunately West Orange is a 4 channel Ericsson EDACS trunked system
and the Trunk Tracker will NOT be able to follow the conversations.
The Trunk Tracker only follows Motorola analog trunked radio systems.

Joe

3115. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <351AC550.C0D78EE0@ncia.net>
Source record: 165501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

BFD!!!You can get an AR8000 new,shipped for $404>>>check theis URL
http://www.multicomm2000.com/page3.htm

3116. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <351AC653.D7023493@ncia.net>
Source record: 165502
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

NEW AR8000,shipped $404>>>see the URL
http://www.multicomm2000.com/page3.htm

3117. EDACS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: SMOKEY AND THE BANDIT <theoldbrooklynkid@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6feicd$nh0@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165503

WHAT DOES E.D.A.C.S STAND FOR?
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ATTENTION, ATTENTION: BECOME A SYWARN WEATHER VOLUNTEER
WITH YOU LOCAL WEATHER OFFICE!!!!

3118. PRO-62 Fpr Ruger P-85 Sights

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: SKYHAWK <sky444@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fejbt$skn@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165504

I have a PRO-62 for trade for either a Ruger P-85 laser sight or possibly the B-Square mount and scope.......I also have a BC700A if we need to work a deal.......Also lookin for Ruger MKII 22LR accessories.....thanks,TOM

3119. Las Vegas N.V. ALL FREQ'S Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc7vqx@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032622204100.RAA16368@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165505

please if anyone has any info on all the freq's and pl's dl's for the
tx & rx freq's in the las vegas area

thank you

(e-mail) KC7VQX@aol.com

3120. Re: Base Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: lmgus@swbell.net
Message-ID: <351ad611.163810576@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 165506
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>The newest breed are the "stock" computer controlled radios...
>iCOM IC-PCR1000 & WiNRADiO WR-1000i. Both go from 500kHz to
>1300MHz but can only be used with a computer. The PCR1000 is
>a "black box" while the WR-1000i is an ISA card. Either will
>run you about $500.

Which is better the icom or winradio. and are these any better
than a regular (non computer) radio

3121. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032622351300.RAA18670@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165507

>Yeah, I sent this clown an e-mail but what I got in return was a >bunch of ranting, raving lunatic stuff,

This is what people say when they LOOSE a debate to a person who is more literate, intelligent, and eloquent, which he most DEFINATELY DID!

>so I turned on the bozo filter.

That's IMPOSSIBLE, for if you had WE WOULDN'T SEE YOUR POOR, PATHETIC EXCUSES when you LOOSE (Looser!!!)

>I pity your kids, having a hypocritical vulgar bum like you for a >father.

Well look at the black pot calling the kettle a NIGG**

We may only hope YOU never figure out how to reproduce.

>Notice that he's yet to post a single thing about scanners, which is
>what he ostensibly is here to do.
>I pity your kids, having a hypocritical vulgar bum like you for a >father.

INCIDENTALLY, this MALexder FOOL is the BIGGEST DEFENDER OF NAMBLA. He VEHEMENTLY DEFENDS his posting of that SICK CRAP TO THIS DAY, leaving us with only one truth, THAT HE IS ONE OF THEM.

WHO ELSE WOULD EVEN KNOW OF THEM, LET ALONE DEFEND IT with such vim and vigor?

While he defends his right to post that crap, using EXTREMELY VULGAR LANGUAGE, he tries to slam me for what I post.

And then he calls ME hypocrytical.

I would call HIM that, but really it's DYSFUNCTIONAL, not that he would have the SLIGHTEST idea what that is.

What a pathetic excuse for carbon based existence!!!

"Do as I say, NOT AS I DO" - MAlexder

Get the help you NEED LOOSERBOYLOVER!!!!!!, and STAY AWAY FROM MY KIDS!!!!!

3122. BC895 picking up screwy signals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: swrosch@ibm.net
Message-ID: <351ad7f7.644510@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 165508

Howdy kids!

Got a question for ya. How good is the image rejection
on the BC895? I got one not too long ago, and while
using it in my car I'm getting all sorts of interference;
everything from pages to cell conversations. Here's
what puzzles me though. It's a mag mount antenna.
When I put it on the roof of my car is when I have
the problems. If I leave inside the car on the back-
seat, there's no problems. Any ideas?

BTW-- It's a cellular phone antenna from RS. It's
also an 87 Ford Crown Vic. Don't know if either of
those two might make a difference.

Thanks!
Scott

3123. Re: Trunked Tracker Question !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032622401900.RAA19437@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165509

>...and have to keep
>hitting scan real fast to track the conversation...

As it appears from another post in this group that the Trunk Tracker will not follow your local system, you aren't left with much choice but to keep doing wht you have.

May I suggest that you insure the delay is OFF on all four memory channels to allow you to follow the channel hop more quickly.

3124. Re: EDACS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcardani@erols.com
Message-ID: <351ad5d9.33362850@news.tju.edu>
Source record: 165510

On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:38:39 -0500, "MR. JERRY HENRY KACPRZYCKI"
<theoldbrooklynkid@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>EVERYONCE ONCE IN A WHILE I SEE A REFERENCE TO EDACS.
>WHAT DO THE INITIALS E.D.A.C.S. STAND FOR?
>THANK YOU.
>--
>ATTENTION, ATTENTION: BECOME A SKYWARN WEATHER VOLUNTEER
>WITH YOU LOCAL WEATHER OFFICE!!!!

EDACS stands for Enhanced Digital Access Communications System

EDACS is Ericsson's trunking technology that was orginally developed
by General Electric. See http://www.ericsson.se/US/prs/prs100.html

Joe

3125. LAFD Funeral Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6fempk$bji@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 165511

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENT FOR LOS ANGELES CITY
FIRE DEPARTMENT MEMBERS MCCOMB, BUTLER, AND REINER
KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY

In the morning hours of March 23, 1998, LAFD Helicopter 3 crashed killing Apparatus Operator Michael McComb, Firefighter/Lead Paramedic Eric Reiner, Firefighter/Paramedic Michael Butler,
and Norma Vides, a patient on board while en route to Children's Hospital.

The memorial services for members McComb, Reiner, and Butler are scheduled for Saturday, March 28, 1998. Inclement weather is anticipated on Saturday.

The memorial services will consist of a fire/EMS apparatus procession, walking procession, and memorial service in the Los Angeles Sports Arena, 3939 South Figueroa Street. Other agencies,
e.g., LAPD, CHP, etc., are also invited to participate in the apparatus procession with your agency's apparatus. The apparatus procession will start at the Frank Hotchkin Memorial Training Center,
1700 Stadium Way, Los Angeles (Thomas Guide Page 634-G1). Staging will begin at 0730 hours at the Hotchkin Training Center and will depart for the Sports Arena at 0845 hours. Your punctuality would be greatly appreciated. Please RSVP to the LAFD's Community Liaison Office at (213)
485-5954 only if you plan to send an apparatus and/or a Chief Officer representing your department.

For fire service members and their apparatus that are travelling great distances and need overnight accommodations, contact the Hospitality Coordinator at (213) 485-5162 for lodging at LAFD stations.

Many departments and agencies have expressed a desire to participate in an aerial flyover. Out of respect for the wishes of the McComb, Butler, and Reiner Families, there will be no aerial flyovers. There will, however, be aircraft parking at the Van Nuys Airport with shuttle transportation to the memorial service for pilots and crew members. Please plan to arrive at the Van Nuys Airport
no later than 0700 hours on Saturday, March 28, 1998. RSVP to Captain Thomas Kephart, at
(818) 756-8635, if you will be arriving via aircraft at Van Nuys Airport.

If you intend to participate in the walking procession, please arrive by 0830 hours and park in the Sports Arena south parking lot (enter off Martin Luther King Boulevard from the 110 [Harbor] Freeway; Figueroa Street will be closed). A shuttle service will transport participants to the walking procession staging area on the south side of Exposition Boulevard west of Figueroa Street.

If you wish to attend the memorial services only, please park in the Sports Arena parking lot and be seated in the Sports Arena no later than 1000 hours.

Expressions of support and sympathy may be forwarded to the following:

The Butler Family, the McComb Family, the Reiner Family
c/o Los Angeles Firemen's Relief Association
2900 West Temple Street, Suite 102
Los Angeles, CA 90026

To make direct donations to the Butler, McComb, or Reiner Families, please forward to either:

Widows and Orphans Fund Fire 3 Memorial Fund
In Memory of Helicopter 3 c/o Los Angeles Firemen's Credit Union
c/o L.A. Firemen's Relief Association Post Office Box 60890
2900 West Temple Street, Suite 102 Los Angeles, CA 90060-0890
Los Angeles, CA 90026

We have continued to receive a tremendous outpouring of support from the fire service and related agencies. We thank you and cannot begin to express our deepest appreciation for the support we have received.

WILLIAM R. BAMATTRE
Chief Engineer and General Manager

3126. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6feno9$m9u$0@207.18.224.8>
Source record: 165512

On 26 Mar 1998 00:59:32 GMT, thehamguy1@aol.com (TheHamGuy1) wrote:

>Any Ham should be offended by this mockery.
>When have these loudmouths(Cheek followers) done anything for Radio
>
As this is a SCANNER newsgroup, and not a HAM newsgroup, I did not
realize that HAM was needed to post here.

Bill Cheek is not a HAM, however John Mackey is. Now, which of these
two should HAMS be ashamed of?

Blake Bowers
KD4RME

3127. FS: Airband scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032623234000.SAA26580@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165513

I have a JD-100 airband scanner that covers both civilian VHF and military UHF airbands, plus the military air tactical freqs. from 138.000 to 144.000MHz AM mode. I'll include a Watson Air-Gainer antenna with the radio. It has 20 memory channels, or you can search the entire frequency range.

The radio sells new for $150.00, and the antenna is another $30.00. Both are in perfect condition. I'll sell both for $120.00, and I'll pay shipping via U.S. Postal Service Priority Mail.

John Ward

3128. Need information on decoding manufacturing date codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnny@theramp.net
Message-ID: <6ff4pnqrc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165514

I would appreciate any information on decoding date codes for Uniden, Radio Shack, or other popular scanner brands date codes. Any information would be very helpful. Thanks

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3129. Pro 64 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf6swl@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <351ac564.7880102@news.ktb.net>
Source record: 165515

My RS Pro 64 picks up strong paging signals from 929 and 931 MZ
exactly 515 MZ lower starting at 414 MZ. Is this a normal image for
this scanner and is there any way to filter it out?

3130. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <351B165E.35EE@ibm.net>
Source record: 165516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:

> Yeah....ri---ght.....lemme see you go transmitting all
> over creation betwixt DC and Daylight. And gimme a
> video camera to shoot the scene when the D.O.C. comes
> around to test your intestinal fortitude.

Well, there's nothing wrong with injecting a signal from a test set and measuring return loss, is there?

Failing that, I've never heard of anyone going to jail for a short blast of 10W on any given frequency! Haha!

> The thing is, what works for a ham doesn't always work
> so good for the scannist. It was that very point that
> you and me argued over a couple of years ago with respect
> to TV antennas mounted vertically.....

An old friend of mine built a 10Watt FM transmitter from scratch and set up a little Pirate Radio station. He used a TV antenna that had elements for FM radio as his broadcast antenna. I questioned what the VSWR was like and he proceeded to prove to me that it was better than 1.3:1. Honest!

Mind you, if you blasted 1kW through the thing I'm sure the conductivity of pop-rivets would demonstrate the limitations.

--
Andy Moss
"Whose woods these are I think I know...."

3131. FS: Uniden BC 890 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiologist@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6feqve$e0k@news.dx.net>
Source record: 165517

Perfect condition in original box. 200-channel scanner with tuning knob. Covers all the usual bands (29-956MHz), plus military air. $175 shipped US lower 48, or best offer. Reply to: radiologist@yahoo.com

3132. Re: Pro 64 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjevtic@magnus.acs.ohio-state.edu
Message-ID: <jjevtic.10.002D796D@magnus.acs.ohio-state.edu>
Source record: 165518

In article <351ac564.7880102@news.ktb.net> kf6swl@hotmail.com (Larry Daniels) writes:
>From: kf6swl@hotmail.com (Larry Daniels)
>Subject: Pro 64 question
>Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:21:14 GMT

>My RS Pro 64 picks up strong paging signals from 929 and 931 MZ
>exactly 515 MZ lower starting at 414 MZ. Is this a normal image for
>this scanner and is there any way to filter it out?

PRO-64 uses triple conversion with IF frequencies: 257.5MHz, 21.4MHz,
and 455kHz. When tuned to 414MHz, the first local oscillator is set
to 414+257.5=671.5MHz and the image is at: 671.5+257.5=929MHz.

Image suppresion is listed as 50dB for the first IF frequency. If you are
picking the image even when the antenna is removed there is little you
can do. If the image signal disapears when the antenna is removed,
a filter placed between the antenna and the scanner would help.

Jovan
jevtic@ee.eng.ohio-state.edu

3133. Re: EDACS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: johng@comm.mot.com
Message-ID: <johng-ya02408000R2603981803270001@news.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 165519

In article <6fc8ll$s61@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
THEOLDBROOKLYNKID@worldnet.att.net wrote:

> EVERYONCE ONCE IN A WHILE I SEE A REFERENCE TO EDACS.
> WHAT DO THE INITIALS E.D.A.C.S. STAND FOR?
> THANK YOU.

Enhanced Digital Access Communications System

--
John Gilbert
johng@comm.mot.com

3134. Re: Ericsson scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Barge <bwbarge@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <A561F650A5168F2D.AA541230CF5AA09D.A7FEAABCEF54758C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 165520
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

It is entirely possible. Check Dejanews for references to the EDACs control channel monitoring program (or check out http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/dfw.htm). With a custom modified version of this program, any remote controllable scanner can track groups (although one must now the frequencies associated with the "logical" channel numbers used in the protocol.)

3135. Re: Help decoding Uniden manufacture date

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Vieth <vieths@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <351AECAF.64687F2A@ameritech.net>
Source record: 165521

HazMat:

Thanks for the info. I didn't realize that I was listening to "ghosts" of the original
cell frequencies.

-Scott

HazMat910 wrote:

> The SC only has double conversion while the newer radios such as the 895 have
> triple conversion. To some people this makes them "junk", to others it makes
> them very useful. If you like to listen to cell, an SC w/ double conversion
> may be better, but if you want to listen to exactly what is there then the 895
> is the way to go.

3136. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: johN mackeY -- KA0SSF <toilet-boy@usa.net>
Message-ID: <351AFA3B.5229B551@usa.net>
Source record: 165522
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com> is the genuine author
of this message.

*-John "Richard Simmonds is the best lover I've ever had,
and that's had me ;-)" Mackey-* KA0SSF tried to
lie his way out being caught using illegally
obtained Internet access:

> I have NEVER done what you state below. If you have any
> proof, then POST IT OR BE SHOWN AS THE LIAR YOU ARE!!!!!

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > Never mind the dozen fictitious addresses you used on the
> > accounts you illegally broke into.

You've have used, and admitted using, over a dozen (actually
seventeen) fictitious and illegal Internet addresses. I know
you have a *very* bad memory (too much prozac abuse), so I've
listed them here for your edification.

anyplace@nowhere.mil no-place@anywhere.com
No-place@anywhere.org nowhere@anyplace.net
jomackey@hotmail.com mackey@idiots.org
nothing@anywhere.edu nowhere@anyplace.net
no_adress@anywhere.com no.address@anywhere.gov
No-address@No-where.com no_place@any-where.com
no--place@any__where.com no-place@anywhere.net
No--place@any-where.org no-where@no-place.com
nothing@anywhere.edu

You claim that you were in a work situation where you had T1
access, but no real Internet access. In other words, you had
to steal access to gain entry. That is theft of services, a
criminal act.

Using your real name and call sign is only a diversion to
deflect attention from your criminal activity. It's your
little way of making it *look* like you're legitimate.

The only thing you've offered to back up your claim that you
had legitimate access, is your word. Wake up and smell the
coffee, Toilet Boy, your so called "word" is totally worthless
in the scanner news groups, and the Internet as a whole. Since
your word is so worthless, you'll have to do better if you
expect anyone to believe you.

The only way you can prove what you say is true, is to identify the employer and the specific task or tasks you undertook. When I say identify the employer, I mean the name, address, telephone number, and the name of your supervisor.

If you can't prove yourself as outlined above, then you lied about having legitimate access. Up to the challenge, Toilet Boy? I thought not.

> I'm coming from USA.NET right now so YOU must be the one
> lying!!!

> Richard, if USA.NET dropped me, then how come I am able to
> use thier system, LIKE I AM RIGHT NOW????

I'm coming through USA.NET exactly like you are, Toilet Boy. I changed the preferences in Netscape to make it look like I am on USA.NET while still using my normal ISP (Primenet). For the record, I am not now, nor have I ever been a customer of USA.NET.

You were dropped by USA.NET, but, you are using the same technique I've demonstrated here, to make it "appear" you are still with USA.NET. Another lie from you, Toilet Boy.

> Guess who's telling a lie now?? YOU!!!!

It's still you who is lying, Toilet Boy, as usual.

3137. Re: Rogue Cancel Summary for rec.radio.scanner | alt.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Vieth <vieths@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <351AEDF2.5943855E@ameritech.net>
Source record: 165523
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Robert H. Eisner wrote:

> Hi All,
>
> The following is a list of articles that were Illegally cancelled by someone
> at Rockwell Automation. If your name is on this list, you may want to send
> a complaint to "unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com". I have the headers of the
> cancels if you need them.
>

Robert,

It's interesting that you have tracked the "cancels" down to Rockwell in MKE.
I've heard that Rockwell has gotten rid of all their I.S. contractors and may
be laying-off their full-time I.S. staff as well. Maybe the cancels are a result
of this huge personnel change? I don't think the rec.radio.scanner group
was singled out for attack...

-Scott in Milwaukee

3138. Re: Rogue Cancel Summary for rec.radio.scanner | alt.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Eisner <boei@trifox.com>
Message-ID: <351B061A.7C3B@trifox.com>
Source record: 165524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi Scott,

I ran another check on "control.cancel" and the only articles that
were Cancelled by Rockwell Automation were in rec.radio.scanner
and any groups that the articles were cross posted to. I counted
a total of 26 Rogue Cancels which were issued between the hours of
19:20:37 EST and 19:30:37 EST (a span of 10 minutes).

The following headers indicate that this person is operating in
the East Coast Time Zone (GMT -5.00). This person may be operating
out of an East Coast office of Rockwell Automation.

Path:
moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!sunqbc.risq.qc.ca!newsfeed.atl.be
llsouth.net!uunet!in3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: junk,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <Pine.SOL.3.91.980319103631.19211A-100000@sirius>
Control: cancel <Pine.SOL.3.91.980319103631.19211A-100000@sirius>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:20:37 -0500 <===== East Coast Time Zone
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc72h$45l1@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <Pine.SOL.3.91.980319103631.19211A-100000@sirius>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

IP address 161.153.20.37 is assigned to Rockwell Automation.

This is the result of a whois for IP block 161.153

whois 161.153@whois.arin.net
[rs.arin.net]
Reliance Electric Corporate Data Communications (NET-RELIANCE-B)
6065 Parkland Blvd.
Cleveland, OH 44124

Netname: RELIANCE-B
Netnumber: 161.153.0.0

Coordinator:
Vail, Reid (RV68-ARIN) rsv@RHQCIT.RELIANCE.SPRINT.COM
(216) 266-1912

Domain System inverse mapping provided by:

RHQDNS.RELIANCE.ROCKWELL.COM 161.153.190.57
NS1.MKE.AB.COM 130.151.82.121
INTREPID.ROCKWELL.COM 130.50.221.2

Record last updated on 14-Dec-95.
Database last updated on 25-Mar-98 16:09:31 EDT.

The ARIN Registration Services Host contains ONLY Internet
Network Information: Networks, ASN's, and related POC's.
Please use the whois server at rs.internic.net for DOMAIN related
Information and nic.ddn.mil for MILNET Information.

By the way, if you're located in Milwaukee, your Time Zone is set
wrong under Windows 95. You need to go into Control Panel and
set you Time Zone to Central Time (GMT -6.00).

Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 19:08:18 -0500 <===== EST (GMT -5.00)
From: Scott Vieth <vieths@ameritech.net>

Regards,
Bob

Scott Vieth wrote:
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> of this huge personnel change? I don't think the rec.radio.scanner group
> was singled out for attack...
>
> -Scott in Milwaukee

3139. FS: RS 2045 200CH Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Schwerdtman <Bob9000@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <351B04BB.7425@concentric.net>
Source record: 165525
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Hi. Selling my Radio Shack 2045 base scanner. coverage from:
29-54
108-174
216-512
806-1000 (LESS CELLULAR)
200 channels, tuning knob,
weather alert, ctcss capable with optional tone board (not included)
Radio is in as new condition and comes with box, manual, antenna, and ac adaptor. $160.00 postal money order in advance. Price includes shipping in USA.
Bob
847-356-5665

3140. For Sale PRO2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6feu4a$30n$1@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165526
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have a pro2005 scanner that recieves from 25-520mhz and 760-1300 with no gaps. It's cell modify so you can hear cell phones.I'm asking $280 dollars or best offer.It's in good condition.Minor scratches.Works great.All buttons and lables are not faded or worn out.Excelent radio.A must have radio.I have no manuals or extra stuff,just the radio.Easy to operate. Email me at mgdforty@webtv.net

3141. Are there any mods for the SC-150???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wes <darth@planttel.net>
Message-ID: <6ff3ibase1@news2.infoave.net>
Source record: 165527
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

If so please let me know. Thanx in advance.

darth@planttel.net

3142. Re: Help identify this signal...?? - unknown.wav (1/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351B1728.78EB28D0@mcn.org>
Source record: 165528
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

What are you talking about?

hoodoo@newnorth.net wrote:

> You are a very ignorant ASSHOLE!!

3143. Maxon HCB-10A&HBC-30A On Sale Including Free WTA-13 VOX Headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio City Communications <alcyone@mail1.nai.net>
Message-ID: <351B16E5.805AF5A5@mail1.nai.net>
Source record: 165529
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Maxon Handheld Cb Radio Sale now going on at Radio City Communications.
The popular HCB-10A or HCB-30A are on sale until april 30th,1998.
Both include these great features LED Channel display,transmit and
battery
low indicators portable or mobile operation powered by 8 AA alkaline
batteries
or 10AA ni-cad batteries or provided 12V DC vehicular power supply cord.

Hi/Low power selector button for battery conservation in short range
applications
On-unit push to talk bar
Variable volume and squelch control
Last Channel Memory recalls last channel displayed before mode change or
power off
12V DC Power jack provides external power
Charge jack used for charging installed ni-cad batteries
Accessory jacks used with optional voice operated/push to talk mini-VOX
headset
HCB 30A ADDITIONAL FEATURES
Side-mounted CB/weather selector switch
Three Weather channels receive current local National Weather Service
broadcasts
Package Includes:
Rubber Duck 12V DC vehicular power supply,2 dummy battery cells,belt
clip
HCB-30A also includes:NOAA Weather Radio Network frequency card.
When you buy either Maxon model Handheld untill this sale ends april
30th,1998
Radio City Communications will add free in your purchase the optional
WTA-13
Voice operated/push to talk mini VOX headset.The HCB-10A's with the
headset
included free are $59.99,the HBC-30A's are $69.99 with the headsets
included free
aswell.No other dealer online is doing this with Maxon except Radio City
Communications.To order your Maxon before the sale ends email
alcyone@mail1.nai.net

3144. FS Pro-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsabrams@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6ff9vg$v7q$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165530
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Pro-43, Very good condition with manual, antenna, wall charger and
nicads. Asking $200 including shipping, date code 8A2
It is full 800mhz (cell capable), s/n #012520

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3145. Pittsburgh area rail frequencies...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ember1 <ember1@erols.com>
Message-ID: <351B21EA.44080E13@erols.com>
Source record: 165531
Cross-posted to: alt.railroad,misc.transport.rail.americas,rec.radio.scanner

I will be up in Pittsburgh, PA this weekend. I am looking for the local frequencies for CSX and Conrail. I have scoured the net, but could not find Pittsburgh specific. Yes, I do have complete lists of frequencies for most, if not all railroads, but the list is not area specific (except for a few cases). If anyone could help, it would be greatly appreciated. Thanks...

clb=me
www.dchardcore.org

ps) Sand Patch on the way back. Yah...

3146. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351B193F.DF228133@mcn.org>
Source record: 165532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You smoke too much crack.

Sandy Meltzer wrote:

> In article <351AC653.D7023493@ncia.net>, Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net> wrote:
> >NEW AR8000,shipped $404>>>see the URL
> >http://www.multicomm2000.com/page3.htm
>
> Come on guys, stop posting this BS. Sure, you can buy a new AR8000
> (unblocked) from Multicomm in England for $404, but it's NOT legal to import
> it into the U.S. because they're banned here...only the AR8000B is legal
> because it can't be modified to receive cellular phone frequencies.
>
> Yes, Multicomm will ship it here, but that still doesn't make it legal and you
> take a real chance it will be confiscated by the Feds before you get
> it...maybe even after you get it if the Feds start to investigate this illegal
> activity and get a hold of Multicomm's shipping lists. Knock knock...who's
> there? ;)
>
> However, it is legal to buy units that were imported BEFORE the ban. That's
> why used models command higher prices...they're worth it because you can
> legally own them.
>
> Lets compare apples to apples....okay?
>
> Thanks.
>
> --sandy
> sandy@sandy.com

3147. Re: Help decoding Uniden manufacture date

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6ff55b$r08$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165533

In article <3519A7A8.90D62EF0@ameritech.net>,
Scott Vieth <vieths@ameritech.net> wrote:
>
> Hi:
>
> I've got a SportCat 150 (yellow, if you interested) that has a
> manufacture
> code of "0DID". Can anyone help me decode this?
>
> The reason I'm asking is that I had my SportKitty running next to my
> brand
> new BC895XLT and one of them was picking up cell phone calls in
> the neighborhood of 900MHz.

In the US, there are no cellular phones authroized to operate in the 900 MHz range. YOu could be hearing analog 900MHz cordless phones. More likely, you are hearing images of the cellular towers in the 869-894 MHz range. My BC220XLT also can clearly hear images of cellular conversations when tuned to 900MHz frequencies, even though the CPU will not allow direct tuning of the cellular range (869-894MHz). Both the Sport Cat and the BC220XLT are double conversion scanners, meaning they will hear signals 21.6 MHz below or above the displayed frequency. The BC895XLT is a higher-quality triple conversion receiver, and only hears the frequency that is on the display. Police Call has a good explanation how images are caused and the double conversion scheme used in many scanners.

> Since I purchased the SportKitty about a year ago, I knew it could pick
> up phone conversations but I didn't think it was anything special. But
> now
> I'm running it side-by-side with my 895XLT and the 895 isn't picking
> up a damn thing in the 900 MHz range.
>
> I'm thinking that I got a SportKitty that was manufactured before the
> cellular ban went into effect. Maybe this particular radio sat on the
> shelf at Best Buy for quite a long time before I bought it last Summer?
>
> I can't think of any other reasons that would explain why my SC150 can
> pick up a ton of conversations and the 895 gets nothing. I even
> monkeyed
> with the antennas on both radios. The SC150 can still monitor phone
> conversations
> even with it antenna disconnected!
>
> Can anyone explain why the SC150 is picking up calls and the 895 is
> drawing a blank?

>
> -Scott
>
>

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3148. AR8000 AM Broadcast question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Young <boby@blazenet.net>
Message-ID: <6ff5tliee1@news5.ispnews.com>
Source record: 165534

I have an ar8000. I can sit about 1/4 mile from a 5000 watt broadcast station. The signal strength meter bar is almost to the top of the scale. Its on 580 KHz. However it has very low level audio. On the vhf & uhf parts of the band it seems to work fine.

It also seems to be insensitive in the shortwave part of the band.

There seems to be three possible problems:

1. I don't know how to operate the ar8000 yet.
2. The ar8000 unit I have is broken.
3. This is the way all of the ar8000 units operate in the am broadcast band...lousy. The shortwave band seems to be lousy too.

I don't have another one to compare it to. So I don't know if I should return it for repair or not. I'm not even sure where to return it for repair. The book doesn't even say anything about warranty or where to send it to. Is this the same as yours?

Thanks,

Bob

3149. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Unrestricted Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Miller <jfmil@nospam.net>
Message-ID: <6ff7kt$o0t@ecuador.earthlink.net>
Source record: 165535
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

The radio sold for 550 New why would anyone give you 800? I have one and
could get at most probably 450-500 for it if its mint
Kin Ho wrote in message <6f5s5p$o7f@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>...
>Are you buying, selling or taking up space "PAL", if I wanted HK
>dollars I would send it there to be sold. You obviously don't know
>much about radios. This is nothing like the AOR-8000. Your limited
>level of intelligence is evident by your stupid comments. Find
>something useful to do with your life besides spending your welfare
>money to surf the newsgroups because you can't afford any of this
>stuff anyway.
>
>
>On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 04:53:41 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>
>>$800!, do you mean HK dollars or US.
>>
>>$800 US is way too much for this eqpt, when AOR8000 second hand can hardly
>>fetch $800.
>>
>>I wish you luck in your sale.
>>
>>
>>n article <6f0oo2$dgf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
>> bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>>>
>>> I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>>> imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>>> the radio has never been used outdoors.
>>>
>>> There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>>> to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>>> following:
>>>
>>> * Software and computer cable
>>> * AC adaptor
>>> * Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>>> * Telescopic whip antenna
>>>
>>> I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>>> shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
>>>
>>
>>

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>

3150. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Miller <jfmil@nospam.net>
Message-ID: <6ff7o6$o5u@ecuador.earthlink.net>
Source record: 165536
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Ignore my last post.. I misread this as an AOR8000 SORRY!

Kin Ho wrote in message <6f8ifs$1e8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>Obviously Mr. Owodunni does not know the value of radio equipment. It
>could be an honest mistake with him confusing the 3000A with the 3000,
>or is it simply a malicious attempt by him to play price police
>because of his ignorance and lack of funds to ever buy anything on
>this newsgroup other than a pack of batteries.
>
>In any event, those of you who know radios, know full well that an
>AOR-3000A can still be had (blocked) at a brand new price of $1199.
>Therefore, an unblocked used 3000A should warrant an asking price of
>$800. I'm further encouraged by the fact that I've received several
>e-mails from you folks on this newsgroup that $800 is a fair asking
>price for this fine rig.
>
>So, I hereby ask all of you to please join me in relaying an
>appropriate message to Mr. Owodunni that his unsolicited comments are
>upappreciated, and of course, ignore his additions to any adverts
>posted on this newsgroup. Remember, he could do the same to you one
>day. Thank you and have a nice day.
>
>MR. OWODUNNI, AS I INDICATED, THE CHOICE OF LANGUAGE YOU USED IN A
>PERSONNEL E-MAIL MESSAGE TO ME IS INDICATIVE OF YOUR LIMITED
>INTELLIGENCE. PLEASE TAKE THIS AS A STERN SUGGESTION TO "GO AWAY."
>ITS "HIGH MAINTENANCE" INDIVIDUALS LIKE YOUSELF THAT DRAIN THE
>RESOURCES OF OUR SOCIAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE SYSTEMS. HAVE A GOOD DAY.
>On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 06:37:53 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>
>>It shouldn't be more than $500.00.
>>
>>second hand is second-hand, forget the mint crap.
>>
>>
>>In article <6f6m17$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
>> bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>>>
>>>
>>> >I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>>> >imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>>> >the radio has never been used outdoors.
>>> >
>>> >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need

>>> >to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>>> >following:
>>> >
>>> >* Software and computer cable
>>> >* AC adaptor
>>> >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
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>>> >
>>> >I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>>> >shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
>>>
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3151. Frequencies for Oakland Center?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert H. Eisner" <rheisner@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ff9jh$o8i@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi All,

Does anyone have a complete list of frequencies for Oakland
Center?

Please NOTE that I've already obtained the frequencies for
San Francisco (SFO), San Jose (SJC) and Oakland (OAK) from
the AirNav site (http://www.airnav.com) and don't need those.

I'm looking for the ARTCC frequencie for Oakland Center.

This is a list of frequencies that I already have for
Oakland Center:

High Altitude Advisory - 135.7
Angels Camp - 134.375, 132.95, 127.95, 126.85, 121.25 119.75
Bishop - 125.75
Fallon - 134.45, 128.8
Ferndale - 134.15
Fresno - 134.375, 133.7, 132.8, 126.9, 123.8
Half Moon Bay - 134.15, 133.05, 127.45, 125.45
Hollister - 127.45
Mina - 132.05, 125.75
Mt. Tamalpais - 127.8, 125.85
Priest - 134.55, 133.7, 132.8 128.7, 126.9
Red Bluff - 134.975, 133.375, 132.2
Reno - 134.45, 128.8
Sacramento - 132.95, 127.95
San Luis Obispo - 128.7
Tonopah - 132.05, 125.75
Ukiah - 134.975, 133.375, 132.2, 127.8

The one that's mystery to me is 119.475. It's an Oakland Center
frequencies, however, I have no idea what area it covers and it's
not listed in any of the Jeppesen Charts for CA.

Does anyone in the San Francisco Bay area know what area 119.475
covers?

Thanks
Bob

3152. Re: pager frequency by phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckm@zocalo.com
Message-ID: <chuckm-2603982031100001@157.22.200.2>
Source record: 165538

In article <351b1926.4768115@news.francomedia.qc.ca>,
zoro@francomedia.qc.ca wrote:

> hi. i can i find a pager frequency by the phone number?
>
> zoro@francomedia.qc.ca

No. The pager company has only a few frequencies. Each is constantly
carrying data bursts. Each burst contains a sync header followed by the
digital address or "capcode" of the pager, followed by the content of the
page message.
-- Chuck

3153. Re: Javiation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Schneider <GLOBALjs@sprintmail.con>
Message-ID: <351B2FD6.1D73@sprintmail.con>
Source record: 165539

Made my order by fax to avoid chating long dist. Wrote down the item
with a visa number and exp. dateand a ship to address. Took about 8
working days to get the item, everything worked just fine. I would pay a
little extra for faster shiping, but thats me.
--

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3154. Re: AR8000 power up settings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Schneider <GLOBALjs@sprintmail.con>
Message-ID: <351B31E5.4EF5@sprintmail.con>
Source record: 165540

Excelent question I'v adjusted my settings "ever so slightly" and tend
to go back to the defult. I eather miss TX. that I normaly hear or it
goes to the other extreem stoping on all sorts of crap. The owner man.
doesn't realy go into the down side as to if you adjust this you may not
hear this.

Someone please follow up with as much info as possable.
--

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3155. Who own's a PRO 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6ffe92$3q7$1@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165541
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Can you tell me if these radio is good? I just got this radio yesterday at a auction and it's brand new in the box never has been open.It's the usa version. Are there any mods i can do to make this scanner more worth it's stuff? Does this radio have a good reputation? Thanks.
mgdforty@webtv.net

3156. Funny police story...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adam Lane <alane@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <351B3AC8.432B@thegrid.net>
Source record: 165542

Interesting police call...

Upset man calls 911, since he does not speak english well, it's dealt
with as an "ascertain unknown problem" call.

They get the guy on the phone along with a policeman on the scene
and a dispatcher. (i'm not too sure how that worked)
A certain level of confusion prevails until
a police translator, who had been listening, says that...

The man is unhappy about the "quality of service" that he got for
$150 at the local massage parlor.

There really isn't much the police can do at this point. It's
one of "those" parlors and the guy was probably expecting something
that's somewhat illegal. The tone of the voice of the dispatcher
and the primary unit was "classic" after hearing this.

3157. Pro-2035, Thanks to everyone that responded!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Flatter <bill@bigsky.net>
Message-ID: <351B4B81.AD3@bigsky.net>
Source record: 165543
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have sold this scanner and would like to thank all the great people
who responded to the posts.

Thanks,

Bill Flatter

3158. MORE ROGUE CANCELS in rec.radio.scanner originating from Mendocino Community Network

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert H. Eisner" <rheisner@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fflob$gi6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165544
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

Hi All,

It appears that someone from Mendocino Community Network
(HTTP://www.mcn.org/Admin3/default.nclk) has issued a series
of Rogue Cancels in the rec.radio.scanner & alt.radio.scanner
News groups AGAIN!!!

This is the Break Down of the 49 Rogue Cancels as they occured:

2 Cancels for Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
1 Cancel for Bro <bro@bro.com>
1 Cancel for George Vetterle <geovet@ix.netcom.com>
1 Cancel for Salvatore Gambino <sgambino@worldnet.att.net>
1 Cancel for -John- KAOSSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
17 Cancels for OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
6 Cancels for -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
5 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
3 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
1 Cancel for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
3 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
2 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
4 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
2 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>

Anyway, these are the headers that I came across this evening:

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!news-peer.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.net!news-peer.sprintlink.net!news-backup-east.sprintlink.net!news-in-east.sprintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Sprint!204.156.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <351B39FC.5916C865@mcn.org>
Control: cancel <351B39FC.5916C865@mcn.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:36:02 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffdonmic1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <351B39FC.5916C865@mcn.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890976855 23116 (none) 206.184.139.132

X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!news-peer.sprintlink.net!news-backup-east.sprintlink.net!news-in-east.sprintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Sprint!204.156.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <351B3ACF.55BB81D1@mcn.org>
Control: cancel <351B3ACF.55BB81D1@mcn.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:36:39 -0800
Lines: 1
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References: <351B3ACF.55BB81D1@mcn.org>
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X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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From: Bro <bro@bro.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <351B3A42.4F832308@bro.com>
Control: cancel <351B3A42.4F832308@bro.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:38:12 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffdspmjs1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <351B3A42.4F832308@bro.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
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From: George Vetterle <geovet@ix.netcom.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Subject: cancel <35136ef9.5701819@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Control: cancel <35136ef9.5701819@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:41:39 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffe38mjs2@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <35136ef9.5701819@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
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X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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From: Salvatore Gambino <sgambino@worldnet.att.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <6evv1p$13d@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Control: cancel <6evv1p$13d@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:42:46 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffe5bmjs3@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <6evv1p$13d@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
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X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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From: -John- KAOSSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <351393BA.66F7@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Control: cancel <351393BA.66F7@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:48:42 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffegf$mr6$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <351393BA.66F7@paNOSPAMrg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
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X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032107033901.CAA09660@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032107033901.CAA09660@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:49:37 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffei6$mr6$2@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032107033901.CAA09660@ladder03.news.aol.com>
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From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032416545000.LAA22880@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032416545000.LAA22880@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:49:51 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffeikmrl1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032416545000.LAA22880@ladder01.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
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From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Subject: cancel <1998032416515001.LAA22502@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032416515001.LAA22502@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:50:13 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffejamrr1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032416515001.LAA22502@ladder01.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890977706 23419 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!news-peer.sprintlink.net!ne
ws-backup-east.sprintlink.net!news-in-east.sprintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Sprint!204.1
56.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032515434101.KAA25166@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032515434101.KAA25166@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:50:36 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffek1$ms0$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032515434101.KAA25166@ladder01.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890977729 23424 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!newsxfer3.itd.umich.edu!new
s1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032517010901.MAA07875@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032517010901.MAA07875@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:51:10 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffel3msd1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032517010901.MAA07875@ladder03.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890977763 23437 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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s1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032605364401.AAA09542@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032605364401.AAA09542@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:51:35 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffels$msg$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032605364401.AAA09542@ladder01.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890977788 23440 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!newshub.northeast.
verio.net!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032620205101.PAA01834@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032620205101.PAA01834@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:51:57 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffemi$mso$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032620205101.PAA01834@ladder03.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890977810 23448 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!newsxfer3.itd.umic
h.edu!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
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Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032622351300.RAA18670@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032622351300.RAA18670@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:52:23 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffencmtg1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032622351300.RAA18670@ladder01.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890977836 23472 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!news-peer.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.net!news.maxwell.syr.edu!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032416561401.LAA29368@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032416561401.LAA29368@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:52:48 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffeo5mtq1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032416561401.LAA29368@ladder03.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890977861 23482 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!news-peer.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.net!news-peer.sprintlink.net!news-backup-west.sprintlink.net!news-in-west.sprintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Sprint!204.156.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032515354400.KAA24155@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032515354400.KAA24155@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:53:11 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffeos$mu1$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032515354400.KAA24155@ladder01.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0

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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890977884 23489 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!netnews.com!news.maxwell.syr.edu!new
s-peer.sprintlink.net!news-backup-west.sprintlink.net!news-in-west.sprintlink.net!news.spr
intlink.net!Sprint!204.156.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032620234400.PAA02218@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032620234400.PAA02218@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:53:36 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffepl$mu6$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032620234400.PAA02218@ladder03.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890977909 23494 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!news-peer.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.n
et!news-peer.sprintlink.net!news-backup-west.sprintlink.net!news-in-west.sprintlink.net!ne
ws.sprintlink.net!Sprint!204.156.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032119075101.OAA21741@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032119075101.OAA21741@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:53:58 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffeqb$muf$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032119075101.OAA21741@ladder03.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890977931 23503 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!netnews.com!news.maxwell.syr.edu!news-peer.sprintlink.net!news-backup-west.sprintlink.net!news-in-west.sprintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Sprint!204.156.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032107134401.CAA07211@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032107134401.CAA07211@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:54:32 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fferdmup1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032107134401.CAA07211@ladder01.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890977965 23513 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!news-peer.sprintlink.net!news-backup-west.sprintlink.net!news-in-west.sprintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Sprint!204.156.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032107174901.CAA10989@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032107174901.CAA10989@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:54:54 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffes3$mv1$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032107174901.CAA10989@ladder03.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
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X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032107255601.CAA11727@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032107255601.CAA11727@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:55:12 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffesl$mv3$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>

References: <1998032107255601.CAA11727@ladder03.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890978005 23523 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!newsxfer3.itd.umic
h.edu!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032119121101.OAA22458@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032119121101.OAA22458@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:55:25 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffet2$mv1$2@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032119121101.OAA22458@ladder03.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890978018 23521 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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ell.syr.edu!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <1998032416065700.LAA17304@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Control: cancel <1998032416065700.LAA17304@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 21:56:43 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffevgmve1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <1998032416065700.LAA17304@ladder01.news.aol.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890978096 23534 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!news-peer.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.net!portc01.blue.aol.com!newsxfer3.itd.umich.edu!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Newsgroups: microsoft.public.games.zone.simulation,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3513945F.24AF@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Control: cancel <3513945F.24AF@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:01:50 -0800
Lines: 1
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References: <3513945F.24AF@paNOSPAMrg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890978403 23615 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!news-spur1.maxwell.syr.edu!news.maxwell.syr.edu!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <35139148.53AA@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Control: cancel <35139148.53AA@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:02:22 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fffa3$n4a$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <35139148.53AA@paNOSPAMrg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890978435 23690 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!news-spur1.maxwell.syr.edu!news.maxwell.syr.edu!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <351392F6.1652@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Control: cancel <351392F6.1652@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:02:35 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fffag$n4i$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <351392F6.1652@paNOSPAMrg.org>

NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890978448 23698 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!newsfeed.internetm
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From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3513FF1E.3C24@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Control: cancel <3513FF1E.3C24@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:02:43 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fffao$n4k$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3513FF1E.3C24@paNOSPAMrg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890978456 23700 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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.211.144.13!newsxfer3.itd.umich.edu!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3513FF7F.30FD@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Control: cancel <3513FF7F.30FD@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:02:53 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fffb2$n5d$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3513FF7F.30FD@paNOSPAMrg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890978466 23725 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!newsxfer3.itd.umich.edu!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3514BD5B.1C35@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Control: cancel <3514BD5B.1C35@paNOSPAMrg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:04:30 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fffe3$n6m$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3514BD5B.1C35@paNOSPAMrg.org>
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Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890978563 23766 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!news-peer.sprintlink.net!news-backup-east.sprintlink.net!news-in-east.sprintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Sprint!204.156.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <35164AAB.5277@paREMOVErg.org>
Control: cancel <35164AAB.5277@paREMOVErg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:11:56 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fffs1nde1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <35164AAB.5277@paREMOVErg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979009 23982 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!newsfeed.direct.ca!newshub1.home.com!news.home.com!peerfeed.ncal.verio.net!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3516C35E.394A@paREMOVErg.org>
Control: cancel <3516C35E.394A@paREMOVErg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:12:04 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fffs9ndi1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3516C35E.394A@paREMOVErg.org>

NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979017 23986 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!newsfeed.direct.ca!newsfeed.wli.net!peerfeed.ncal.verio.net!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3518BA21.3D73@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3518BA21.3D73@usa.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:12:13 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fffshndr1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3518BA21.3D73@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979025 23995 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <35164758.630B@paREMOVErg.org>
Control: cancel <35164758.630B@paREMOVErg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:12:37 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fffta$ne6$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <35164758.630B@paREMOVErg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979050 24006 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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s1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3516FECF.7B91@paREMOVErg.org>
Control: cancel <3516FECF.7B91@paREMOVErg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:12:58 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffftv$ne6$2@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3516FECF.7B91@paREMOVErg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
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X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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om!erols!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <35197CB9.7E55@usa.net>
Control: cancel <35197CB9.7E55@usa.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:15:28 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffg2lnfd1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <35197CB9.7E55@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979221 24045 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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et!newsfeed.internetmci.com!204.156.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <35197D09.20CD@usa.net>
Control: cancel <35197D09.20CD@usa.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:16:30 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffg4jnfd2@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <35197D09.20CD@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org

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Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979283 24045 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!feed2.news.erols.c
om!erols!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3518BD75.122E@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3518BD75.122E@usa.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:16:38 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffg4r$ngj$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3518BD75.122E@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979291 24083 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!newsxfer3.itd.umic
h.edu!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <35159A2A.20D@paREMOVErg.org>
Control: cancel <35159A2A.20D@paREMOVErg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:18:01 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffg7e$nhq$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <35159A2A.20D@paREMOVErg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979374 24122 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!feed2.news.erols.com!erols!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3518BABD.5A3@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3518BABD.5A3@usa.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:20:21 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffgbqnih1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3518BABD.5A3@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979514 24145 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3519C34B.7A5C@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3519C34B.7A5C@usa.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:20:37 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffgcankp1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3519C34B.7A5C@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979530 24217 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!peerfeed.ncal.verio.net!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <35197E32.454B@usa.net>
Control: cancel <35197E32.454B@usa.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:20:52 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffgcp$nl3$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <35197E32.454B@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org

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Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979545 24227 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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verio.net!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3516C1D0.6E7F@paREMOVErg.org>
Control: cancel <3516C1D0.6E7F@paREMOVErg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:21:57 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffgeq$nml$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3516C1D0.6E7F@paREMOVErg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979610 24277 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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verio.net!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3516FF3F.8D7@paREMOVErg.org>
Control: cancel <3516FF3F.8D7@paREMOVErg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:22:06 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffgf3$nmu$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3516FF3F.8D7@paREMOVErg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979619 24286 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3519778D.278@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3519778D.278@usa.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:24:07 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffgisnpc1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3519778D.278@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979740 24364 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3518B8C0.4DA3@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3518B8C0.4DA3@usa.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:24:17 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffgj6npi1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3518B8C0.4DA3@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979750 24370 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!newsfeed.internetmci.com!204.156.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3518BA52.D0A@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3518BA52.D0A@usa.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:24:25 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffgjenpq1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3518BA52.D0A@usa.net>

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NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979758 24378 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!news-peer.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.n
et!newsfeed.internetmci.com!204.156.128.20!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3518BC34.5870@usa.net>
Control: cancel <3518BC34.5870@usa.net>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:25:04 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffgkl$nr1$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3518BC34.5870@usa.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979797 24417 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!newshub.northeast.
verio.net!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3516FE84.3458@paREMOVErg.org>
Control: cancel <3516FE84.3458@paREMOVErg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:25:23 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffgl7$nre$1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3516FE84.3458@paREMOVErg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979815 24430 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news.idt.net!howland.erols.net!newsxfer3.itd.umich.edu!news1.best.com!nntp1.ba.best.com!not-for-mail
From: _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cancel <3516C638.5EBB@paREMOVErg.org>
Control: cancel <3516C638.5EBB@paREMOVErg.org>
Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:25:33 -0800
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6ffglinrn1@nntp1.ba.best.com>
References: <3516C638.5EBB@paREMOVErg.org>
NNTP-Posting-Host: pm25-1-lay-a15.mcn.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Trace: 890979826 24439 (none) 206.184.139.132
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en] (Win95; I)

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3159. BC 300 MANUAL NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: K6ME <k6me@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <6ffnnfesd1@zinger.callamer.com>
Source record: 165545

I NEED A COPY OF THE BC 300 MANUAL. WILL PAY FAIR PRICE FOR COPY & SASE
POSTAL PRIORITY BOTH WAYS.
THANKS: K6ME >Sk6me@thegrid.net< Remember Spam ?

3160. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <R.19980326053644401.AAA09542@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165546

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Shows who the REAL neanderthals are. Sure don't take much to impress you primitive idiots. As for Mr. Innis, if all he can do is play 6th grade word games, I'm afraid he'll have to do better.

L8r dayz, NAMBLA BOYZZZ!

Remember, it's YOU folks who read the NAMBLA crap!

>Ha! Ha! This was just great Max! I love it when you verbally slap one of
>these
>anal-retentive neanderthals :-)
>
>AB

3161. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <R.1998032620205101.PAA01834@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165547

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

>(George Vetterle)

>I didn't see anyone defending the NAMBLA post. Mackey asked what it
>was and somebody told him.

Obviously YOU don't know how to read. Also, I did what selfrighteous idiots like you always whine about, and took it to e-mail. I think I made a point, as I have yet to hear back (after several exchanges)

BUT, to be sure, there were several of you like minded fools who said stuff like "I'll post whatever I damn well feel like, if it offends your kids don't let 'em in here" kind of bull, as if raping little boys has anything to do with scanners or the size of Mackeys pecker in Butt's Cheeks. (for simpleton's like you, that's Bill Cheek)

I will say one thing, BCheek has made himself scarce on off topics, one down, how many shticks like you to go?

And as for screen names (ref this AND your next post) just WHO do you think you are to tell someone HOW to post.

YOU sure don't want anyone telling you WHAT to post. DORKUS!

No, it's the best you can do to try to offend someone, and like the "moron" crap, that's school yard stuff. My kids are WAY above you!

Hose off!!, Eh

3162. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <R.1998032620234400.PAA02218@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165548

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Geo,

ANY HAM should be offended by some self righteous idiot like you who, one one hand, agrees with those who say "I'l post whatever I..." ALL WHILST storking with your other hand and saying "you need to use a screen name like..."

FOOL, you aren't even an EXCUSE for a HAM!

Maybe you're a NAMBLA boy?

>Any Ham should also be offended by the antics of John Mackey.
>If you're going to be righteously indignant then you should start by
>posting with your real name and not an AOL screen name.
>
>George L. Vetterle
>geovet@ix.netcom.com

3163. [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <R.1998032622351300.RAA18670@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165549

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

>Yeah, I sent this clown an e-mail but what I got in return was a >bunch of ranting, raving lunatic stuff,

This is what people say when they LOOSE a debate to a person who is more literate, intelligent, and eloquent, which he most DEFINATELY DID!

>so I turned on the bozo filter.

That's IMPOSSIBLE, for if you had WE WOULDN'T SEE YOUR POOR, PATHETIC EXCUSES when you LOOSE (Looser!!!)

>I pity your kids, having a hypocritical vulgar bum like you for a >father.

Well look at the black pot calling the kettle a NIGG**

We may only hope YOU never figure out how to reproduce.

>Notice that he's yet to post a single thing about scanners, which is
>what he ostensibly is here to do.
>I pity your kids, having a hypocritical vulgar bum like you for a >father.

INCIDENTALLY, this MALexder FOOL is the BIGGEST DEFENDER OF NAMBLA. He VEHEMENTLY DEFENDS his posting of that SICK CRAP TO THIS DAY, leaving us with only one truth, THAT HE IS ONE OF THEM.

WHO ELSE WOULD EVEN KNOW OF THEM, LET ALONE DEFEND IT with such vim and vigor?

While he defends his right to post that crap, using EXTREMELY VULGAR LANGUAGE, he tries to slam me for what I post.

And then he calls ME hypocrytical.

I would call HIM that, but really it's DYSFUNCTIONAL, not that he would have the SLIGHTEST idea what that is.

What a pathetic excuse for carbon based existence!!!

"Do as I say, NOT AS I DO" - MAlexder

Get the help you NEED LOOSERBOYLOVER!!!!!!, and STAY AWAY FROM MY KIDS!!!!!

3164. [REPOST] Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro <bro@bro.com>
Message-ID: <R.351B3A42.4F832308@bro.com>
Source record: 165550

[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]

Test

3165. FS Pro-46 w/cell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Heather K. Lopez-Cepero" <theheather@mail.utexas.edu>
Message-ID: <3519FB8E.45DE@mail.utexas.edu>
Source record: 165646
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,austin.forsale,utexas.forsale

For sale Radio Shack Pro-46 handheld radio scanner. Freq. range 29-54, 108-136, 137-174, 406-512, 806-823, 851-868, 896-956mhz. Will receive cell frequencies through keyboard trick from 868-896. Date code is 5A4. Scanner is in very good shape with light scuffing on removable battery plate. ASking $135.

Thanx
Greg

3166. Greensboro, NC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: photographer@cheerful.com
Message-ID: <3519f518.26481853@nntp.sj.bigger.net>
Source record: 165647

I will be visiting Greensboro, NC in a week.

What are the hot freq.s to listen to???

What is the Freq for US Air?? I will be flying US Air.

Thank you for your help,

Tim photographer@cheeful.com

3167. Voice Opinions...!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will McArthur <BIP0LAR@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <6fd25sauh1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 165648

I'm looking for opinions from any/all about what they think is the best scanner. I'm looking to come out of retirement and start another "investigative" business. I have a need for a receiver in the 500khz to say 4Ghz. Or something that cover most of that range. Cell would be nice and I won't feel bad If I have to import it. The only requirment I ask is that solid/verifible "tech" information be provided also. Like...channels,bands,scan rate,battery life,back-lit,jacks & plugs,computer interface,...etc...you get the idea.

I have plenty of roon in my box so "full" it up! {with the requested information only...spammers will have thier phones [you fill in the blank]

Thanks in advance.

3168. Rogue Cancel Summary for rec.radio.scanner | alt.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert H. Eisner" <rheisner@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fd3ke$ett@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi All,

The following is a list of articles that were Illegally cancelled by someone
at Rockwell Automation. If your name is on this list, you may want to send
a complaint to "unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com". I have the headers of the
cancels if you need them.

The following article posted by Pantsmaster <pj6bn@herts.ac.uk> was Cancelled:

http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335545356&CONTEXT=890886000.1876557825&hitnum=7&AH=1

The following article posted by Stuart Underwood <stu@harborcom.net> Cancelled

http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335521537&CONTEXT=890886288.1875968149&hitnum=0&AH=1

The following articles posted by malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) were Cancelled

http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335582532&CONTEXT=890887302.1884749929&hitnum=8&AH=1
http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335950941&CONTEXT=890883985.1797259597&hitnum=10&AH=1
http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=336253739&CONTEXT=890883985.1797259597&hitnum=8&AH=1

The following article posted by "Bill Crocker" <billc@rust.net> was Cancelled

http://x1.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=336079578&CONTEXT=890890282.698614601&hitnum=4&AH=1

The following article posted by lraymond@slkc.uswest.net was Cancelled

http://x1.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335785044&CONTEXT=890893119.855048233&hitnum=0&AH=1

The following article posted by bgiese@ccsi.com was Cancelled

http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335510486&CONTEXT=890889018.1885339933&hitnum=0&AH=1

The following article posted by BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net> was Cancelled

http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335871979&CONTEXT=890886594.1876361363&hitnum=9&AH=1

The following article posted by frog1427@erols.com was Cancelled

http://x1.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335910172&CONTEXT=890889976.777912329&hitnum=6&AH=1

The following article posted by "Alan, VE3NNM" <nomail@nosite.com> was Cancelled

http://x1.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335883719&CONTEXT=890892708.854065210&hitnum=7&AH=1

The following article posted by pglea58161@aol.com (PGlea58161) was Cancelled

http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335925551&CONTEXT=890887583.1885536263&hitnum=3&AH=1

The following article posted by n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD) was Cancelled

http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335928681&CONTEXT=890887583.1885536263&hitnum=8&AH=1

The following articles posted by -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org> were Cancelled

http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=336168525&CONTEXT=890883985.1797259597&hitnum=12&AH=1
http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=336217415&CONTEXT=890883792.1797521702&hitnum=2&AH=1

The following article posted by bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) was Cancelled

http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=336278307&CONTEXT=890883985.1797259597&hitnum=9&AH=1

The following articles posted by geovet@ix.netcom.com (George Vetterle) were Cancelled

http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=336202370&CONTEXT=890883985.1797259597&hitnum=6&AH=1
http://x4.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=336477291&CONTEXT=890883985.1797259597&hitnum=4&AH=1

The following articles posted by DTDoyle <dtdoyle@shore.net> was Cancelled

http://x1.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=335987954&CONTEXT=890889834.776929434&hitnum=0&AH=1

The following articles posted by kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net (Jack) was Cancelled

http://x1.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=336070639&CONTEXT=890893991.855048327&hitnum=10&AH=1

All of the article above were cancelled from NNTP Server "news.ra.rockwell.com"
at NNTP Posting 161.153.11.218. I was unable to find articles in Deja News for
the following Cancels below:

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!ais.net!uunet!in3.uu.net!ne
ws.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <3510B503.CC30D39C@imcnet.net>
Control: cancel <3510B503.CC30D39C@imcnet.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:21:45 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc74l$47l2@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <3510B503.CC30D39C@imcnet.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!rill.news.pipex.net!pipex!u
unet!in3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Subject: cmsg cancel <MPG.f7bb8983efffb5c989680@news.cei.net>
Control: cancel <MPG.f7bb8983efffb5c989680@news.cei.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:25:21 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7bc$47l6@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <MPG.f7bb8983efffb5c989680@news.cei.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!Supernews73!Supernews60!sup
ernews.com!uunet!in3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <3512716E.EDD@earthlink.net>
Control: cancel <3512716E.EDD@earthlink.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:26:04 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7co$45l8@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <3512716E.EDD@earthlink.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com
!news.bbnplanet.com!uunet!in3.uu.net!news.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <6eu0bn$8cu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Control: cancel <6eu0bn$8cu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:26:50 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7e6$45l15@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <6eu0bn$8cu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!ais.net!uunet!in3.uu.net!ne
ws.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <6eu1uk$3el@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Control: cancel <6eu1uk$3el@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:27:36 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7fk$45l17@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <6eu1uk$3el@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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Path: moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!ais.net!uunet!in3.uu.net!ne
ws.ra.rockwell.com!unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com
From: Ron Sponsler <sponsler@esi-solutions.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: cmsg cancel <35129d2d.15743447@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Control: cancel <35129d2d.15743447@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Date: Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:28:01 -0500
Organization: Rockwell Automation
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6fc7gd$45l18@scarecrow.ra.rockwell.com>
References: <35129d2d.15743447@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 161.153.11.218
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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3169. Re: what parts are need for op - am interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Alan, VE3NNM" <NoMail@Nowhere.ca>
Message-ID: <6fd3gumfh1@newsbell.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 165650

pathana@is3.nyu.edu (o-o) wrote:
>
> I like to try to make an interface so that i can use hamcomm3 and
> listen to my radio through my sound card of my pc. but i need a
> interface. Right.
> I thought since I can use solder equipment why not give a try.
> What parts are needed -- I like to take this list to Radio S. and
> buy and give a try. Pl. help. thanks a million. pathana@is3.nyu.edu
>
The software packages that use a sound card do not interface to
your computer the same way as HamComm does. HamComm uses a simple
op-amp that plugs into your serial (or COM) port. The purpose of
the op-amp is to take the continuously-variable voltages from a
speaker lead, and turn it into a binary voltage. By binary, I mean
that the signal coming out of the op-amp and going into your COM
port at any instant will be at one of only two possible voltages.
Your computer can then understand the converted audio signal as the
"ones" and "zeros" that it uses to process the data. HamComm is
not the only package that uses this style of interface, there are
dozens of programs that use this methood, and read different types
of data. Since HamComm is the most famous, this interface is
referred to as a "HamComm-style" interface. For information on
HamComm, with a parts list and diagram, check out:
http://www.accessone.com/~tmayhan/

There are also many software packages that will receive and send
different types of data via your sound card. With these, you simply
connect your audio source to the audio input of your sound card.
If you wish to transmit, then you would use the audio output of
your soundcard to drive the microphone input of your radio, and
would construct a simple circuit to operate the push-to-talk
switch in your radio from the computer.

3170. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351a0fac.5586751@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165651

On 25 Mar 1998 15:43:41 GMT, obfd@aol.com (OBFD) wrote:

<snip>

>Let's see, call a guy's kids "morons", let's see if THAT pisses him off. No,
>Max, it's you who is the moron, in fact, my little "morons" appear to be
>superior beings to you.

It's simple genetics: You're a moron so your kids are morons. Morons
beget more morons.

>All of you that seem to defend the NAMBLA post (and there have been a few,
>though NOT NEARLY AS MANY WHO THINK YOU ARE SICK F**K's) must have something in
>your heart for these guys, maybe I SHOULD pull the plug...

I didn't see anyone defending the NAMBLA post. Mackey asked what it
was and somebody told him.
>
>Bunch 'o pedophiles in this group. (not EVERYONE, just the defenders)
>
>Kids hear profanity everyday. TV, Radio, classroom,
>
>But pedophilia, that's some sick stuff.
>
>And disguised as acceptable (read the NAMBLA crap, you all are the ones
>defending it, you must understand something us humans don't.
>
>LUHOOSERS!

You are the loser because you post from behind an AOL screen name.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

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We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

3171. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351a1335.6491530@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165652
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On 26 Mar 1998 00:59:32 GMT, thehamguy1@aol.com (TheHamGuy1) wrote:

>
>>_John "NAMBLA Charter Member, and damn proud of it" *KA0SSF*

>> tried to deflect the truth:

>>>

>>> > >George Vetterle wrote:

>>> > >> Are they affiliated with NAMBLA?

>>>

>>> PARG has NOTHING to do with this organization.

>>

>>PARG is the Portland chapter for NAMBLA, and Toilet Boy it's

>>most famous spokesperson.

>
>Any Ham should be offended by this mockery.
>When have these loudmouths(Cheek followers) done anything for Radio
>
>Hamboner

Any Ham should also be offended by the antics of John Mackey.
If you're going to be righteously indignant then you should start by
posting with your real name and not an AOL screen name.

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3172. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner originating from Rockwell Automation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351a186e.7828734@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165653

On 26 Mar 1998 04:43:59 GMT, azraelboy@aol.com (AzraelBoy) wrote:

>>From: Bob Eisner <boei@trifox.com>
>>Date: Wed, Mar 25, 1998 20:43 EST
>>Message-id: <3519B2A8.260E@trifox.com>
>>
>>Hi All,
>>
>>It appears that someone from Rockwell Automation has issued
>>a series of Rogue Cancels in the rec.radio.scanner and
>>alt.radio.scanner News groups AGAIN!!!
>
>So what? The messages she cancelled were not about scanning anyhow.
>
>You should be glad.
>
>AB

I am glad. Every time I read one of your posts, I'm glad
that I'm not like you. Hehehehe.

George L. Vetterle
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geovet@worldnet.att.net

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have to show you any stinking badges!"-
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3173. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
Message-ID: <351A2806.7F68@usa.net>
Source record: 165654

OBFD wrote:
> CHIMP!

You're probably right, HE is a Chimp!

3174. BC8500XLT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: djkeving@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032609463101.EAA02257@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165655

IS THE BC8500XLT CELLULAR RESTOREBLE??

3175. Re: Garden State Parkway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog1427@erols.com
Message-ID: <351A241D.AD90980C@erols.com>
Source record: 165656

Try 866.562 for the GSP and 867.762 for the turnpike if you do not have a trunk tracker. Even though it's a trunk system they seem to always come up on these same freqs.
Michael

3176. BC8500XLT QUESTION?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: djkeving@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032610054201.FAA29691@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165657

CAN THE CELL FREQ'S BE RESTORED?

3177. BC8500XLT QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: djkeving@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032610085101.FAA29792@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165658

COULD IT BE RESTORED FOR CELL FREQ'S?

3178. Re: MOBITEX HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOSPAM remove XX to reamail <telecom@deal-maker.comXX>
Message-ID: <351A26C0.6732@deal-maker.comXX>
Source record: 165659

Yes, I thi several times,
nothing about to remove the hex dump from screen.

The program is running,
but some users I cant read ?
Others I do.

I set the syncbyte's etc in to a startup BAT file,
but the are all the same at all the channels,
that isnt the problem.

Also info about the subject from the different control bytes #1 #2,
is welcom.

So when possible to give me some info to get started with,
will be very helpfull to.

> Try reading the docs or the online help when you add the command
line
> "/?".

Jan
NL
/

3179. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lidstrom <jlidstrom@accessone.com>
Message-ID: <351A32A4.26B64D27@accessone.com>
Source record: 165660

does this group have a moderator, and if so could the moderator please turn
these two pathetic turds OFF.

Bill Cheek wrote:

> "Charlie Warfield, Jr." <charlie66@ameritech.net> wrote:
>
> > Bill is a self-righteous
>
> What does that mean? Just because I won't sit
> in on your kangaroo court judgments? hah! You
> can take your judgments and shove 'em where the
> sun never, ever shines.
>
> > creep who is lucky to have the technical expertise he does,
>
> Lucky? Ha ha ha ha ha ha..... Psssst, hey Charley Tuna,
> I *make* my luck instead of sitting around polishing a
> damn bench with a hard luck story and a song of woe.
>
> > because sure as flies on shit he aint makin' it on
> > personality.
>
> Wellll, sure as shit stinks, I never aimed to win
> any personality contests. Those are too tame and
> lame for my blood. Now I enjoy a good asskicking
> contest once in a while. But you knew that. That's
> why you are all bent over, right Charley Tuna?
>
> > He's the kind of guy they had in mind when they invented
> > the term "road rage".
>
> Me? Hah! I don't get mad much anymore. Getting
> mad just creates bad vibes and gives indigestion.
> But then I don't *need* to get mad anymore.
>
> > He's the kind of guy who arrives late at a party
>
> Noooooooo, you're way off base there. I'm always
> early. I was taught "Dominelli Time" years ago.
>
> > and then tells everyone he's late because he was busy performing the
> > world's first brain transplant or similar heroic feat.
>
> The only times I tell stuff like that is when I actually

> do it. Then, yeah, hell yes, I'm proud of it. Take
> you, fer instance......you were my first patient. Problem
> was, I couldn't tell which end was which. So rather than
> a lobotmy, I wound up doing a rectalotmy on you. The ironic
> thing is.....that it worked.
>
> > The three words that describe him best are: "what a jag!"
> > The reason he likes himself so much is because no one else does.
>
> It's more correct to say that I don't give a shit if you
> "like" me or not. You can eat my shorts for all I care.
> You ain't worth being a "liker" anyway. You're the kind
> who'd want something for it. And get pissed when I said no.
>
> So, no. What part of "no" don't you understand?
>
> > John, and I admit I am just speculating here, is a retired and/or
> > unemployed old bastard with waayyy too much time on his hands.
>
> Nope. He's a young peckerwood, with a 2" overbite, a cleft
> palate, a harelip, and grafted foreskins for eyelids. And
> queerer than a $3 bill. Kind of like you, when you get right
> down to it, though I readily admit that your harelip isn't
> as bad as Mackey's.
>
> > He's the kind of guy who still broods because some schoolyard bully
> > punched him out 50 years ago.
>
> Yep. I kicked his ass from here to next Tuesday and it
> still sticks in his craw. Just ask 'im, Charley-Tuna.
>
> > I'll check back here again in about 4-6 months to see if there's anyone
> > still on this NG besides Bill & John.
>
> Up to your same old tricks, eh Charley-Tuna? By all
> means, you just come around and drop in any old time.
> And, of course, do feel free to pack sand.

3180. Aus. CB Emergency Groups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ACREM - NSW <acrem-nsw@swl.net>
Message-ID: <3519FC75.B05CBC7A@swl.net>
Source record: 165661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,aus.radio.amateur.wicen,aus.radio.amateur.misc,misc.emerg-services,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,aus.radio.scanner

AUSTRALIAN CBRS EMERGENCY SERVICES DIRECTORY

A.C.R.E.M. - NSW would like to compile a directory of all Australian CBRS Monitoring groups, for distribution amongst these groups. The purpose is to allow Monitors to contact other Monitors should the need arise (such as during 27MHz "Skip" calls, when a call from far, far away could be taken).

We are looking for the contact details of ANY Australian CBRS Emergency Monitoring organisation, or any organisation that partakes in this form of operations, so we can send them a letter detailing the proposal and seeking the relevant contact details.

If you know of, or are involved with, such a group, PLEASE advise us of their contact details (preferably for the head governing body), or ask them to contact us. Even if you think we may already have their details, our information may be out-of-date so please let us know anyway, just in case!

Messages can be sent to E-Mail: acrem-nsw@swl.net
OR, by Fax to: (02) 4990 7751
OR, by mail to: Australian CBRS Emergency Services Directory
A.C.R.E.M. - NSW
P.O. Box 719
CESSNOCK NSW 2325

Thank you.

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==
**** A.C.R.E.M. - NSW ****
Australian Citizens Radio Emergency Monitors - NSW
P.O. Box 719, Cessnock NSW 2325, Australia
Phone: (02) 4991 1156, Fax: (02) 4990 7751
http://www.swl.net/acrem-nsw acrem-nsw@swl.net
CB Radio Saves Lives - Yours Could Be Next!!
==

3181. Re: RS2006 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Burke Jr <barry_b@snet.net>
Message-ID: <351A4388.BCD8A8BE@snet.net>
Source record: 165662
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Barry Burke Jr wrote:
>
> For Sale
>
> Radio Shack Pro-2006 w/ Optoscan OS456, discriminator tap, & PROgramit
> installed. Excellent condition, this radio was purchased NEW (Old
> Stock) in 1996.
>
> Demo versions of control programs included.
>
> $425 USD + shipping - CONUS only please.

This is SOLD. Thanks to all who responded.

Barry

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****
Barry Burke Jr. barry_b@snet.net
SNET Internet Administration
****

3182. Re: AOR8000 New, Unblocked, $395

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032613064301.IAA11577@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165663

>Subject: AOR8000 New, Unblocked, $395
>From: "Martyn" <martyn@intecc.co.uk>
>Date: Wed, Mar 25, 1998 16:58 EST
>Message-id: <351982c5.0@norbert.cerbernet.co.uk>
>
>Sorry if we have offended anyone by our advertising
>
>
If you are worried about offending anyone, then why do it? It doesn't make sense to alienate potential customers but if that is your particular marketing strategy, good luck.

3183. Re: Rogue Cancel Summary for rec.radio.scanner | alt.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032613104400.IAA11928@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165664

>Subject: Rogue Cancel Summary for rec.radio.scanner | alt.radio.scanner
>From: "Robert H. Eisner" <rheisner@worldnet.att.net>
>Date: Thu, Mar 26, 1998 03:28 EST
>Message-id: <6fd3ke$ett@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>

>The following is a list of articles that were Illegally cancelled by someone
>at Rockwell Automation. If your name is on this list, you may want to send
>a complaint to "unix-admin@mke.ra.rockwell.com". I have the headers of the
>cancels if you need them.

My name is on the list and I'm flattered! It's like being on the Nixon's enemy list. Obviously, I have offended some cowardly, sneak thief lowlife and that pleases me greatly. Thanks for the head's up--I appreciate it. Now, I have to hunt the rascal down and complain to his provider. What fun!

3184. Re: PROgramit & John M.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: nutty@and.fruity
Message-ID: <351c4b28.1853891@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165665
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

That's rich!

Like anyone would think you had 1/2 a brain.......

_John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net> wrote:

>I have received a couple e-mails about this. So let me
>answer NOW to avoid confusion, NO, I am NOT the "John M"
>he refers to below>
>
>I'm glad to be of assistance!
>
>
>Chris Stankeviz wrote:
>> I would also like to personally thank John M, creator of

3185. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: nutty@and.fruity
Message-ID: <351d4b65.1914744@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165666
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Sure you do, johnny. Sure you do. It's ok. We understand.

_John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net> wrote:

>YOU are the LIAR because I have a recent e-mail from Bill Cheek to prove
>it!
>
>How pathetic YOU are!
>
>
>Macaroon wrote:
>> How come when I tried to send you mail just now, it got returned?
>> "No such user jmackey@usa.net on this system"

3186. Re: What's with all the Bill Cheek and John Mackey crapola?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: nutty@and.fruity
Message-ID: <351e4baa.1984415@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165667
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Are you like a little 3 year old who covers his eyes and *THINKS* nobody can see him? Sure seems that way! Perhaps you just ARE a 3 year old.....

The proof was right below where you, conviently, snipped the rest of the message out.

Nice try, FOOL! Just keep on lying until SOMEBODY believes you. It may take a while, but I'm sure there's at least 1 other person out there as thick and moronic as you.

_John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net> wrote:

>How do you prove that I have lied?
>
>
>Macaroon wrote:
>> Sure you have - there's another example right here ! You just LIED again. FOOL!

3187. help!pro-46 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: shank@aol.com
Message-ID: <351a4de5.36689072@news.idt.net>
Source record: 165668

cant recieve anything...is there anywhere on the circuit board i can increase the gain????

3188. Help with service docs for Bearcat 210 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Burch <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bd588b$201cd1e0$1e0f9fcf@john>
Source record: 165669

Hello ScanFans:

A visit by a friend with a new scanner caused me to
realize just how deaf my trusty '210 XLT has become
over the years.

Anyone know where service information (schematic,
board layout, component location, block diagram etc)
for this unit might be found? I think it's time to tighten a
number of those Little Loose Screws I found in there...

Thanks in advance

John
occupant@ns.net
...

3189. Re: FS- AOR 3000A Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rico Johnston <ricoj@nmia.com>
Message-ID: <351A61B8.8F1B267D@nmia.com>
Source record: 165670
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

If you don't like the price don't buy it. It is a free market.

segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

> It shouldn't e more than $500.00, you are charging too much money, no one
> cares if it is mint. Who would pay an extra $300.00 because an eqpt is mint.
>
> Greediness is bad.
>
> In article <6f6lml$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
> bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
> >
> > >I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
> > >imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
> > >the radio has never been used outdoors.
> > >
> > >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
> > >to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
> > >following:
> > >
> > >* Software and computer cable
> > >* AC adaptor
> > >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
> > >* Telescopic whip antenna
> > >
> > >I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
> > >shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
> >
> >
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3190. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fdopd$90c@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

That's funny, by your own admission on my posting to try and sell this same radio, you commented it was only WORTH $500, even in MINT condition.

Gee, I wonder why you are now asking $150 more than what you yourself said the radio is worth. I believe this is an excellent example of your lack of integrity. Accordingly, all potential buyers of anything that you have to sell now, and in the future, should be more cautious. Have a good day!

On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 05:16:46 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

>Brand new AOR3000A with box, xmas gift, never been used.
>$650.00.
>
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3191. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fdp6n$90c@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Additionally information to all potential buyers and/or sellers
dealing with Mr. owodunni:

I've received an e-mail message from a gentleman who has also had the
displeasure of dealing with this guy. Apparently Mr. Owodunni offered
an extremely low offer on somethig this gentleman was selling. When
he declined the offer, Mr. owodunni replied with one of his
inappropriate and graphic displays of the english language, which I
may add is somewhat lacking. Have a good day folks!

On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 14:33:04 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
(Kin Ho) wrote:

>That's funny, by your own admission on my posting to try and sell this
>same radio, you commented it was only WORTH $500, even in MINT
>condition.
>
>Gee, I wonder why you are now asking $150 more than what you yourself
>said the radio is worth. I believe this is an excellent example of
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>

3192. FS: SCOUT MODEL40 for AR8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: 藤川 昭夫 <fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp>
Message-ID: <351A6756.35A03C04@nk.rim.or.jp>
Source record: 165673
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.redio.shortwave,alt.redio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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Hello!
I have SCOUT of AR8000.
MINT. condition. With box.manual.
$250 or \32,500- + shipping.

Please e-mail.

akio fujikawa
fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp
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3193. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6fdqfs$rr0$0@207.18.224.79>
Source record: 165674
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 15:10:56 -0800, _John *KA0SSF*
<ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org> wrote:

>thanks Dana!
>
>
>
>Dana Yeomans wrote:
>> i want to know whats wrong with john mackey? let him post.
>> he has some good points.

Before you thank him, you might want to read his next post, where
he states that he should have read the thread closer. He evidently
saw your true colors.

3194. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6fdqgi$rr0$1@207.18.224.79>
Source record: 165675

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 21:18:54 -0800, -John- KA0SSF
<ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org> wrote:

>What evidence or proof do you have to support your statement, Blake?
>
>
>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> John, there are literally HUNDREDS of people after you to get you to
>> change your ways.

John, I guess the best indicator, is the number of people who have
made posts with statements such as...

John, Your a MORON!
BACK IN THE BOX MACKEY
Get a life Mackey
John (many assorted expletives deleted)

and on and on.

Now, many of these have come from people or posters that cannot
be verified as being an actual poster, so let's discount posters
that do not use a real name, real ISP (Meaning not ISPs such as
USA.NET) and perhaps people who do not use a callsign. Only
take posters who have at least 2 of the above.

Looking a Dejanews, it clearly shows HUNDREDS of people who
fit the above description making comments such as above.

3195. Re: FS: SCOUT SOLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Schwerdtman <Bob9000@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <351A6CF6.28EE@concentric.net>
Source record: 165676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Bob Schwerdtman wrote:
>
> Hi. I am selling my Scout model 40 version 3.1
> Reaction tunes the AR8000 and others. Unit is in excellent condition and
> comes with manual, Ac adaptor, DB32 stubby antenna, Custom carrying
> case, and the cable that tunes the R-11 interceptor and Icom R-10
> $225.00 including insured shipping. Postal money order up front.
> Thanks
> BOB
> 847-356-5665

Scout is sold. Thanks to all who responded.

3196. Re: MDT's in Southwestern Ontario??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <enzo@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <351A7553.E47@ibm.net>
Source record: 165677

Chris Fortner wrote:
>
> Does anyone know if any services are using MDT's in the London ->
> Windsor corridor?? Do the OPP use terminals like these??
> If there are some in use, please post the freqs.
>
> Thanks in advance!

Your Wave file sounds like 4800bps data to me. The packets seem to be
random which could indicate a busy mobile system. However, it could
also be a link for pretty much anything.

3197. Uniden Bearcat 50XL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bjornol@vestfoldnett.no
Message-ID: <351A7EFC.35E211C6@vestfoldnett.no>
Source record: 165678
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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Uniden Bearcat 50 XL
Programmable Scanner (handheld).

User manual for programming anyone ?
Freq. coverage ?

Please reply to: bjornol@vestfoldnett.no
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3198. MINT PRO-2006 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: xhduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <351a8800.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 165679

I have a Radio Shack PRO-2006 scanner for sale.
25 - 520/ 760 - 1300 MHz.
AM/FMn/FMw
Cell mod.
Mint condition with box and manual.
US $310

Please DO NOT AUTOreply.
Send a NEW message to hduff@ica.net

3199. FS PRO 2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tury8@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fduns$1ib$1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have a pro2005 that i need to get rid off.It has no extra stuff , just the radio.It's cell modify.400 memories.Gets from 25-1300 mhz. Good condition.Asking 280 dollars or best offer. Thanks.tury8@webtv.net

3200. Re: Base Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <351A5DBA.8ACEE24F@vnet.com>
Source record: 165681
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jose Cuervo wrote:
> I have a few handheld scanners, and want to get a good base station
> scanner.
> I hear so much about radio Shacks Pro-20XX's, whats the best/worst...

The no-longer made PRO-2005/2006 are very popular and considered
classics. The current PRO-2042s are quite nice; they're not quite
the receiver the 2005/2006s are but they have a LOT more features.
All of these can be controlled via hardware board and computer
software making them killer monitoring stations.

> And what about other companies? ... Also are there any base scanners
> that can recieve 1-1Ghz? all of the scanners i have now start at 30 Mhz,
> i am missing out on all the lower bands...

As for the typical American brands(Uniden/Radio Shack), you'll only
get VHF/UHF while keeping prices in moderation. For HF coverage,
you'll have to go the "exotic" route and get an AOR or iCOM...and
of course, expect to spend $1000-$2000.

The newest breed are the "stock" computer controlled radios...
iCOM IC-PCR1000 & WiNRADiO WR-1000i. Both go from 500kHz to
1300MHz but can only be used with a computer. The PCR1000 is
a "black box" while the WR-1000i is an ISA card. Either will
run you about $500.

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

3201. FS: BEARCAT BC-100XLT HANDHELD SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <351A8D59.4AF4@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165682
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Uniden Bearcat BC 100xlt Handheld Scanner

Features: -New NiCd Battery Pack
-(1) VHF Rubberduck Antenna
-(1) UHF Rubberduck Antenna
-Earphone (extra length)
-Wall Charger
-Original Case

Radio Features -100 Channels
-10 Ch./bank, 10 banks
-Weather Search
-29-54, 118-174, 406-512 Mhz
-Band Search

The radio has had some use and I'm proud to say, I've taken good care of it over the years. Everything works perfectly.

I'm asking $100.00 for this beauty. It is a very useful radio and will give you more years of quality scanning.

Please EMAIL me or CALL me at (305)895-4355 between the hours of 10:00am & 9:00pm.

73,
Bill

3202. RealVideo: Police scanner as a tool for artists

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: nonlinear@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6fe88cvsc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.2600,alt.radio.pirate

In this clip from the documentary Sonic Outlaws, the rock band Negativland show how to use "found sound" -- particularly sound grabbed from the airwaves -- to make a political and artistic statement. It's hilarious--especially as we listen in on a gay couple having a spat, and then see how Negativland uses this audio in its music.

http://www.freespeech.org/boards/police.html
(scroll down to find the link to this particular file)

RealVideo programs require RealPlayer 5.0 or better and at least a 28.8 modem connection to the internet. Those with slower modems, or older RealAudio players, may listen in, but not watch. Download your free RealPlayer from http://www.real.com/products/player/

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3203. Re: Voice Opinions...!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351a8ec8.32405101@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165684

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Will McArthur" <BIP0LAR@bigfoot.com> wrote:

> I'm looking for opinions from any/all about what they think
> is the best scanner. I'm looking to come out of retirement
> and start another "investigative" business. I have a need
> for a receiver in the 500khz to say 4Ghz. Or something that
> cover most of that range. Cell would be nice and I won't
> feel bad If I have to import it. The only requirment I ask
> is that solid/verifible "tech" information be provided also.
> Like...channels,bands,scan rate,battery life,back-lit,jacks
> & plugs,computer interface,...etc...you get the idea.
>
> I have plenty of roon in my box so "full" it up!
> {with the requested information only...spammers will have
> thier phones [you fill in the blank]
>
> Thanks in advance.

Sounds like with your "requirements", you may need to
hire a consultant to do that kind of work for you. It's
not likely any freely submitted information here will
meet your critical and exacting needs. Nor would you
want to "bank" on any such.

Also, with your need for 500 kHz to 4 GHz, you're going
to have to consider some discrete specialized equipment.
Nothing of that nature comes in one package. You'll
need to assemble a system from separate components, much
like putting a complete stereo system together.

For your situation, there isn't any "best" of this and
that. The entire scope of your operation has to be
considered and taken into account....no small task.

Sounds like an engineering problem to me. IMHO.

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Bill Cheek - President/CEO/Publisher \ /
COMMtronics Engineering/World Scanner Report \/
Box 262478 ~ San Diego ~ CA ~ 92196-2478 /\

bcheek@san.rr.com ftp://204.210.11.204 / \
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
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3204. Re: Help identify this signal...??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jory McIntosh <JMCINT1@FLASH.NET>
Message-ID: <01bd58e1$19fae1c0$52830a0a@JMclnt1>
Source record: 165685
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Cell Phone data channel is what this is. It is used to control the cell phones within the cell sites "cell".
Listening to these is a volition of FCC regs......

73
Jory

Chris Fortner <cfortner@netrover.com> wrote in article <351a9566.548184@news.netrover.com>...
>

3205. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: GHansen <Glenn.Hansen@USA.NET>
Message-ID: <01bd58df$eec54960$0c0337a6@glenn>
Source record: 165686

John Lidstrom <jlidstrom@accessone.com> wrote in article
<351A32A4.26B64D27@accessone.com>...
> does this group have a moderator, and if so could the moderator please
turn
> these two pathetic turds OFF.

Actually Bill Cheek quit responding to The Idiot Mackey about a week ago. That won't stop TIM (The Idiot Mackey) though. If you had any historical perspective you would know TIM (The Idiot Mackey) is like the energizer bunny. Toward the end of 1997 he set a USENET record for the most off topic posts in a 30 day period, 397 I believe was the number. TIM (The Idiot Mackey) has since averaged about 200 off topic messages a month. TIM (The Idiot Mackey) does try and fake a scanner related message every so often. You will notice he usually does this right after somebody makes an issue how worthless he and his posts are.

Now the technical side of it all. You may have read about killfiles and such things to battle folks like TIM (The Idiot Mackey). They aren't needed. All you have to do is look at the subject or author before opening a message. If it says KA0SSF in one of its many forms you know you have message from or about TIM (The Idiot Mackey) simply skip it. He has yet to post anything of importance to this newsgroup so this simple technique will remove 90% of the turdage that seems to be bringing you down.

Since the feds let go of the system and the public as a whole was allowed to use the Internet, USENET has been a haven for all the freaks, geeks and misfits like TIM (The Idiot Mackey). You just have to ignore them. OTOH, with the antics of TIM (The Idiot Mackey) it makes the real contributors messages even more of a find when they appear.

Don't let it get to you John L.

Glenn

3206. RS Pro 2039...mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim Russell <kbrussell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <351A9486.20137CCA@earthlink.net>
Source record: 165687

Are ther any mods/upgrades for the Radio Shack Pro 2039 available? If you know of any, please respond to me directly.

Thanks

3207. Re: Help identify this signal...??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6fe92b$jkf@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 165688
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

"Jory McIntosh" (JMCINT1@FLASH.NET) writes:
> Cell Phone data channel is what this is. It is used to control the cell
> phones within the cell sites "cell".
> Listening to these is a volition of FCC regs......
>
Up in Canada, where the original poster is the FCC has NO CONTROL!!!

3208. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032620061801.PAA29714@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165689

You pose a very interesting question. I hope it will be asked again in a
different thread, so that the intelligent beings in this NG (who ignore
anything with Mackey.Cheek, unless they see humor in this, as I do) will see it

Thank You

<BIG time major snip>

>Now, on to the subject at hand: scanners.
>
>Like other users who have posted in here recently, I too am interested
>in digital capable scanners. Also, if the public emergency services did
>go digital, would there be any recourse for the general scanning public
>to acquire the demodulating codes for the digital encoding for their
>"digital radios"?
>
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>

3209. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032620005800.PAA29035@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165690

Mr. Bowers,

What you say here may be said with EQUAL support regarding Mr. Mackey's equally offensive nemesis, Mr. Cheek.

I thought I recognized you from radioscanner BBS, if so, I thought you were better than this.

>John, I guess the best indicator, is the number of people who have
>made posts with statements such as...
>
>John, Your a MORON!
>BACK IN THE BOX MACKEY
>Get a life Mackey
>John (many assorted expletives deleted)
>
>and on and on.
>
>Now, many of these have come from people or posters that cannot
>be verified as being an actual poster, so let's discount posters
>that do not use a real name, real ISP (Meaning not ISPs such as
>USA.NET) and perhaps people who do not use a callsign. Only
>take posters who have at least 2 of the above.
>
>Looking a Dejanews, it clearly shows HUNDREDS of people who
>fit the above description making comments such as above.
>
>

3210. FS: Icom 7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: gregg@plains.nodak.edu
Message-ID: <6fec2uclq1@node2.nodak.edu>
Source record: 165691

Icom IC7100 scanning receiver for sale. 900 memories. Full freq coverage from 25Mhz to 2000Mhz continuous coverage, no gaps. All modes, many types of scan and search functions. Terrific rx, little or no intermod from this baby. This is a great radio/scanner. You can add a CT17 interface and then control the radio from a computer. I can send the brochure to you as an attachment in pdf format.

$800 plus shipping.

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Joe Gregg N0RF
gregg@plains.nodak.edu
(-------------------------------------)

3211. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032620205101.PAA01834@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165692

>(George Vetterle)

>I didn't see anyone defending the NAMBLA post. Mackey asked what it
>was and somebody told him.

Obviously YOU don't know how to read. Also, I did what selfrighteous idiots like you always whine about, and took it to e-mail. I think I made a point, as I have yet to hear back (after several exchanges)

BUT, to be sure, there were several of you like minded fools who said stuff like "I'll post whatever I damn well feel like, if it offends your kids don't let 'em in here" kind of bull, as if raping little boys has anything to do with scanners or the size of Mackeys pecker in Butt's Cheeks. (for simpleton's like you, that's Bill Cheek)

I will say one thing, BCheek has made himself scarce on off topics, one down, how many shticks like you to go?

And as for screen names (ref this AND your next post) just WHO do you think you are to tell someone HOW to post.

YOU sure don't want anyone telling you WHAT to post. DORKUS!

No, it's the best you can do to try to offend someone, and like the "moron" crap, that's school yard stuff. My kids are WAY above you!

Hose off!!, Eh

3212. FS: RS2006/opto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: gregg@plains.nodak.edu
Message-ID: <6feceeclq2@node2.nodak.edu>
Source record: 165693

Pro2006 with opto interface, full coverage, no gaps. EL panel is weak but readable and otherwise radio works fine. Opto board makes the 2006 into a completely computer controlled machine. It scans fast, has a terrific receiver and is arguably the best scanner ever made.

$375 plus shipping

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Joe Gregg N0RF
gregg@plains.nodak.edu
(-------------------------------------)

3213. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032620234400.PAA02218@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165694

Geo,

ANY HAM should be offended by some self righteous idiot like you who, one one hand, agrees with those who say "I'l post whatever I..." ALL WHILST storking with your other hand and saying "you need to use a screen name like..."

FOOL, you aren't even an EXCUSE for a HAM!

Maybe you're a NAMBLA boy?

>Any Ham should also be offended by the antics of John Mackey.
>If you're going to be righteously indignant then you should start by
>posting with your real name and not an AOL screen name.
>
>George L. Vetterle
>geovet@ix.netcom.com

3214. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032620332800.PAA03607@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165695

>Subject: Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?
>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>Date: Thu, Mar 26, 1998 15:20 EST
>Message-id: <1998032620205101.PAA01834@ladder03.news.aol.com>

>Obviously YOU don't know how to read. Also, I did what selfrighteous idiots
>like you always whine about, and took it to e-mail. I think I made a point,
>as
>I have yet to hear back (after several exchanges)

[a great deal of wacko snorting deleted]

Yeah, I sent this clown an e-mail but what I got in return was a bunch of ranting, raving lunatic stuff, so I turned on the bozo filter. He's been mad dogging it here for more than a week, despite his claims to have taken it to e-mail. Notice that he's yet to post a single thing about scanners, which is what he ostensibly is here to do.

>I will say one thing, BCheek has made himself scarce on off topics, one down,
how many shticks like you to go?

Hey buzzbomb, look over here... see that door? No one is preventing you from leaving.

>crap, that's school yard stuff. My kids are WAY above you!
>
>Hose off!!, Eh

I pity your kids, having a hypocritical vulgar bum like you for a father.

3215. scout of ar8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: 藤川 昭夫 <fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp>
Message-ID: <35192EBC.47A2E13B@nk.rim.or.jp>
Source record: 165710
Cross-posted to: alt.phreaking,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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Hello!
I have SCOUT of AR8000.
MINT. condition. With box.manual.
$250 or \32,500- + shipping.

Please e-mail.

akio fujikawa
fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp
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3216. MDT's in Southwestern Ontario??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cfortner@netrover.com
Message-ID: <3519a136.3561719@news.netrover.com>
Source record: 165711

Does anyone know if any services are using MDT's in the London ->
Windsor corridor?? Do the OPP use terminals like these??
If there are some in use, please post the freqs.

Thanks in advance!

3217. Re: Scanner Freq Database(Chicago Computer Broker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: neutrodyne@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032600333500.TAA16443@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165712

I don't know about that CD, but the only Chicago Computer Broker CD I ever used had a virus in it's install & access programs also wouldn't run without going through many weird setup hoops...Maybe it was the virus but who needs the headaches?. Needless to say I now avoid products with that name like the plague.

3218. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey700@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032600532800.TAA20223@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165713

Seems Butt Cheeks and his defenders are very two-faced.
Now it seems, on topic is some gay butt crap.
I'd rather do the work that PARG does, furthering Ham Radio and Scanning.
Stooges flock together!
Jerry M

3219. Re: Atomic Clock Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey700@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980326004341 01.TAA18370@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165714

Another Idea:
Search for the real audio link to the US Navy Observatory Master Clock --it is a voice announcement to the second--probably atomic time!

Download after searching for freeware Atom Time v1.3 or

For Dr Who fans --Download Tardis for Win95 v3.o

Jerry M.

3220. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032600593201.TAA21384@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165715
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>_John "NAMBLA Charter Member, and damn proud of it" *KA0SSF*

> tried to deflect the truth:

>>

>> > >George Vetterle wrote:

>> > >> Are they affiliated with NAMBLA?

>>

>> PARG has NOTHING to do with this organization.

>

>PARG is the Portland chapter for NAMBLA, and Toilet Boy it's

>most famous spokesperson.

Any Ham should be offended by this mockery.
When have these loudmouths(Cheek followers) done anything for Radio

Hamboner

3221. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ozzy <mscott@user1.teleport.NOSPAM.com>
Message-ID: <6fc9hc$5mh$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 165716

Leave me out of this.

Tim Tyler said:

: If he manually enters in a PARG or usa.net address to make it seem
: like he posted from them, forward his posting(s) on to
: webmaster@parg.org & mscott@teleport.com, and abuse@usa.net, so they're
: made aware of the tie-in.

: Prevention is better than cure!

: --
: Tim Tyler
: ttyler@mich.com
: http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

--
mscott@teleport.COM Public Access User --- Not affiliated with Teleport
Public Access UNIX and Internet at (503) 220-1016 (2400-28800, N81)

3222. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cipher <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <01bd5855$04678700$0306bdcc@Win95.Jabis>
Source record: 165717

I wasn't serious, you dork.

3223. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cipher <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <01bd5854$cdc3cba0$0306bdcc@Win95.Jabis>
Source record: 165718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Talking about you, chump.

_John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net> wrote in article
<3518BABD.5A3@usa.net>...
> Well said!
>
> unfortunately, we've told Cheek that MANY times & he won't listen.
>
> :(
>
> Bro Dogg wrote:
> > Hey, we don't even really like you anyway. You are way to childish to
> > be here. Why don't you be a big man and leave.
>

3224. Mods for a Pro-63 needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: vannjnco@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032601190900.UAA22102@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165719

I need and mods for a pro-63 scanner

3225. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6fcau1$gk1$0@207.18.224.112>
Source record: 165720

On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 00:02:41 -0800, _John *KA0SSF*
<ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> John, the question pools have been available since back in
>> the dick bash days. Long before the advent of No-Code
>> licensing. Long before.
>
>Wrong Blake :-/
>
How is it wrong John? Read what I said. The question pools
have been available since back in the Dick Bash days. Did I
say that they were available from the FCC? No. They were
available from Dick Bash.

The end result, is the same. The question pools WERE available!

>However, I do believe you are familar with the Bash Books. :)
>
Just like you are John.

>Actually, Dick Bash was interviewing
>people who came out of FCC offices immediately after they
>took their amateur radio test as getting them to write down
>one question & answer from the test they had just taken. He
>then printed a book of the results of this. A few years AFTER Bash
>had started doing this, the FCC made the question pool public &
>handed testing over to the VEC's such as the ARRL, W5YI, etc.

My point. And then, a few years AFTER that, the nocode license
became available.

My original post stated this fact, and you have been argueing ever
since. Is your point only to argue, or are you truly confused?

3226. Re: FS Standard HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcl1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032601280401.UAA23731@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165721
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

That C528A is completely keyboard programable for that 800-900+ segment.
This is just incase anyone needs that mod for their C528A.
It has been any excellent radio.
The receiver is hot as a pistol.
Rick

>C528A 2meter/440 comes with quick desk charger, 2 nicad battery, and a

>cigarett adapter. Recieves and transmitts on 100-180mhz, and 320-479mhz.

>Also recieves 820-979mhz countinuous. I'm asking $250 dollars. Good

>condition. Thanks. mgdforty@webtv.net

3227. WTB: Inexpensive Handheld 225-400 scanner.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bmichaelson@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3523b610.36727239@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 165722

I am a Student Naval Aviator who would like to purchase a used handheld scanner that gives me the ability to monitor 225-400 MHz.

That's all I need it for, no real "scanning", no other frequency ranges needed, I just need to monitor certain specific freqs within that range - nothing whiz-bang.

I'm looking for inexpensive though, not making a whole lot of cash right now...

Any help would be appreciated,.

Thanks in advance,

Blake K. Michaelson
bmichaelson-antispam-@earthlink.net

3228. Re: Help decoding Uniden manufacture date

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3519b7cc.11826746@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165723

On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:56:09 -0500, Scott Vieth <vieths@ameritech.net>
wrote:

>Hi:
>
>I've got a SportCat 150 (yellow, if you interested) that has a
>manufacture
>code of "0DID". Can anyone help me decode this?
>
>The reason I'm asking is that I had my SportKitty running next to my
>brand
>new BC895XLT and one of them was picking up cell phone calls in
>the neighborhood of 900MHz.
>
>Since I purchased the SportKitty about a year ago, I knew it could pick
>up phone conversations but I didn't think it was anything special. But
>now
>I'm running it side-by-side with my 895XLT and the 895 isn't picking
>up a damn thing in the 900 MHz range.
>
>I'm thinking that I got a SportKitty that was manufactured before the
>cellular ban went into effect. Maybe this particular radio sat on the
>shelf at Best Buy for quite a long time before I bought it last Summer?
>
>I can't think of any other reasons that would explain why my SC150 can
>pick up a ton of conversations and the 895 gets nothing. I even
>monkeyed
>with the antennas on both radios. The SC150 can still monitor phone
>conversations
>even with it antenna disconnected!
>
>Can anyone explain why the SC150 is picking up calls and the 895 is
>drawing a blank?
>
>-Scott

Would you believe that the reason is because the SC is junk.
The cell phone calls you are hearing in the 900mhz range are images of
something going on in the 870-894mhz range--the true freqs where the
cellphones operate.

3229. RS Pro 2046 Mods??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimmi@thecia.net
Message-ID: <6fceeulof2@usenet49.supernews.com>
Source record: 165724

Are there any mods that can be performed on the 2046? such as channel expansion or adding of a tone board? Anything at all, EXCEPT cellular

Jimmi
jimmi@thecia.net

3230. Re: Pro 2005 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351bbf44.13738455@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165725
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 16:58:09 -0800, mgdforty@webtv.net (Reservoir Dogs) wrote:

>I want to use this scanner for my car and i want to know is can i cut
>the AC cord and hook it up directly to my car or do i need to buy a DC
>cord from radio shack and plug it from the back of the DC out put?Also,
>what antenna can i use to get the most of this radio for my car?
>Thanks. mgdforty.webtv.net

Why cut the cord when you can buy a dc inverter and plug it in?
An added bonus to that arrangement would be that your wife could
blowdry her hair on the interstate when nothing good was on the
scanner.

...haha...yeah buy the dc adapter.

3231. R.S. Weather Radios Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman@localnet.com
Message-ID: <6fcfdc$s5m$1@usenet56.supernews.com>
Source record: 165726
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Over the years, R.S. has made a number of weather recievers, weather cubes & weather alert radios. I have a couple. Anyone possibly have a set of R.S. catalogs and be able (in spare time) to assist me in putting together a list of each unit, year made and catalog number? It would be greatly appreciated. Thanks for reading
Regards,
Ray Miller N2NJK

3232. Re: Help decoding Uniden manufacture date

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hazmat910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980326031830001.WAA17916@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165727

The SC only has double conversion while the newer radios such as the 895 have triple conversion. To some people this makes them "junk", to others it makes them very useful. If you like to listen to cell, an SC w/ double conversion may be better, but if you want to listen to exactly what is there then the 895 is the way to go.

3233. Re: Help identify this signal...?? - unknown.wav (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6fcnl9$ha4$1@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 165728
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Chris Fortner wrote in message <35199475.297129@news.netrover.com>...
>Can anyone identify what this signal is?? I am receiving it on
>901.850 Mhz in Southwestern Ontario, Canada.....

It sounds like a cellular control signal. It could be an image of
880.450 or 880.250 MHz (both within the cellphone band), depending on
what I.F. your scanner uses.

73 de Dave, NF2G

3234. FS: Bearcat 2500 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <MKIS.42$m57.236136@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 165729
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Check out http://www.wco.com/~sakane/forsale.html for more info.

3235. FS: Bearcat 100 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Sakane KD6DX <sakane@wco.com>
Message-ID: <SPIS.46$m57.239438@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 165730
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Check out http://www.wco.com/~sakane/forsale.html for more info.

3236. what parts are need for op - am interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: pathana@is3.nyu.edu
Message-ID: <6fci93$3bg$1@news.nyu.edu>
Source record: 165731

I like to try to make an interface so that i can use hamcomm3 and
listen to my radio through my sound card of my pc. but i need a
interface. Right.
I thought since I can use solder equipment why not give a try.
What parts are needed -- I like to take this list to Radio S. and
buy and give a try. Pl. help. thanks a million. pathana@is3.nyu.edu

3237. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jamtheham@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032603504801.WAA24129@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165732

In article <3519cf0d.0@news.ctlnet.com>, "Communications"
<communications@whitleynet.org> writes:

>
>P.S.: A tip on remaining anonymous when you call ANYONE. You may have caller
>I.D. in your area. If this is the case, or if you don't know, look in the
>front of your phone book, in the Custom Calling Options section, for "Caller
>ID Block", "Per Call Block", or "Privacy Calling". Federal law mandates
>telephone companies to provide this service. It will give you a short number
>to dial, something like "*67", before you dial the number to the police or
>welfare office. And just incase you didn't realize it, you don't have to
>subscribe to Caller ID for it to work on calls from you.

All very true. One important sidenote: don't call 9-1-1. Use the "regular"
number to the police department instead. Not only is 9-1-1 for emergency use
only, but *67 will NOT block your name, address, and telephone number from
appearing on the 9-1-1 computers.

3238. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jamtheham@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032603504901.WAA21170@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165733

In article <3519cf0d.0@news.ctlnet.com>, "Communications"
<communications@whitleynet.org> writes:

>
>P.P.S: I have worked as a public safety dispatcher for over ten years. I
>have been a "scanner head" for much longer than that. Just for the record,
>there are some people in the public safety and law enforcement fields who
>believe in and support the rights of scanner owners.

I believe most law enforcement personnel feel this way. The small number of
criminals who use scanners for illegal purposes is more than offset by the
number of tips they receive from concerned citizens who hear of suspicious
activities on their scanners and report them to the police. Unfortunately, the
two-bit politicians in Congress don't get it, but then again, they never do.

3239. Re: AR 8000 Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: brat@thumb.interlog.com
Message-ID: <6fckpg$2sb$1@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 165734

In article <6f4hk4$gm6$1@news.vaxxine.com>, "Dave Wilson" <dwilson@WarpLink.com> wrote:
>Can anyone suggest a decent antenna for the AR 8000 that works very well in
>the 130-160 mghz. range. I want to listen to the local police & fire
>department but the shitty factory rubber duck antenna doesn't quite cut
>it.
>

Ham radio dual banders do a pretty good job.

Bernie

--
Bernie Rataj brat@interlog.com qth://toronto.on.ca
Ontario DX Association ===> http://www.grove.net/~odxa
Tsuruoka Canadian Budokai ===> http://www.interlog.com/~brat/tcb
** Please remove the thumb from my address if replying to Usenet post!
--

3240. Re: Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner originating from Rockwell Automation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032604435900.XAA03888@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165735

>From: Bob Eisner <boei@trifox.com>
>Date: Wed, Mar 25, 1998 20:43 EST
>Message-id: <3519B2A8.260E@trifox.com>
>
>Hi All,
>
>It appears that someone from Rockwell Automation has issued
>a series of Rogue Cancels in the rec.radio.scanner and
>alt.radio.scanner News groups AGAIN!!!

So what? The messages she cancelled were not about scanning anyhow.

You should be glad.

AB

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3241. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032604570100.XAA03075@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165736

>From: maxinnis@aol.com (Max Innis)
>Date: Wed, Mar 25, 1998 11:30 EST
>Message-id: <1998032516300300.LAA04155@ladder03.news.aol.com>
>
>>Subject: Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?
>>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>>Date: Wed, Mar 25, 1998 10:43 EST
>>Message-id: <1998032515434101.KAA25166@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
>>Let's see, call a guy's kids "morons", let's see if THAT pisses him off.
>
>like father like sons, as you are well on your way to proving. this joker
>gets
>his learner's permit for the info hiway and first thing he does is blow by
>the
>speed limit and while giving everyone the finger. do you know anything about
>scanning or are you just here to french tongue with mackey?
>
>>
>>All of you that seem to defend the NAMBLA post (and there have been a few,
>
>no one has been defending nambla. what they're telling you--but you seem too
>dim witted to understand--is that if you don't want your kiddies reading this
>stuff then don't let them. i'll talk about anything i want and if you don't
>like it, you can get the hell out. better yet, why don't you? you've done
>nothing but piss, moan, complain and whine. you're as useless as lipstick on
>a
>bulldog, but not as good looking.'
>Max Innis
>
Ha! Ha! This was just great Max! I love it when you verbally slap one of these
anal-retentive neanderthals :-)

AB

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3242. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: azraelboy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032604515900.XAA02256@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165737

>From: _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
>Date: Wed, Mar 25, 1998 16:49 EST
>Message-id: <35197C03.1467@usa.net>
>
>Tim Tyler wrote:
>> like he posted from them, forward his posting(s) on to
>> webmaster@parg.org & mscott@teleport.com, and abuse@usa.net, so they're
>> made aware of the tie-in.
>
>Yea Tim it worked, they are aware.
>
>(don't you remember, you did all this about a month ago also, plus
>mailing
>to the PARG president)
>
>Last night at about 11 PM I got a call from mscott asking who the
>idiot "ttyler@mich.com" is that sent him **57** e-mails in ONE
>day bitching about me. He says he will put YOU in a killfile
>(which is what YOU should do if I bother you that much you
>dumbshit).
>
I have to agree that the Tyler boy IS an idiot. Heh, heh, what a poophead.

AB

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3243. Re: law & privacy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6fcnlb$ha4$2@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 165738

hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote in message
<6f75m5hah1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Ferderal "privacy" laws would prevent any evidence from cordless
phones from
>being used in court, so there would be little point in reporting this
matter

Not exactly. The 4th Amendment only protects the defendant against use of evidence illegally obtained BY THE POLICE, not by neighbors or other non-governmental parties. Even illegal evidence can be used for impeachment of the defendant's credibility if he takes the stand in his own defense and then tries to lie about his actions.

So, the jury may or may not be able to hear the phone calls, but they may still be made aware of them under certain conditions. It is most likely that, if charges were filed, the case would never even go to trial. If the prosecutor has a strong enough case, the defendant will usually plead out in exchange for a lesser sentence.

73 de Dave, NF2G
A.S. Criminal Justice '97
B.S. Criminal Justice ('99)
Phi Theta Kappa

3244. Re: Scanning from the Death Valley Backcountry...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wilrobnson@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032605192801.AAA09681@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165739

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>
>Other frequencies I could hear way out there...
>154.725 - Local sheriffs in the Panamint Valley. Heard about
> a plane crash on this freq.
>170.4 - A BLM frequency, I think
>853.075 - Law enforcement located to the south of DV
>855.725 - More law enforcement to the south
>153.8 - Another BLM frequency, I think.

154.725 is the Inyo County Sheriff's Office....
153.800 is Inyo County Roads/Public Works
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3245. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032605220501.AAA07182@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165740

As I said in a previous message, you Mackey haters are not as smart as you think if you spazz on mscott. or webmaster@parg.orgy

They are friends (maybe) but definately members of the same group.

So what does he care what Mackey does?

I'd leave the poor b****d alone, don't you think it's bad enough to hang with Mackey?

>Subject: Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts
>From: Ozzy <mscott@user1.teleport.NOSPAM.com>

>Leave me out of this.
>
>

>Tim Tyler said:
>
>: If he manually enters in a PARG or usa.net address to make it seem
>: like he posted from them, forward his posting(s) on to
>: webmaster@parg.org & mscott@teleport.com,

3246. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032605270601.AAA07992@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165741

>CHUMP!

CHIMP!

3247. FS: Icom R1 with full 800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Sakane KD6DX <sakane@wco.com>
Message-ID: <VNIS.43$m57.238296@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 165742

Check out http://www.wco.com/~sakane/forsale.html for more info.

3248. FS: AOR 1500 scanner with full 800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Sakane KD6DX <sakane@wco.com>
Message-ID: <VOIS.45$m57.238900@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 165743

Check out http://www.wco.com/~sakane/forsale.html for more info.

3249. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032605364401.AAA09542@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165744

Shows who the REAL neanderthals are. Sure don't take much to impress you primitive idiots. As for Mr. Innis, if all he can do is play 6th grade word games, I'm afraid he'll have to do better.

L8r dayz, NAMBLA BOYZZZ!

Remember, it's YOU folks who read the NAMBLA crap!

>Ha! Ha! This was just great Max! I love it when you verbally slap one of
>these
>anal-retentive neanderthals :-)
>
>AB

3250. FS- New Bearcat 2500XLT $250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fcq3l$d57@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165745
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

$250 shipped to lower 48!

>
>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>been unmodified.
>>
>>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>>
>>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>>following:
>>
>>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>>* Original manual
>>* Original rubber antenna
>>
>>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!
>

3251. Cool radio equip. for sale, TTbc235 etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Thorpe <no@spamjerk.com>
Message-ID: <01bd598a$daf59b50$0db584cc@jack>
Source record: 165446
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Uniden trunktracker scanner for sale. $175.00. Perfect condition including the box and manuals. BC-235 handheld.

I also have a Alinco DR-130 2M mobile rig for sale. Asking $200.00 for this unit. In good shape. Comes with mounting bracket and appropriate plugs. Also comes with radio shack magnet mount mobile antenna

GE-PCS radio for sale. Will work with EDACS systems. Have this programmed for Denver Co and Westminster CO, receive only. This is a hobby radio for me. Will sell for $400.00 firm.

Will sell all radios at once or one at a time. If you're interested, please email me at

N0VLD@yahoo.com

for those of you who don't know. the 0 in N0VLD is a zero, just incase you're not familiar with ham callsigns.

Jack

3252. Need help with Uniden Bearcat 210 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Burch <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bd597d$85d429a0$220f9fcf@john>
Source record: 165447

Hello ScanFans:

A visit by a friend with a new scanner caused me to
realize just how deaf my trusty '210 XLT has become
over the years.

Anyone know where service information (schematic,
board layout, component location, block diagram etc)
for this unit might be found? I think it's time to tighten a
number of those Little Loose Screws I found in there...

Thanks in advance

John
occupant@ns.net
...

3253. Re: MVT-7100 help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com>
Message-ID: <351BB437.5655A246@vnet.com>
Source record: 165448

Carl Steckler wrote:
> could someone please tell me the quick and dirty way to program the
> search banks on a Yupiteru MVT-7100? Nice scanner, no manual.

Recalling from memory here :
1) Start in VFO(i.e. not in memory) mode
2) Set desired step size and receive mode
3) Press FUNC + BW
4) Enter lower search limit freq
5) Enter upper search limit freq
6) Enter search bank # to store to(0-9)

Not too sure about step 2. It might actually be prompted
for between steps 5 & 6. Just pay attention to whatever
is flashing. You'll figure it out.

To use, just press the search bank number(up to 4 banks can
be specified) followed by SRCH.

To lockout a frequency you have stopped on, press FUNC + PASS.
To review the locked out frequencies, from the VFO press
FUNC + SPR. Scroll through the list using arrow keys or
rotary control. Unlock a displayed frequency the same way
you locked it.

Great radio! Have fun!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA columnist

3254. HELP! - UBC220XLT or similar type

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scoops <scoops@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6fgebj$d37$2@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 165449
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner

I have just acquired one of these scanners and the battery is flat. It is charging as we speak. I am curious as to whether or not you are supposed to be able to use it on the AC adapter only or whether this is only for charging the battery. It says in the manual you can use it when it is being charged. If it is being used for longer periods of time is it wise to keep it connected to the AC adapter so it will continuously charge while it uses the battery power?

Also (while I am at it) why make it so you can only work it off the power coming from the battery - seems silly since you can only charge the batteries while they are in the handset so you can't have spare ones charging while the other set is being used.

It strikes me that the battery pack is just 4 AA ni-cads. Is it possible to use standard rechargables in some sort of adapter, they could be charged in just 2 hours as opposed to the 14 it says here in the manual.

Scoops

3255. Re: 800 trunked to go digital?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlambo55@tir.com
Message-ID: <6fge4p$a1g$1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 165450

It is common for the data channel in a Motorola 800 Mhz trunked
system to change frequencies every 24hrs.

Dean
****
** To Reply, Remove the "55" from my E-Mail address **
** Anti Spam (junk mail) Measures In Effect **
****

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Visit the home of the Pontiac Miniature Aircraft Club
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/4484/index.html
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Emoney250 wrote in message
<19980324065100001.BAA13155@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>My local police dept. has a trunked system. Except for the last week,
>everyday at about 11 p.m. or so the 'data' channel would change between one
of
>three frequencies. As I said, for the last week, the 'data' channel has
not
>moved, but the scanning has not yet been affected. Is this the first
stages of
>a trunked system preparing to go digital or what? Please give me some
>educated/experienced input.
>
>
> Eric

3256. Re: BC235 & antenna comments...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlambo55@tir.com
Message-ID: <6fgeha$a9j$1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 165451
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Dave,

The original TT antenna SUCKS. There have been numerous problems
with the center post in the BNC connector breaking off. I promptly trashed
my antenna and bought an aftermarket antenna for +ACQ-30, well worth the +ACQAJA-.

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Dean
+ACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqA
CoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACo
-
+ACoAKg- To Reply, Remove the +ACI-55+ACI- from my E-Mail address +ACoAKg-
+ACoAKg- Anti Spam (junk mail) Measures In Effect +ACoAKg-
+ACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqA
CoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACoAKgAqACo
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http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/4484/index.html
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Dave Shaffer wrote in message ...
+AD4-Summary: New BC235 works great, but antenna seems suspect...
+AD4-
+AD4-I had recently sold my bc200xlt to upgrade to a 235 trunktracker. The
+AD4-bc-235XLT arrived this AM. Had time to program it before I left the office
+AD4-and test drive it on my trip today and home. I put my old 100xlt on the
+AD4-seat next to it for comparison. First impressions:
+AD4-
+AD4-Good news: It was easy to program, even the trunked channels. It picked up

+AD4-most strong signals first (before the 100xlt), which I attribute to the
+AD4-scan speed. The trunk tracking works perfect in State College, the place I
+AD4-went today and (conveniently) the only place in the immediate area using a
+AD4-trunked system.
+AD4-
+AD4-Bad news. Is is harder to read, the characters on the display are smaller.
+AD4-It seems to have less volume than the older handhelds. Last but not least,
+AD4-it did not seem to be as sensitive to marginal signals, and important issue
+AD4-in the rural area I travel. It completely missed some signals caught by the
+AD4-100.
+AD4-
+AD4-Question: Have you seen anything one way or the other on the antenna
+AD4-performance? After a while, I tried swapping antennas, and the 235
+AD4-performance improved dramatically+ACE- (The 100 performance dropped off
+AD4-accordingly.) Is the antenna on the 235 tuned specifically for the 800 mhz
+AD4-range at the cost of reception in some other areas (which would make sense
+AD4-since it is marketed as a trunk tracker)? Maybe the old 100 antenna is
+AD4-better tuned to a broad range of signals+ADs- at least it certainly seemed to
+AD4-perform better with the 100 antenna.
+AD4-
+AD4-- Dave
+AD4-
+AD4---
+AD4-Dave Shaffer
+AD4-MacUser+AEA-Penn.com

3257. Re: MORE ROGUE CANCELS in rec.radio.scanner originating from Mendocino Community Network

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: clewis@ferret.ocunix.on.ca
Message-ID: <6fgfln$p2f@bcarh8ab.bnr.ca>
Source record: 165452
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

In article <6fflob$gi6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
Robert H. Eisner <rheisner@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>Hi All,
>
>It appears that someone from Mendocino Community Network
>(HTTP://www.mcn.org/Admin3/default.nclk) has issued a series
>of Rogue Cancels in the rec.radio.scanner & alt.radio.scanner
>News groups AGAIN!!!

DTR enabled, as many old posts cancelled have been resurrected.
--
The rumours of my demise are greatly exaggerated.

Support the anti-Spam amendment. Join at http://www.cauce.org/
Anti-spam resources: http://spam.abuse.net

3258. Re: BEWARE OF OWODUNNI'S -3000a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fghub$t2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165453
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

The AOR3000a is brand new, but you are trying to sell a used one without a box
for $800.00.

Who is the fucking thief here?

Asshole

In article <6fg4pd$i21@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>
> First he stuck his nose in someone else's business (read below). Now,
> he's trying to sell the same radio for more than he said it was
> worth!!! This is the kind of guy that would sell you a used car.
>
> On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:52:29 -0500, "Jeff Miller" <jfmil@nospam.net>
> wrote:
>
> >Ignore my last post.. I misread this as an AOR8000 SORRY!
> >
> >Kin Ho wrote in message <6f8ifs$1e8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
> >>Obviously Mr. Owodunni does not know the value of radio equipment. It
> >>could be an honest mistake with him confusing the 3000A with the 3000,
> >>or is it simply a malicious attempt by him to play price police
> >>because of his ignorance and lack of funds to ever buy anything on
> >>this newsgroup other than a pack of batteries.
> >>
> >>In any event, those of you who know radios, know full well that an
> >>AOR-3000A can still be had (blocked) at a brand new price of $1199.
> >>Therefore, an unblocked used 3000A should warrant an asking price of
> >>$800. I'm further encouraged by the fact that I've received several
> >>e-mails from you folks on this newsgroup that $800 is a fair asking
> >>price for this fine rig.
> >>
> >>So, I hereby ask all of you to please join me in relaying an
> >>appropriate message to Mr. Owodunni that his unsolicited comments are
> >>upappreciated, and of course, ignore his additions to any adverts
> >>posted on this newsgroup. Remember, he could do the same to you one
> >>day. Thank you and have a nice day.
> >>
> >>MR. OWODUNNI, AS I INDICATED, THE CHOICE OF LANGUAGE YOU USED IN A
> >>PERSONNEL E-MAIL MESSAGE TO ME IS INDICATIVE OF YOUR LIMITED
> >>INTELLIGENCE. PLEASE TAKE THIS AS A STERN SUGGESTION TO "GO AWAY."
> >>ITS "HIGH MAINTENANCE" INDIVIDUALS LIKE YOUSELF THAT DRAIN THE
> >>RESOURCES OF OUR SOCIAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE SYSTEMS. HAVE A GOOD DAY.

> >>On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 06:37:53 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
> >>
> >>>It shouldn't be more than $500.00.
> >>>
> >>>second hand is second-hand, forget the mint crap.
> >>>
> >>>
> >>>In article <6f6m17$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
> >>> bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
> >>>>
> >>>>
> >>>> >I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
> >>>> >imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
> >>>> >the radio has never been used outdoors.
> >>>> >
> >>>> >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
> >>>> >to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
> >>>> >following:
> >>>> >
> >>>> >* Software and computer cable
> >>>> >* AC adaptor
> >>>> >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
> >>>> >* Telescopic whip antenna
> >>>> >
> >>>> >I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
> >>>> >shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
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> >>>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> >>>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
> >>
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3259. Re: Brand New AOR 3000A - $650.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fgi0jtg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

If you continue, I'll stick my 9mm up your fucking ass.

Motherfucker.

-
In article <6fg425$i21@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>
> You keep asking too much for this radio, ask the same price for it
> that you told everyone on this newsgroup the radio was worth last
> week, $500 $500 $500 $500 $500 $500 $500.............................
> THE SMART PEOPLE ON THIS NEWSGROUP ARE CATCHING ONTO YOUR UNETHICAL
> BUSINESS PRACTICES. YOU CAN RUN BUT YOU CAN'T HIDE.
> See what happens when you stick your nose in someone else's business,
> you've gained a friend for life.
>
> On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 04:40:17 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> >
> >
> >I have an absolutely BRAND NEWT AOR 3000A. Unwanted xmas gift.
> >
> >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
> >to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
> >following:
> >
> >* Software and computer cable
> >* AC adaptor
> >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
> >* Telescopic whip antenna
> >
> >I'll throw in a free discone, if the buyer is active on this newsgroup.
> >
> >Thanks!
> >
> >-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> >http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3260. Re: FS- AOR 3000A Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fgi47$153$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165455
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Read mine again, I only thanked him for his mail, you don't have to be
horrible to people even if they tell you to shut up.

Go suck your mother's cunt.

Asshole.

In article <6fg4ti$i21@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>
> Hey stupid, that's the gentleman's of telling you to shut up in a nice
> way. Since you didn't get the message, I'D had to spell it out for
> you!
>
> On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 04:48:01 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> >Thank You, your response shows you are nice person, just like me.
> >
> >have a nice day.
> >
> >In article <351A61B8.8F1B267D@nmia.com>,
> > Rico Johnston <ricoj@nmia.com> wrote:
> >>
> >> If you don't like the price don't buy it. It is a free market.
> >>
> >> segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
> >>
> >> > It shouldn't e more than $500.00, you are charging too much money, no
one
> >> > cares if it is mint. Who would pay an extra $300.00 because an eqpt is
> >mint.
> >> >
> >> > Greediness is bad.
> >> >
> >> > In article <6f6lml$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
> >> > bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
> >> > >
> >> > > >I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
> >> > > >imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
> >> > > >the radio has never been used outdoors.
> >> > > >
> >> > > >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and
need
> >> > > >to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the

> >> > > >following:
> >> > > >
> >> > > >* Software and computer cable
> >> > > >* AC adaptor
> >> > > >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
> >> > > >* Telescopic whip antenna
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> >> > > >I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
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3261. Re: pro 64 & bc140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351bc637.112144046@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165456

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"shiner" <shiner@bright.net> wrote:

> anybody know much about Pro64,

Yes.

> is it a good scanner?

Yes.

> any mods for it?

Yes.

> and is there anything I can do to my 15 yr.
> old BC140, which still works great, as far as mods go?

Yes.

3262. Re: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS good/bad --What works best for cordless freqs????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Curtis <pccurtis@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6fghj3ptd1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 165457

Rob,

I have several antennas: a RS discone, a 2-meter Ringo Ranger, a converted TV antenna, a homemade 49Mhz ground-plane, and a multi-band wire dipole. I have found the discone to be terrible on cordless phones. The dipole isn't much better. I found the 2-meter antenna suprisingly good on 49 Mhz. I then built a vertical ground-plane antenna specifically for those frequencies, and it does a little better than the Ringo Ranger. A TV antenna is also pretty good, as long as you mount it with the elements vertical as apposed to horizontal, since the frequencies you will be receiving are vertically polorized. Also, any antenna made for the six-meter ham band should work well, although I have yet to try that.

Paul

Johnny V Mullins wrote in message <01bd594e$aad5c760$5d7069ce@jvmullins>...
>Rob: About the only way an R.S. Discone will beat what you're Useing now
>below 100 mehz. is if the coax has become disconnected.--- Discones , (
>even with the loaded vertical) just don't hear well down
> in those Freqs.
> I checked the net for the answer for guite a while with same results
>you're getting "bout 50/50 got some
>replys as complicated as quantum physics,
>PLAIN TRUTH IS THEY DON'T HEAR VERY GOOD ON LOW FREQS
>Johnny V. Mullins
>Rob_warren98NOSPAM@yahoo.com wrote in article
><35157d10.307100439@news.sprint.ca>...
>> All I want to receive is the 49Mhz cordless freqs.
>>
>> I own a older 2032 and I have taped to a PVC vent pipe on the roof now
>> the RS (20-006) 9 section telescoping whip. I think the rain and snow
>> has started to corrode it so now I want to put a new antenna in the
>> attic.
>>
>> I have searched Deja for an hour and for every person that says the RS
>> discone is good, another person says avoid it. Same with the scantenna
>> and every other one.
>>
>> Is there ANY agreement to what antenna is best for the 49 MHz cordless
>> freqs?
>>
>> Should I replace the 50' of coax too? (its about 2 weathered years old
>> now).
>>

>> WHo is in the know that can tell the REAL story about the proper
>> antenna?
>>
>> TIA
>>
>> Rob (remove the NOSPAM in my address)
>>
>>

3263. FS: RS PRO 2006 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: 2006_1111@ridgecrest.ca.us
Message-ID: <351bd278.351829@news>
Source record: 165458

I have a RS Pro 2006 scanner for sale. Cell and speed mods. Near mint condition with original box and manual. $330.
GW

3264. Are ISA based PC radio cards like Winradio doomed?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun.hates-spam@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <%NQS.406$ZL.938307@news2.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165459
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Are ISA based PC radio cards doomed in less then a year? Some can be had for $20 and others are $500 to
$2000 and more. I recently mentioned the future of ISA is dead. I also mentioned it is wise to remove ISA cards from your PC now to improve performance A few got angry. Please no flames the following may be of benefit to you.

FYI Here is a reference in this weeks news
(http://www.zdnet.com/zdnn/content/pcwo/0325/297802.html)
off interest to some that indicates new 1999 PC's will not include ISA slots.
"Stork outlined Microsoft's efforts to migrate developers from legacy technology, such as ISA, which is no longer supported under the PC 99 spec, to emerging technologies such as Universal Serial Bus and IEEE 1394."

I know there are some who have no intention of buying the new technology so again please no flames. The purpose here is to indicate where the PC industry is
going and how soon. This information may be of vital interest to some who don't want to be caught holding obsolete items of little value. I am careful to dump items that are becoming obsolete while there is still a market for them before I lose too much. I figure that it is ok to let the less informed 'eat it'. <wink>

Others may not share this view and may even prefer buying obsolete technology. For instance I am sure there is someone somewhere who is in the market for and 8086i based computer or perhaps a Z80 based system. These once sold for thousands of dollars. Today I think $20 would be overpricing these items.

How soon will it be before an expensive legacy ISA based radio card or sound card is
considered worthless? I am certain based on other information it will be a lot sooner then many would think.

Do you really want to 'eat an expensive one' ?

Possibly someone would like to research and expand on the above for publication in a hobby related radio publication.
I don't mind and if I can be of help let me know.

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ICQ 5148591

3265. Atlanta Real-Time Traffic Map and Video, Part 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun.hates-spam@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <x_QS.408$ZL.948002@news2.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165460
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

If you hear of a massive accident on the Atlanta interstate system you can pull up a live still snapshot of it from the all of those TV cameras that the DOT has mounted on poles and towers around town just like the police can. These cameras are now back online at http://www.georgia-traveler.com/traffic/video/index.html with an improved interface. If you leave the photo on your desktop it will automatically update every four minutes or so all by itself. To use just click on any camera on the map to turn it on and get your feed. If you are using MSIE 4 right click on the picture and select zoom in to get a better view. You might try these cameras also to see if you can see any action from tornadoes when they roll through town.

There are other live cameras online sponsered by TV stations and such also for our area but none have so many as the DOT project.

Others who don't live near here may want to check this out just to see what is coming to your area as this is part of the demonstration of new technology for transportation management http://www.atlanta-traveler.com/traffic/rttraff.htm which we inherited from the Olympics. If a DOT operator spots a breakdown while scanning these cameras he dispatches a yellow/green HERO truck to assist the motorist. I am still trying to find the actual working frequency these guys use. I have heard them on Dekalb's trunking radio system but I don't think they use that area wide.

Anyone?

This would actually make a nice article for Scanning USA or Monitoring Times IMHO if someone wanted to pursue it.

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3266. Atlanta Real-Time Traffic Map and Video, Part 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun.hates-spam@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <K2RS.411$ZL.951549@news2.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165461
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Would you like to know more about an exciting addition to scanning from your home that may be coming to a city near you? Are you concerned about losing money with rapidly devalued PC hardware? These two tips may interest you.

Here are a few notes about the Atlanta Travelers Showcase I mentioned here yesterday.
The Atlanta Real-Time Traffic Map is at
http://www.atlanta-traveler.com/traffic/rtmap.htm
This map displays data regarding speed with red dots indicating less then 30 MPH yellow dots speeds up to 50 MPH and green dots anything well over 51 MPH which around here can reach 110 MPH as those of us who listen to the radar laser traps well know. This map does not auto update so you must hit F5 (MSIE 4 users) to refresh it from time to time. Where are they getting the data?
I believe these are the poles you see near certain interchanges with small gray boxes about the size of a halogen light mounted two to a pole pointed across the interstate. If you drive in this area notice that they point in slightly different directions. I have seen these boxes mounted on signs and on the underside of some bridges. They register as a relatively weak signal on my radar detector. Sometimes they register as VG2 detection but I believe they are not VG2 units but are operating close to that frequency. Update that map during rush hour and watch the dots change down to RED! You can click on a dot and get more information for the detector it receiving data from, specifically what part of the roadway it is targeting. If you hear an accident on your scanner look at this map and watch the dots turn to red as traffic backs up.

Try http://www.georgia-traveler.com/traffic/incident.htm to see the type of data used by the radio stations in their traffic broadcasts. There is a no charge speed dial on your Airtouch Cellular to input information to these folks. Of course this isn't the only source of information used by those giving traffic reports unless they are a really cheap station. Most radio stations take reports from listeners like WSB AM 750 or WGST AM 640 http://wgst.com/ - speed dial *640 which also has a plane and helicopter up most of the time during rush hours. I was giving *640 a report on a traffic accident at The Cobb County I-75 / I 285 interchange when I saw a massive multi-car pileup occur which blocked all lanes of I-285 near Northside Drive the other day. The West bound interstate is seven or eight lanes wide at that point and since it eventually included a bus it took about an hour to get it moving again. That is the type of problem we have in this area all the time. These accidents are like ping pong balls on a pool table. People drive well over 50 mph on each others bumper until some higher speed cue ball hits them. We had one during morning rush hour involving 24 cars a

month or two ago.

You can see the actual carnage using the real time video cameras at http://www.georgia-traveler.com/traffic/video/index.html .This opens the picture for a given camera in a frame. Here is a trick. Right click in that frame and select 'open frame in a new window' from MSIE 4 popup menu. You can then save that as a favorite and have that location open anytime you want from the Favorites menu. Turn off toolbars and the status bar and you can have six or so pictures display well on your PC. These will update automatically every 240 seconds. You can force an update sooner using F5. You can also select http://www.georgia-traveler.com/traffic/video/connector.htm to see all the camera shots for downtown on one page. There is also http://www.georgia-traveler.com/traffic/video/upi75.htm for I-75 NW and http://www.georgia-traveler.com/traffic/video/upi85.htm for I-85 NE. It is neat to load some of these before sunrise and watch the view change as the sun come up between 6:00 and 6:30 AM EST.

The fun part is matching your browsing to the traffic from your scanner monitoring. But most of you who read this can not do so because you don't live within range of Atlanta VHF and UHF. Or can you? How about trying the real audio broadcast of WGST AM 640 http://www.radio.audionet.com/radio/News/WGST/ which you can get over the Internet. If you know Atlanta you can figure out which camera to check and match it to their reports. http://wgst.com/html/trafficttn.html

Someday many cities will be set up similar to Atlanta's Information showcase.

One last note on a slightly different subject are ISA based PC radio cards doomed in less then a year?
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3267. Atlanta Real-Time Traffic Map and Video, Part 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun.hates-spam@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <M4RS.412$ZL.953393@news2.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 165462
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

The AJC has an article in today's paper by Joey Ledford that provides more information on Atlanta Real-Time Traffic.
Instructions are in this article for giving traffic information to the DOT for the benefit of others motorists. People who monitor a scanner and who have either a ham radio or a cell phone can join in the fun. Please don't make the mistake I made yesterday though. I though I was on to something big while listening to the Cobb County GA Trunking radio system. A chemical explosion and flash fire after a delivery driver dropped a 55 gallon drum, the first fire truck in staged 600 feet away out of fear and caution, person reported down in four story building from fumes, lots more rescue and hazmat equipment called, hazmat arrived, four more fire engines were called by hazmat after accessing the situation, extreme caution, etc.... I tipped WGST to what sounded like a fantastic breaking news story only to learn about a half hour later the darn thing was a another drill! Cobb County home of Lockheed- Marietta and Dobbins AFB is definitely serious about getting ready for unknown biological or chemical problems!

DOT plotting course for Navigator
March 27, 1998
By Joey Ledford, The Atlanta Journal-Constitution

Concerned that scores of metro motorists remain woefully unaware of its multi-million dollar Navigator traffic management system, the state Department of Transportation is launching a public awareness campaign next month
....
Full story is at
http://www.accessatlanta.com/local/traffic/lane_ranger/friday_ranger.html

While you are there check out the Vent section of our paper for southern humor and chuckles.
Marielan, my wife reads that section first to see if she has had one published.

The Vent
Daily outbursts from readers of Access Atlanta and The Atlanta Journal-Constitution
http://www.accessatlanta.com/local/thevent/
You can even add your own to The e-Vent from Access Atlanta
http://www.accessatlanta.com/local/thevent/sendvent.html

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ICQ 5148591

3268. Time to turn Mackey into the COPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: pja <pja@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <351BDC36.523DF97A@pacifier.com>
Source record: 165463
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

johN mackeY -- KA0SSF wrote:

> Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com> is the genuine author
> of this message.
>
> *-John "Richard Simmonds is the best lover I've ever had,
> and that's had me ;-)" Mackey-* KA0SSF tried to
> lie his way out being caught using illegally
> obtained Internet access:
>
> > I have NEVER done what you state below. If you have any
> > proof, then POST IT OR BE SHOWN AS THE LIAR YOU ARE!!!!!
>
> > > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > > Never mind the dozen fictitious addresses you used on the
> > > accounts you illegally broke into.
>
> You've have used, and admitted using, over a dozen (actually
> seventeen) fictitious and illegal Internet addresses. I know
> you have a *very* bad memory (too much prozac abuse), so I've
> listed them here for your edification.
>
> anyplace@nowhere.mil no-place@anywhere.com
> No-place@anywhere.org nowhere@anyplace.net
> jomackey@hotmail.com mackey@idiots.org
> nothing@anywhere.edu nowhere@anyplace.net
> no_adress@anywhere.com no.address@anywhere.gov
> No-address@No-where.com no_place@any-where.com
> no--place@any__where.com no-place@anywhere.net
> No--place@any-where.org no-where@no-place.com
> nothing@anywhere.edu
>
> You claim that you were in a work situation where you had T1
> access, but no real Internet access. In other words, you had
> to steal access to gain entry. That is theft of services, a
> criminal act.
>
> Using your real name and call sign is only a diversion to
> deflect attention from your criminal activity. It's your
> little way of making it *look* like you're legitimate.
>
> The only thing you've offered to back up your claim that you
> had legitimate access, is your word. Wake up and smell the

> coffee, Toilet Boy, your so called "word" is totally worthless
> in the scanner news groups, and the Internet as a whole. Since
> your word is so worthless, you'll have to do better if you
> expect anyone to believe you.
>
> The only way you can prove what you say is true, is to identify
> the employer and the specific task or tasks you undertook. When
> I say identify the employer, I mean the name, address, telephone
> number, and the name of your supervisor.
>
> If you can't prove yourself as outlined above, then you lied
> about having legitimate access. Up to the challenge, Toilet Boy?
> I thought not.
>
> > I'm coming from USA.NET right now so YOU must be the one
> > lying!!!
>
> > Richard, if USA.NET dropped me, then how come I am able to
> > use thier system, LIKE I AM RIGHT NOW????
>
> I'm coming through USA.NET exactly like you are, Toilet Boy. I
> changed the preferences in Netscape to make it look like I am
> on USA.NET while still using my normal ISP (Primenet). For the
> record, I am not now, nor have I ever been a customer of USA.NET.
>
> You were dropped by USA.NET, but, you are using the same technique
> I've demonstrated here, to make it "appear" you are still with
> USA.NET. Another lie from you, Toilet Boy.
>
> > Guess who's telling a lie now?? YOU!!!!
>
> It's still you who is lying, Toilet Boy, as usual.

3269. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <EqHJwv.3Mu@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 165464
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Nice mouth! You EAT with that mouth?

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

> Now here goes another motherfcuking radio ham.
>
> Just take a flying fuck at your radio tonight.
>
> Asshole.
>
> When others were leaving nice messages, a fucker came along and fucked it up
> all.
>
> Asshole.
>
>
> In article <890838403snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>,
> tgold@panix.com wrote:
> >
> > In article <890834043snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
> > tgold@panix.com "Anthony R. Gold" writes:
> >
> > > You are confused. This newsgroup is for buying and selling radios
> > > and Kin Ho is trying to do that.
> >
> > Since writing that I noticed that this thred has been posted to
> > groups other than rec.radio.swap and my comments were aimed only at
> > postings to that one newsgroup.
> >
> > My apologies to readers of the scanner and shortwave newsgroups who
> > may still be interested to read anonymous, illiterate and inaccurate
> > flames from segun_owodunni.
> >
> > Followup set.
> >
> > Regards,
> > --
> > Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com
> >
> >
>
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

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Puritanism (noun): The overwhelming fear that somebody,
somewhere, may be having fun...

3270. Re: 900 MHz Cordless Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <351BDE2B.92AB7D48@eden.com>
Source record: 165465

Art Davis wrote:

> After searching dejanews and related web sites, I was not able to find
> any specific frequencies for the 900 MHz cordless phones so I could
> avoid tuning in to them. I think general ranges are 901-902, 930-931,
> and 940-941. Could someone either send them to me at my antiSPAM
> address (replace "*" with "a"), or respond by posting. Thanks in
> advance. Art.

Actually they are in the 902 and 928 range.... you wont hear much
because most of those 900Mhz phones have a bigger bandwidth than you
ordinary scanner can pick up...
Someone correct me if im wrong...

3271. Re: pro 64 & bc140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: shiner <shiner@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6fgmi8$74b$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 165466

ok, so could you tell me a little bit about what to get, books, websites, etc.?

3272. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6fgp9t$4id@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 165467
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

"Hans Holm" (hholm@istar.ca) writes:
> Darrell A. Larose wrote in message <6fbofj$5dm@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>>
>>"Hans Holm" (hholm@istar.ca) writes:
>>> Darrell A. Larose wrote in message
> <6f8st5$ag9@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>>>>Isn't legal language wonderful??? IMHO it is vague enough that charges
>>>>could be filed, if there was a compelling reason to.
>
> I read all that I could and could not find any law that states that you may
> not listen in on non-scrambled, radio-based telecommunications for fun.
>
True, although any non-public radio comms could be considered under the Law
as "private communcations" as the scanner user was not the intended reciever.
IMHO- I treat all my radio comms, whether 2-way radio, cell, cordless as
radio, and a such not a secure communication.

>>>>But owning a cell capable scanner is legal, as long as it can receive
> other frequencies ie; weather, marine
>>>> ham et al. So if the scanner is full spectrum there really a problem. If
> the device only received cell it may >>>be illegal.
>
>
> I couldn't find any laws to back up this statement.
>
> I attached all that I found concerning radio phone communication at the
> bottom of this post. I also attached a link to the page where I found this
> information, lots of digging!
>
> http://canada.justice.gc.ca/STABLE/EN/Laws/Chap/C/C-46.html

This URL has changed a few times in the past, so if the page isn't
found then strip off all the directory path, and start from the top,
as the canada.justice.gc.ca never changes...

> Thank you for posting the address' to these informative sites. If you find
> the law that states that it is illegal to listen to cell phones I would be
> interested in reading it myself.
>
> This is what I found:
>
> "private communication" &#65533; communication priv&#65533;e &#65533;
>
> "private communication" means any oral communication, or any

> telecommunication,that is made by an originator who is in Canada or is
> intended by the originatorto be received by a person who is in Canada and
> that is made under circumstancesin which it is reasonable for the originator
> to expect that it will not beintercepted by any person other than the person
> intended by the originator toreceive it, and includes any radio-based
> telephone communication that is treatedelectronically or otherwise for the
> purpose of preventing intelligible receptionby any person other than the
> person intended by the originator to receive it;
>
>
> "radio-based telephone communication" ? communication radiot?l?phonique ?
>
> "radio-based telephone communication" means any radiocommunication within
> themeaning of the Radiocommunication Act that is made over apparatus that is
> usedprimarily for connection to a public switched telephone network;
>
>
> Interception of radio-based telephone communications

This would include cell phone and cordless and phone-patches as they also
are radio-telephones under this definition.

> 184.5 (1) Every person who intercepts, by means of any
> electro-magnetic,acoustic, mechanical or other device, maliciously or for
> gain, a radio-basedtelephone communication, if the originator of the
> communication or the personintended by the originator of the communication
> to receive it is in Canada, isguilty of an indictable offence and liable to
> imprisonment for a term notexceeding five years.
>
>
> Disclosure of information received from interception of radio-based
> telephone communications
>
> 193.1 (1) Every person who wilfully uses or discloses a radio-based
> telephonecommunication or who wilfully discloses the existence of such a
> communication isguilty of an indictable offence and liable to imprisonment
> for a term notexceeding two years, if
>
> (a) the originator of the communication or the person intended by the
> originatorof the communication to receive it was in Canada when the
> communication wasmade;
>
> (b) the communication was intercepted by means of an electromagnetic,
> acoustic,mechanical or other device without the consent, express or implied,
> of theoriginator of the communication or of the person intended by the
> originator toreceive the communication; and
>
> (c) the person does not have the express or implied consent of the
> originator ofthe communication or of the person intended by the originator
> to receive the communication.

>
> Other provisions to apply
>
> (2) Subsections 193(2) and (3) apply, with such modifications as
> thecircumstances require, to disclosures of radio-based telephone
> communications.
>
> 1993, c. 40, s. 12.
>
>
> Possession of device to obtain telecommunication facility or service
> <<<<<<< please note the last three words ((this law is about stealing phone
> sevice, not a device just for listening))

Also includes "cable tv"

> 327. (1) Every one who, without lawful excuse, the proof of which lies on
> him, manufactures, possesses, sells or offers for sale or distributes any
> instrument or device or any component thereof, the design of which renders
> it primarily useful for obtaining the use of any telecommunication facility
> or service, under circumstances that give rise to a reasonable inference
> that the device has been used or is or was intended to be used to obtain the
> use of any telecommunication facility or service without payment of a lawful
> charge therefor, is guilty of an indictable offence and liable to
> imprisonment for a term not exceeding twoyears. Forfeiture
>
> (2) Where a person is convicted of an offence under subsection (1) or
> paragraph326(1)(b), any instrument or device in relation to which the
> offence wascommitted or the possession of which constituted the offence, on
> such conviction, in addition to any punishment that is imposed, may be
> ordered forfeited to Her Majesty, whereupon it may be disposed of as the
> AttorneyGeneral directs.
>
> Limitation
>
> (3) No order for forfeiture shall be made under subsection (2) in respect
> oftelephone, telegraph or other communication facilities or equipment owned
> by aperson engaged in providing telephone, telegraph or other communication
> serviceto the public or forming part of the telephone, telegraph or other
> communicationservice or system of such a person by means of which an offence
> under subsection
> (1) has been committed if such person was not a party to the offence.
>
> 1974-75-76, c. 93, s. 24.
>
However, if you don't tell anyone, then who will know you are listening!

3273. FS: Handheld CB's (TRC-231)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: derickam@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032718530600.NAA11223@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165468

Handheld 40 channel CB xcvrs, Two of them, SOLD AS PAIR ONLY. 1 and 4 watt power output two battery clips per radio (batteries not incl), external power jack, bnc ant hookup comes with rubber ducky, Backlit(when switch activated) LCD channel and signal display, Power hi/lo selector. belt clip, MIC/SPK jack on top, int spkr, volume/sqlch/channel controls are on top of unit. also has a ceramic filter and ANL.Radio shack Cat number 21-1675. excellent hunting or swap meet radios. they are in very good condition. I will sell the pair for $120 ($110 if you buy the missing rubber duck for one of them). Radios have been well maintained. Selling because I have new toys to support. Terms- Prepay money order, or prepay COD and shipping costs.
Derick

3274. Re: BUSTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <351B823B.BBC7E1F1@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 165469

If Newt has his way, drugs will flow freely into this country(how about more freely than now) and you will do more time for bringing a scanner in than O J deserved.

3275. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Xkkoller@earthlink.netX
Message-ID: <6fgtft$5es@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 165470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Now I remember why I left this group.

rec.radio.scanner.crybabies.

3276. Re: Sherrif Freqs in Los Angeles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Xkkoller@earthlink.netX
Message-ID: <6fgt4j$55m@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 165471

buck100@hotmail.com (ICE T) writes:
> How do yo listen to those, they keep sending out a
> beeping tone...
>
> can't here two way communication , am I at the wrong freqs?

They have base and mobile frequencies.

The mobile freq is 5.00 mhz higher than the base.

The beep you hear is a unit talking on the moblie.

3277. @@@ ICOM Canada Repair @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: joker@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <351bfd25.2091178@news.total.net>
Source record: 165472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

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Hello.

I would like to know how long usually takes for ICOM Repair.
(IC-706 ?)

Thanks
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Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
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Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
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Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

3278. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham <gcros@late.net>
Message-ID: <01bd59b4$e1f11360$311796d0@graham.surfsouth.com>
Source record: 165473

OBFD <obfd@aol.com> wrote in article
<R.19980326202051O1.PAA01834@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> [REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]
>

---------------------------------snip due to stupidity--------------

TAKE THIS SHIT TO PRIVATE E-MAIL

3279. Re: Mods for SC150?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leroy <ldickson@zebra.net>
Message-ID: <351BFA7B.D64B5109@zebra.net>
Source record: 165474

To keep it short and sweet, NOPE. It is a good radio, but no mods.
Sorry.

Tork wrote:

> Are there any mods. for the Uniden SC150? Thanks for any help.
> --
> David Torkelson
> KF6DGN
> 33.205 N 117.353 W
> Grid Square DM13
> http://www.mirabilis.com/1588617
> ICQ # 1588617

3280. Re: Realistic HTX-202 - 2 meter hand held VHS FM TRANCEIEVER Great Price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leroy <ldickson@zebra.net>
Message-ID: <351BFA1A.223E0658@zebra.net>
Source record: 165475

I've always wanted a 2 meter tranciever that played video tapes(VHS).
Just having a little fun, no harm intended.

Stanton Smith wrote:

> Realistic HTX-202 - 2 meter hand held VHS FM TRANCEIEVER
> great shape, very little use, all parts, extra batery pack
> Sells for $249.99 NEW I will let it go for $125.00 obo.
> stan
> stan26@unicomp.net
> Irving, Tx

3281. CART Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Poorman <poormr@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fh08hkqs1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 165476
Cross-posted to: rec.autos.sport.indy,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Here is the location of the 1998 CART/FedEx Championship Series
Frequencies:

http://home1.gte.net/poormr/cart.htm

If anyone has any updates or any revisions, please pass them along.
THANKS to the contributors after the first race and also the input from
Japan. The information has been compiled from the past testing
sessions, the previous several weeks and the best information from the
end of last year.

I'll be updating this all year long with the help of your contributions.

3282. Differences between radio shack PRO-2040 and BC895xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Austinpillman@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fgsrl$5mm$1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165477

Recently , I purchased the BC895XLT and I'm unable to pick up any 900mhz frequencies,(cordless phones), but about two months ago I purchased the PRO-2040 by Radio Shack and I could pick up those 900 mhz frequencies. Since the BC895XLT is a much better scanner, why isn't it picking up these frequencies? Also, is there a way you can reset the scanner to have no memory.(just when you first bought it). Thanks ,Dave M.

3283. Re: Directional gain Antena needed for 40-50Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leroy <ldickson@zebra.net>
Message-ID: <351BFB8D.315ED89D@zebra.net>
Source record: 165478

How about a 6 meter antenna? They are optimized for 50-54 MHZ (6 meter ham band), but should perform fairly well at 40 MHZ for recieve.

Aaron Ceraldi wrote:

> I am in need of a high gain receive only antenna for the 40-50Mhz range (a
> dipole or beam would be fine)
> any suggestions?
> thanks,
> Aaron Ceraldi

3284. FS BC200XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: cyberjunke@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032720280000.PAA23281@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165479

For sale Uniden Bearcat 200XLT portable Scanner with 800 mhz
Good condition
$245 Shipped
Reply to CyberjunkE@aol.com

3285. Re: Help identify this signal...?? - unknown.wav (1/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccreeper@inetnow.net
Message-ID: <351aff6d.68071959@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165480
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

cfortner@netrover.com (Chris Fortner) wrote:

Sounds like a Cellular Control Channel
--
Take off one of the "C's" in ccreeper@inetnow.net when sending personal replies via email.

3286. NEED: keypad for Bearcat 260

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: oakdale96@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032720472901.PAA25985@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165481

please email me at OakDale96@aol.com

3287. 50R mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jforrest@csc.umd.edu
Message-ID: <6fh4jm$5ag$2@hecate.umd.edu>
Source record: 165482

Help,

I have a Yaesu FT-50R handheld. I've read of a mod which requires
desoldering a jumper on the back.

I believe it's the jumper on the left. Is this correct?

Also, what is the keystroke sequence to reinitialize?

Thanks,
John

3288. Re: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS good/bad --What works best for cordless freqs????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6fh4ggaki1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 165483

Rob_warren98NOSPAM@yahoo.com wrote:
: All I want to receive is the 49Mhz cordless freqs.

Just remember that listening to cordless conversations IS against federal law in the USA.

: I own a older 2032 and I have taped to a PVC vent pipe on the roof now
: the RS (20-006) 9 section telescoping whip. I think the rain and snow
: has started to corrode it so now I want to put a new antenna in the
: attic.

: I have searched Deja for an hour and for every person that says the RS
: discone is good, another person says avoid it. Same with the scantenna
: and every other one.

The RS discone is not terribly effective on 49 Mhz.
Adding the center whip to it does help a bit, but the performance will still be so-so.

: Is there ANY agreement to what antenna is best for the 49 MHz cordless
: freqs?

A vertical dipole should do well-variants of dipoles should be good too(J-pole antennas come to mind here).

: Should I replace the 50' of coax too? (its about 2 weathered years old
: now).

: WHo is in the know that can tell the REAL story about the proper
: antenna?

: TIA

: Rob (remove the NOSPAM in my address)

3289. Revised SWL Pages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: asperges@innotts.co.uk
Message-ID: <351e1a3e.7116350@news.innotts.co.uk>
Source record: 165484
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

SWL Page Update - Amateur Radio Pages:

http://www.innotts.co.uk/~asperges/

International Amateur Radio Pages:

* Ideal for experts of beginners;
* Wide range of subject matters;
* Updated news, comment and debate;
* Real Audio on many pages;
* Listeners / Scanner Enthusiast Section
* Links and feedback.

Text and Real Audio and video!
As always: everyone welcome especially from these newsgroups.

73 de Jeremy G4NJH

3290. WTB: Handscanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Willems & Marjo Voncken <cacao@xs4all.nl>
Message-ID: <351C1A7A.661B2B8F@xs4all.nl>
Source record: 165485

Hi,

I am wandering what handscanner i should buy.
For use at home I have a AOR 3000 A and I am planning to hook this baby
up to my PC.

What hand held scanner is good ?

Kind regards,

Roger

3291. Re: Las Vegas N.V. ALL FREQ'S Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Rollman <danr@azstarnet.com>
Message-ID: <351C23AF.CBDBB3BE@azstarnet.com>
Source record: 165486

Southwest Frequency Directory has just completed a new Nevada Edition. It covers the Las Vegas & Laughlin (Clark County) areas. The book is over 60 pages, and includes frequencies, channel numbers & uses, PL tones, fire station locations and apparatus designators, radio codes, trunktracker talkgroups for casino 800 MHz systems, Metro PD District maps, general agency information and more. Also includes frequencies for railroads, aircraft, recreation, schools, utilities, etc. Sells for $18 shipped, and is available from Southwest Frequency Directory. E-mail DanR@azstarnet.com for more information.

KC7VQX wrote:

> please if anyone has any info on all the freq's and pl's dl's for the
> tx & rx freq's in the las vegas area
>
> thank you
>
> (e-mail) KC7VQX@aol.com

3292. BC 350 A SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: SWEDWARDS@MSN.COM
Message-ID: <6fhh3bthu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165487

I NEED TO KNOW IF YOU CAN REBOOT THIS SCANNER . IT SEEMS TO HAVE LOST ITS FACTORY PROGRAMING. IT WILL SCANN THE PRIVATE FREQUENCES THAT I PROGRAM BUT IT WILL NOT STOP AT ANY OF THE PRE PROGRAMED CHANNELS IE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE . IT IS NOT THE SQUELCH . THANKS TO ANY ONE WHO CAN HELP
SCOTTIE

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3293. Re: BEWARE OF OWODUNNI'S -3000a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fh8vc$9u7@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165488
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

With your track record, you think people will take your word that its
new. Give people more credit than that PAL.

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 09:54:07 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

>The AOR3000a is brand new, but you are trying to sell a used one without a box
>for $800.00.
>
>Who is the fucking thief here?
>
>Asshole
>
>In article <6fg4pd$i21@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
> bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>>
>> First he stuck his nose in someone else's business (read below). Now,
>> he's trying to sell the same radio for more than he said it was
>> worth!!! This is the kind of guy that would sell you a used car.
>>
>> On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:52:29 -0500, "Jeff Miller" <jfmil@nospam.net>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >Ignore my last post.. I misread this as an AOR8000 SORRY!
>> >
>> >Kin Ho wrote in message <6f8ifs$1e8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>> >>Obviously Mr. Owodunni does not know the value of radio equipment. It
>> >>could be an honest mistake with him confusing the 3000A with the 3000,
>> >>or is it simply a malicious attempt by him to play price police
>> >>because of his ignorance and lack of funds to ever buy anything on
>> >>this newsgroup other than a pack of batteries.
>> >>
>> >>In any event, those of you who know radios, know full well that an
>> >>AOR-3000A can still be had (blocked) at a brand new price of $1199.
>> >>Therefore, an unblocked used 3000A should warrant an asking price of
>> >>$800. I'm further encouraged by the fact that I've received several
>> >>e-mails from you folks on this newsgroup that $800 is a fair asking
>> >>price for this fine rig.
>> >>
>> >>So, I hereby ask all of you to please join me in relaying an
>> >>appropriate message to Mr. Owodunni that his unsolicited comments are
>> >>upappreciated, and of course, ignore his additions to any adverts
>> >>posted on this newsgroup. Remember, he could do the same to you one
>> >>day. Thank you and have a nice day.
>> >>

>> >>MR. OWODUNNI, AS I INDICATED, THE CHOICE OF LANGUAGE YOU USED IN A
>> >>PERSONNEL E-MAIL MESSAGE TO ME IS INDICATIVE OF YOUR LIMITED
>> >>INTELLIGENCE. PLEASE TAKE THIS AS A STERN SUGGESTION TO "GO AWAY."
>> >>ITS "HIGH MAINTENANCE" INDIVIDUALS LIKE YOUSELF THAT DRAIN THE
>> >>RESOURCES OF OUR SOCIAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE SYSTEMS. HAVE A GOOD DAY.
>> >>On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 06:37:53 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>> >>
>> >>>It shouldn't be more than $500.00.
>> >>>
>> >>>second hand is second-hand, forget the mint crap.
>> >>>
>> >>>
>> >>>In article <6f6m17$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
>> >>> bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>> >>>>
>> >>>>
>> >>>> >I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>> >>>> >imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>> >>>> >the radio has never been used outdoors.
>> >>>> >
>> >>>> >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>> >>>> >to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>> >>>> >following:
>> >>>> >
>> >>>> >* Software and computer cable
>> >>>> >* AC adaptor
>> >>>> >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>> >>>> >* Telescopic whip antenna
>> >>>> >
>> >>>> >I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>> >>>> >shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
>> >>>>
>> >>>>
>> >>>
>> >>>
>> >>>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>> >>>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
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>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3294. Radio Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck from Chuck's 2 Way Radio Service <chuck@chucks2way.com>
Message-ID: <351C2B70.6A8D08B4@chucks2way.com>
Source record: 165489

Looking for scanner Rapair? Go here. Http://www.chucks2way.com/SERVICE.HTM

Although, they're not listed on the page, We do repair all types of scanners.

73!

--
-Chuck

Chuck's 2 Way Radio Service and CB Radio Sales

Http://www.chucks2way.com
MailTo:cbradio25@netlane.com

3295. Scanner Sales!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck from Chuck's 2 Way Radio Service <chuck@chucks2way.com>
Message-ID: <351C2C2B.428C0458@chucks2way.com>
Source record: 165490

Before you go and send you hard earned cahs on a scanner, check out our web site
and
e-mail us for a price quite on a scanner, I carry most models.

73!

--
-Chuck

Chuck's 2 Way Radio Service and CB Radio Sales

Http://www.chucks2way.com
MailTo:cbradio25@netlane.com

3296. PRO2021 Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Peel <jpeel1@cinc.tds.net>
Message-ID: <351C2D4B.3D1CEAE@cinc.tds.net>
Source record: 165491

Need 800MHZ mod for PRO2021. Please Email direct to
jpeel1@cinc.tds.net Thanks in advance

3297. Re: Javiation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Weinstein <sww@connect.net>
Message-ID: <351C1331.7766A082@connect.net>
Source record: 165492

Javiation is highly reputable and well know for their reliability. I personally have ordered 2 scanners from them over the last 4 years and was very happy with there service. I would highly recommend them.

Steve

BATWANGER wrote:

> I am looking for any one who has done business with this
> company.
> I am wanting to place an order with them. Have never done mailorder
> business
> outside the USA. What Can I expect?
> Will I recieve my order?
> Within a reasonable time?
> a week or two?
> Thanks for a response.
> Dave

3298. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans Holm <hholm@istar.ca>
Message-ID: <muWS.64$fK4.639516@NewsRead.Toronto.iSTAR.net>
Source record: 165493
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Darrell wrote,

>However, if you don't tell anyone, then who will know you are listening!

If you were to tell then not only would people know you were listening, but
I'm sure you could be charged under this law. So as far as anybody knows
(what cell phone call, right) ;-)

>> Disclosure of information received from interception of radio-based
>> telephone communications
>>
>> 193.1 (1) Every person who wilfully uses or discloses a radio-based
>> telephonecommunication or who wilfully discloses the existence of such a
>> communication is guilty of an indictable offence and liable to
imprisonment
>> for a term notexceeding two years, if
>>
>> (a) the originator of the communication or the person intended by the
>> originatorof the communication to receive it was in Canada when the
>> communication wasmade;
>>
>> (b) the communication was intercepted by means of an electromagnetic,
>> acoustic,mechanical or other device without the consent, express or
implied,
>> of theoriginator of the communication or of the person intended by the
>> originator toreceive the communication; and
>>
>> (c) the person does not have the express or implied consent of the
>> originator ofthe communication or of the person intended by the
originator
>> to receive the communication.
>>
>> Other provisions to apply
>>
>> (2) Subsections 193(2) and (3) apply, with such modifications as
>> thecircumstances require, to disclosures of radio-based telephone
>> communications.
>>
>> 1993, c. 40, s. 12.
>>

3299. Re: [REPOST] Re: FS: RS TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032723282200.SAA17207@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165494

I really hate to tell you that Radio Shack now has them on sale brand new for $219.99

3300. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: prozac@4.jonnie
Message-ID: <351d9757.872499@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Problem is, asswipe, you have been proven to be a habitual liar.

You just retyped an old message you had from Cheek from many moons ago.

Care to try again, FOOL ?

ka0ssf@parg.org
ka0ssf@parg.org
ka0ssf@parg.org
ka0ssf@parg.org
ka0ssf@parg.org
ka0ssf@parg.org

Loony, was that a new address that the spambots hadn't harvested yet ?

Why do you have a new address when you bragged about your usa.net account being with you for life - no matter how many times you changed providers? Oh.....I forgot. Because it got YANKED!!!

Also, why do you keep changing the way your name appears? Are you, as usual, trying to get past Cheek's kill filter (and other's) to keep stirring up your normal shit ?

You're pretty pathetic, loony toon.

=John= KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>OK FOOL, lookat the bottom!
>
>
>
>Macaroon wrote:
>
>> Sure you do, johnny. Sure you do. It's ok. We understand.
>>
>> _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net> wrote:
>> >YOU are the LIAR because I have a recent e-mail from Bill Cheek to prove
>> >it!
>
>
>Received:
> from dt022nec.san.rr.com (dt022nec.san.rr.com
>[204.210.11.236])
> by mail-atm.san.rr.com (8.8.7/8.8.8) with SMTP
>id LAA05084 for
> <jmackey@usa.net>; Wed, 25 Mar 1998 11:36:16

>-0800 (PST)
> From:
> bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
> To:
> jmackey@usa.net
> Subject:
> Yo?
> Date:
> Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:36:17 GMT
> Organization:
> COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
> Reply-To:
> bcheek@san.rr.com
> Message-ID:
> <35195c85.45060202@pop-server>
> X-Mailer:
> Forte Agent 1.5/32.451
> MIME-Version:
> 1.0
> Content-Type:
> text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding:
> quoted-printable
> X-Mozilla-Status:
> 0001
>
>
>Just checking on you, Smacksie,

3301. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6fequdmcp1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 165551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <351AC653.D7023493@ncia.net>, Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net> wrote:
>NEW AR8000,shipped $404>>>see the URL
>http://www.multicomm2000.com/page3.htm

Come on guys, stop posting this BS. Sure, you can buy a new AR8000 (unblocked) from Multicomm in England for $404, but it's NOT legal to import it into the U.S. because they're banned here...only the AR8000B is legal because it can't be modified to receive cellular phone frequencies.

Yes, Multicomm will ship it here, but that still doesn't make it legal and you take a real chance it will be confiscated by the Feds before you get it...maybe even after you get it if the Feds start to investigate this illegal activity and get a hold of Multicomm's shipping lists. Knock knock...who's there? ;)

However, it is legal to buy units that were imported BEFORE the ban. That's why used models command higher prices...they're worth it because you can legally own them.

Lets compare apples to apples....okay?

Thanks.

--sandy
sandy@sandy.com

3302. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032700524500.TAA11959@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165552

>Subject: Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?
>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>Date: Thu, Mar 26, 1998 17:35 EST
>Message-id: <1998032622351300.RAA18670@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>

>This is what people say when they LOOSE a debate to a person who is more
>literate, intelligent, and eloquent, which he most DEFINATELY DID

Yeah, well at least I know the difference between lose and loose and how to spell definitely. Obviously, you're a graduate of Ronald McDonald College who has some pretense of having an education. Nope, I don't think I'll have the fries today, but run along and get me a Big Mac and a medium-sized Diet Coke.

>>so I turned on the bozo filter.
>
>That's IMPOSSIBLE, for if you had WE WOULDN'T SEE YOUR POOR, PATHETIC EXCUSES
>when you LOOSE (Looser!!!)

Well, er, Socrates, that would be loser, but I'm sure that you know that. Like I said, I turned on the bozo filter. The problem is that bozo still doesn't get it.

>Well look at the black pot calling the kettle a NIGG**

Geez, OBFD, now we really see you for what you are: a hypocritical, vulgar, racist bum. What a fine example you must be to those little kiddies you must be.

>We may only hope YOU never figure out how to reproduce.

You speak from experience, of course, since your mother and your sister are the same person.

>INCIDENTALLY, this MALexder FOOL is the BIGGEST DEFENDER OF NAMBLA.

I don't defend grown men molesting little kids. After all weren't you the one whose kid said, "Dad, you can NOT touch me there!"
Naw, you're just off on this tangent because you are completely and utterly unable to come up with anything remotely original.

[more of the genetic defect's mad dog, lunatic blathering deleted]

Hey buzzbomb, I'm sending you a copy of this post via e-mail just so I can see you chase your tail some more.

3303. Javiation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: batwanger@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032701213900.UAA17035@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165553

I am looking for any one who has done business with this company.
I am wanting to place an order with them. Have never done mailorder business
outside the USA. What Can I expect?
Will I recieve my order?
Within a reasonable time?
a week or two?
Thanks for a response.
Dave

3304. Re: Javiation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032701342200.UAA19217@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165554

>Subject: Javiation
>From: batwanger@aol.com (BATWANGER)
>Date: Thu, Mar 26, 1998 20:21 EST
>Message-id: <1998032701213900.UAA17035@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
>I am looking for any one who has done business with this company.
>I am wanting to place an order with them. Have never done mailorder
>business
>outside the USA. What Can I expect?
>Will I recieve my order?
>Within a reasonable time?
>a week or two?
>Thanks for a response.
>Dave

You can expect to get what you paid for, exactly as advertised, in the time that you would expect to get it. Yes, yes, yes. Javiation, as has been repeated here innumerable times, is a fine company of the highest quality.

3305. Re: Someone is Canceling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: GHansen <Glenn.Hansen@USA.NET>
Message-ID: <01bd5929$eaa428c0$530737a6@glenn>
Source record: 165555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

_John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net> wrote in article
<3518BA52.D0A@usa.net>...

> I'm coming from USA.NET right now so YOU must be the one
> lying!!!

Come John. The path in your header (reproduced below) says you using the
sprintisp news feed.

Path:
news.internetMCI.com!newsfeed.internetmci.com!205.137.196.70!news.sprintisp.
com!sprintisp!not-for-mail

See the last entry? That be you John! Sprintisp. Now USA.NET does allow
sending of mail from their WWW site but not direct posts to USENET. You
would need a mail to news gateway. Looking at the header again it seems
that that isn't the case here. What gives here? Everything says you are
using the Sprint newsfeed but you are saying you are posting from USA.NET.
Care to explain?

3306. Re: RealVideo: Police scanner as a tool for artists

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tweek@netcom-NO.SPAM-com
Message-ID: <EqGJCK.D1M@moraga.ness.com>
Source record: 165556
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.2600,alt.radio.pirate

In article <6fe88cvsc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, <nonlinear@hotmail.com> wrote:

>In this clip from the documentary Sonic Outlaws, the rock band Negativland
>show how to use "found sound" -- particularly sound grabbed from the
>airwaves -- to make a political and artistic statement. It's
>hilarious--especially as we listen in on a gay couple having a spat, and then
>see how Negativland uses this audio in its music.

Sorry, but my Linux box doesn't support RealVideo, so I can't view the
cut you mentioned... Is it per chance the "WR6ABM - Repeater" stuff?
(Or maybe the later 145.29 repeater). "Hemorhoid" was a big word with
some of that stuff... or there was "Mitch" the parcel delivery driver.

I'd hardly call that "found" stuff... 20 years ago, when WR6ABM still
existed as a repeater, many of the transmissions going over that repeater
were, IMO, bootleggers "hamming it up" for the Over The Edge show on
KPFA.

You're right though, that shit was funny, but so was the stuff which
came over the phone lines from callers using landlines.

"If any of you are into jamming, keep talking, keep jamming,
because I'll be listening on my scanner radio, and just maybe,
you'll be on the next album."
- Negativland: A Big 10-8 Place

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Had your share of stoopid(tm) people?	
View the "Contra Costa Whines" at	[This space for lease]
http://www.io.com/~tweek/cocowhine/	

3307. FS-Radio Shack 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: pmayer7309@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032703030401.WAA05333@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165557

I have a radio shack 2006 in very good condition. I would like to sell it for

$300.00. buyer pays the shipping.

pm7309@A.O.L

3308. Need a service manual for your scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032703290200.WAA10183@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165558

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We have them.
<a href="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">
CTP Descramblers</a>
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html
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3309. pager frequency by phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: zoro@francomedia.qc.ca
Message-ID: <351b1926.4768115@news.francomedia.qc.ca>
Source record: 165559

hi. i can i find a pager frequency by the phone number?

zoro@francomedia.qc.ca

3310. PRO-90 TrunkTracker ON SALE $319

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: gmacdoug1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032704492701.XAA24239@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165560

FYI, to anyone looking for a PRO-90: It just went on sale today at the local Radio Shack (in California anyway) for $319. You would still have to buy the extra battery pack to make it equaL to my BC 235XLT (Grove $249), but it looks like a good deal.

KD6CWU

3311. Please Help: Pro-43 has lost its memory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmankowski@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032704420701.XAA23022@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165561

My Pro-43 has a problem. I realized I left it turned on for a couple weeks. This, of course, killed my batteries. No problem, I put in fresh batteries and the radio works, but when I turn it off and on again, all the channels I programed in are gone and all channels have zero's in them.

Any ides on how to cure this agrivating problem?

Thanks for any help you can provide.

John.

3312. Re: Request for Texas Frequency Listing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpems500@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032705075700.AAA27115@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165562

>If anyone has a frequency listing for Travis and/or Williamson Counties in
>Texas (police, fire, emergency, etc.), please send them to me.

David:

Below, I have forwarded a (poorly formatted) list of frequencies for Travis &
Williamson Counties.

Travis county EMS/Fire is still on UHF & VHF (I believe). Williamson County
has moved to 800, but the EMS still "alerts" on UHF (Med 10..462.975).

Hope this helps.

David
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COUNTY...... AGENCY.................. CITY.......... CH RPT
OUT RPT IN CALL.... USED..................... TONE....
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Travis Austin 453.0250
Medical Paging
Airport - Executive Airpa Austin
122.8000
Airport - Mueller Austin
118.8000 Arrival/Departure
Austin
119.0000 Arrival/Departure
Austin
119.2000 ATIS
Austin
120.0000 Arrival/Departure
Austin
121.0000 Tower
Austin
121.5000 Clearance/Delivery
Austin
121.9000 Ground Control
Austin
122.2000 Flight Service
Austin
124.9000 Arrival/Departure
American Cab Austin 1
152.3900 157.6500
Austin 2
152.3000 157.5600
Aqua Festival Austin
463.4500 Held in August
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Austin American Statesman Austin
452.9750 KJZ457 Photo
Austin
453.0000 KJZ457 Route Delivery
Austin Electric Departmen Austin 1
451.0250 WSB780 Main
Austin 2
451.2500 WSB780 Power Production
Austin 3
451.1750 WSB780 Transmission/Distribution
Austin 4
451.3750 WSB780 Underground/Construction
Austin 5
451.5250 WSB780 Street Lights/Signals
Austin 6
451.0750 WSB780 Engineering
Austin 7
451.1250 WSB780 Car to Car
Austin I.S.D. Austin
450.8750 455.8750 Campus Police
Austin
463.2000 Athletic Games
Austin
463.2250 Athletic Games
Austin
463.9000 468.9000 Busses
Barton Creek Mall Austin
464.6750
Bergstrom AFB Austin
36.8000 Texas Air Natl Guard
Austin
133.2000 255.6000 Tower
Austin
149.2050 1882nd Comm Squad
Austin
149.5650 Mobile Telephone
Austin
150.1750 Command Network
Austin
150.2500 Refueling
Austin
150.3000 Base Paging
Austin
162.6125 Security Police
Austin
163.4625 67th Transp Squad
Austin
163.4875 Security Police
Austin
165.1375 Tower to Field

Austin
173.5375 Engineering
Austin
173.5625 Medical Net
Austin
173.5875 Fire/Crash
Austin
314.2000 A.F.Reserve Tac Wing
Austin
349.4000 Mil Air Lift Command
Austin
372.2000 Dispatcher
Austin
372.8000 Ground Control
Austin
375.2000 Weather
Austin
381.3000 Raymond 28
Austin
413.8250 Flight Line Maint
Capital Austin
152.3450 157.6050 ? Out of Business?
Capitol Metro - Transit Austin
453.5500 458.5500 Rural Transit
Austin
857.2125 812.2125 WNGR349 Busses
Austin
858.2125 813.2125 WNGR349 Special Transit
Austin
859.2125 814.2125 WNGR349 Maint/Supervisors
Austin
860.2125 815.2125 WNGR349 Problem Drivers
Central Texas Broadcastin Austin
455.8500 KPG258 Traffic Helicopter
Ch 24 Austin 1
450.0500 News
Austin 2
450.1500 (ABC)
Austin 3
450.2500 Patch
Austin 4
450.3500 IFB
Ch 36 Austin
450.1125 News
Checker Austin
152.4200 157.6800 ? Out of Business?
Continental Airlines Austin
129.9250 Aus Operations
Dobie Mall Austin
462.0250

EMS Manchaca
155.1750 KNEY536
EMS Austin City Austin
155.3250 KJF787 Old Tac 1
EMS Service Austin
463.0750 468.0750 Supervisor Phone Patch
Austin 9
462.9750 467.9750 Dispatch
Austin 10
462.9500 467.9500 Backup
County
155.7150 KIK834 County EMS/Starflight
FBI Austin 1
163.9875 163.9875 KEX841
Austin 2
167.2125 167.2125 KEX841
Austin 3
167.4125 167.4125 KEX841
Austin 4
167.5625 167.5625 KEX841
Fire Department Austin 1
453.7750 KSS813 Firecom - West
Austin 2
453.1500 KSS813 Firecom - North
Austin 3 453.5000 KSS813 Firecom - East
Austin 4
453.1000 KSS813 Firecom - South
Austin 5
453.4500 458.4500 KSS813 Alarm Dispatch
Austin 6
453.9000 458.9000 KSS813 Administration
Austin 7
453.2750 458.2750 KSS813 Phone Patch
Austin 8
453.6750 458.6750 KSS813 Traning
Austin M3
153.9500 WQC462 Link To County VFD's
SETCO 1
154.2050 SE Travis Cou Fire
SETCO 2
154.3250 SE Travis Cou Fire
TCFC 1
154.4000 Travis Cou Fire Control
TCFC 2
154.4300 Travis Cou Fire Control
Harlem Cab Austin
152.4500 157.7100
Highland Mall Austin
855.0375 810.0375
KASE Austin

161.6700 101 Traffic
KTBC-TV Inc Austin
450.3125 455.3125 KPE629 Ch 7 News (CBS)
KVET Austin
161.7300 1300 AM
Local Government Austin
453.7250 KNEU583 Public Events Facility
Mopac Austin
160.4100
Austin
160.4700
National Weather Service Austin
162.4000 WXK27

Travis NorthWestern Austin
161.5200
Northcross Mall Austin
463.8875
Police Department Austin 1
460.4000 465.4000 Frank - Southeast
Austin 2
460.1000 465.1000 WSL739 Adam - North
Austin 3
460.4500 465.4500 Baker - Dwntwn & West
Austin 4
460.3250 465.3250 WRL495 Edward - Northeast
Austin 5
460.1750 465.1750 WSL736 Charlie - East
Austin 6
460.2750 465.2750 WRL498 David - Southwest
Austin 7
460.0250 465.0250 ROPe/Tactical
Austin 8
460.5000 465.5000 Citywide/Rat
Austin 9
460.2250 465.2250 Narcotics/Vice/SMT/CID
Austin 10
460.2000 465.2000 WSL735 Mueller Airport
Austin 11
460.3750 465.3750 WRL496 Brackenridge Hospital
Austin 12
460.4750 465.4750 WSB734 Car To Car
Public Works Austin
155.9250 Health Dept/Animal Contro
Austin
158.8350 Solid Waste Disposal
Austin
453.2250 WQA770 City Radio Technicians
Austin
453.4250 KBF631 Housing Authority

Austin
453.6000 KNEU583 Urban Transportation
Austin
453.6250 KUP285 Parking Enforcement
Austin
453.8500 KNEU583 VES/Vehicle Equip Serv
Austin
453.8750 KYP696 City Council Phone
Austin
453.9250 WQA722 Airport Maintenance
Austin
453.9750 KNFA326 City Council Phone
Austin
856.2625 811.2625 WNBZ704 WastWater/Water Trk Sys
Austin
857.2625 812.2625 WNBZ704 WastWater/Water Trk Sys
Austin
858.2625 813.2625 WNBZ704 WastWater/Water Trk Sys
Austin
859.2625 814.2625 WNBZ704 WastWater/Water Trk Sys
Austin
860.2625 815.2625 WNBZ704 WastWater/Water Trk Sys
Austin 1
155.7600 KEL383 Street & Bridge
Austin 1
453.2000 Building Inspectors
Austin 1
453.3250 KXV388 PARD Parks & Recreations
Austin 2
154.9650 KLX853 Street & Bridge
Austin 2
453.3500 KNEU583 Building Inspectors
Austin 2
453.5750 KNEU583 PARD Parks & Recreations
Roys Taxi Austin
452.1500 457.1500
Seton Medical Center Austin
155.2200 WNDU998 Security
Sheriffs Office County
155.5200 156.0300 151.4
County
453.7000 KNDC797 Courthouse/Jail
County
453.7500 Jail
County 1
154.0850 KVN682 Primary - North
County 2
153.9350 155.9550 KVN682 Secondary - South 151.4-5Z
County 3
154.8450 KVN682 Constables

County 4
154.9500 KVN682 Intercity - Mobile
County 5
155.3700 KVN682 Intercity - Base
County 6
155.3100 155.9100 KVN682 Lake Area 151.4
South Austin Comm. Hospit Austin
453.0750 458.0750
Southern Pacific Austin
161.5500
Southern Union Gas Co Austin 1
158.2050
Austin 2
158.3100
Southwestern Bell Austin
151.9850
St Davids Hospital Austin
463.2500 468.2500
StarFlight County
155.7150
Texas Hospital Associatio Austin
155.2800
The LBJ Company Austin
450.5500 KOS438 KLBJ - AM 590
University Of Texas Austin
154.0400 Campus Paging
Austin
154.5400 Athletics Ticket Sales
Austin
155.7000 Systems Police
Austin
158.9250 155.8950 Maintenance 136.5
Austin
453.6500 458.6500 Frank Erwin Center
Austin
453.9500 458.9500 Performing Arts Center
Austin
856.2125 811.2125 Shuttle Service
Austin 1
155.5800 Police Department
Austin 2
155.8200 Police Department
Utility Customer Service Austin
153.6650
Yellow Cab Austin
152.2700 157.7300
Z 102 Austin
450.9250 Remote Van

Williamson EMS County
462.9750 467.9750 KNAX371 Dispatch
Police Department Round Rock 1
155.5200 158.9700 Dispatch 136.5-4Z
Round Rock 2
156.2400 153.8450 WNCP546 136.5-4Z
Sheriffs Office County 1
154.8600 155.6250 KVN687 151.4
County 2
154.7250 KVN687
County 5
154.6500 KVN687

David Phillips, B.S., EMT-P
EMS Manager
City of Beaumont, Texas

3313. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanners in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans Holm <hholm@istar.ca>
Message-ID: <UwGS.125$uC4.962579@NewsRead.Toronto.iSTAR.net>
Source record: 165563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Darrell A. Larose wrote in message <6fbofj$5dm@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>
>"Hans Holm" (hholm@istar.ca) writes:
>> Darrell A. Larose wrote in message
<6f8st5$ag9@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>>>Isn't legal language wonderful??? IMHO it is vague enough that charges
>>>could be filed, if there was a compelling reason to.

I read all that I could and could not find any law that states that you may
not listen in on non-scrambled, radio-based telecommunications for fun.

>>>But owning a cell capable scanner is legal, as long as it can receive
other frequencies ie; weather, marine
>>> ham et al. So if the scanner is full spectrum there really a problem. If
the device only received cell it may >>>be illegal.

I couldn't find any laws to back up this statement.

I attached all that I found concerning radio phone communication at the
bottom of this post. I also attached a link to the page where I found this
information, lots of digging!

http://canada.justice.gc.ca/STABLE/EN/Laws/Chap/C/C-46.html

Thank you for posting the address' to these informative sites. If you find
the law that states that it is illegal to listen to cell phones I would be
interested in reading it myself.

This is what I found:

"private communication" ◆ communication priv◆e ◆

"private communication" means any oral communication, or any
telecommunication,that is made by an originator who is in Canada or is
intended by the originatorto be received by a person who is in Canada and
that is made under circumstancesin which it is reasonable for the originator
to expect that it will not beintercepted by any person other than the person
intended by the originator toreceive it, and includes any radio-based
telephone communication that is treatedelectronically or otherwise for the
purpose of preventing intelligible receptionby any person other than the
person intended by the originator to receive it;

"radio-based telephone communication" ◆ communication radiot◆l◆phonique ◆

"radio-based telephone communication" means any radiocommunication within
themeaning of the Radiocommunication Act that is made over apparatus that is
usedprimarily for connection to a public switched telephone network;

Interception of radio-based telephone communications

184.5 (1) Every person who intercepts, by means of any electro-magnetic,acoustic, mechanical or other device, maliciously or for gain, a radio-basedtelephone communication, if the originator of the communication or the personintended by the originator of the communication to receive it is in Canada, isguilty of an indictable offence and liable to imprisonment for a term notexceeding five years.

Disclosure of information received from interception of radio-based telephone communications

193.1 (1) Every person who wilfully uses or discloses a radio-based telephonecommunication or who wilfully discloses the existence of such a communication isguilty of an indictable offence and liable to imprisonment for a term notexceeding two years, if

(a) the originator of the communication or the person intended by the originatorof the communication to receive it was in Canada when the communication wasmade;

(b) the communication was intercepted by means of an electromagnetic, acoustic,mechanical or other device without the consent, express or implied, of theoriginator of the communication or of the person intended by the originator toreceive the communication; and

(c) the person does not have the express or implied consent of the originator ofthe communication or of the person intended by the originator to receive the communication.

Other provisions to apply

(2) Subsections 193(2) and (3) apply, with such modifications as thecircumstances require, to disclosures of radio-based telephone communications.

1993, c. 40, s. 12.

Possession of device to obtain telecommunication facility or service <<<<<<< please note the last three words ((this law is about stealing phone sevice, not a device just for listening))

327. (1) Every one who, without lawful excuse, the proof of which lies on him, manufactures, possesses, sells or offers for sale or distributes any instrument or device or any component thereof, the design of which renders it primarily useful for obtaining the use of any telecommunication facility or service, under circumstances that give rise to a reasonable inference that the device has been used or is or was intended to be used to obtain the use of any telecommunication facility or service without payment of a lawful charge therefor, is guilty of an indictable offence and liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twoyears. Forfeiture

(2) Where a person is convicted of an offence under subsection (1) or paragraph326(1)(b), any instrument or device in relation to which the offence wascommitted or the possession of which constituted the offence, on

such conviction, in addition to any punishment that is imposed, may be ordered forfeited to Her Majesty, whereupon it may be disposed of as the AttorneyGeneral directs.

Limitation

(3) No order for forfeiture shall be made under subsection (2) in respect oftelephone, telegraph or other communication facilities or equipment owned by aperson engaged in providing telephone, telegraph or other communication serviceto the public or forming part of the telephone, telegraph or other communicationservice or system of such a person by means of which an offence under subsection
(1) has been committed if such person was not a party to the offence.

1974-75-76, c. 93, s. 24.

3314. MCI Center frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Brookhart <cbrookha@erols.com>
Message-ID: <351B35DE.547F7F41@erols.com>
Source record: 165564

Does anybody know what the frequencies are for MCI Center in Washington, D.C.?

Charlie Brookhart
cbrookha@erols.com

3315. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6ffe4d$d6u$0@207.18.224.134>
Source record: 165565

On 26 Mar 1998 20:00:58 GMT, obfd@aol.com (OBFD) wrote:

>Mr. Bowers,
>
>What you say here may be said with EQUAL support regarding Mr. Mackey's equally
>offensive nemesis, Mr. Cheek.
>
Actually, not. John seems to have amassed a quite a bit of lack of
support.

Following the conditions I made, ie verification, or ability, and
checking dejanews, it is quite clear.

>I thought I recognized you from radioscanner BBS, if so, I thought you were
>better than this.
>
Well, I am sorry that I don't live up to your expectations. You will
find that I am one of the milder participants in all of this, and try
to express my views with facts.

If anyone has a problem with that, there is always the (N)ext key.

Have a nice day.

3316. Re: Help identify this signal...?? - unknown.wav (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ff53@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <351b4847.44782235@news.apex.net>
Source record: 165566
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 23:38:13 GMT, cfortner@netrover.com (Chris
Fortner) wrote:

>Can anyone identify what this signal is?? I am receiving it on
>901.850 Mhz in Southwestern Ontario, Canada.....
>
>Thanks!!

that is a data relay control channel, it sounds like the site manager
control channel for a multicast two/way pager system.

MMc

3317. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351b3910.76003678@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165567

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > Yeah....ri---ght.....lemme see you go transmitting all
> > over creation betwixt DC and Daylight. And gimme a
> > video camera to shoot the scene when the D.O.C. comes
> > around to test your intestinal fortitude.

> Well, there's nothing wrong with injecting a signal from a test set and
> measuring return loss, is there?

I dunno about you guys up there in the frozen
northland, but down here in the temperate zones,
our lawmakers crank out the laws so fast that we
can't keep track of 'em all. If I said "No" to
your question, some eavesdropping legislator down
here would sachet back into Congress and whup up
an anti-return-loss law just to cover all bases.

So excuse me if I defer........ :-)

> Failing that, I've never heard of anyone going to jail for a short blast
> of 10W on any given frequency! Haha!

Well, I never have, that's for sure. It takes
a little time for the Adcock arrays to zero in on
a signal and they have to be looking for it in the
first place.

> > The thing is, what works for a ham doesn't always work
> > so good for the scannist. It was that very point that
> > you and me argued over a couple of years ago with respect
> > to TV antennas mounted vertically.....
>
> An old friend of mine built a 10Watt FM transmitter from scratch and set
> up a little Pirate Radio station. He used a TV antenna that had
> elements for FM radio as his broadcast antenna. I questioned what the
> VSWR was like and he proceeded to prove to me that it was better than
> 1.3:1. Honest!

I wouldn't have bet that a TV antenna would ever come
in with a decent VSWR, but then I've never tested one.

They receive, and that's all I ever cared about. Matching
one to precision perfection won't help the receiver, so
I've never dug into them that deep.

1.3 : 1 sounds pretty phenomenal, if you ask me.

> Mind you, if you blasted 1kW through the thing I'm sure the conductivity
> of pop-rivets would demonstrate the limitations.

I rather imagine they would demonstrate how they
got their name, POP-rivets, too. POP! POPPITY! POP!
followed by a KA-BLOOOOEY just for general purposes.

BTW, I used to pump upwards of 8-gallons into an
Avanti Moonraker 6......driven by a 4CX5000A but before
that, I had to go over the thing with a fine-toothed comb
using sheet metal screws in all the joints of the driven
elements to assure the conductvity and minimize I-square-R
losses there. Also had to whip up some new gamma matches.
TFE dielectrics worked pretty good except they still got
hotter 'n a fast-flying fox in a forest fire, so I finally
found me some ceramic tubes that worked great. I'd like to
see ceramic melt.

One other little anecdote.....once upon a time, I made a
11-meter dipole and fed it through a TV matching transformer.
The VSWR was less than 2:1. Worked okay. Then one day, I
lost my presence of mind and let loose with a couple hundred
watts into it. The balun went up in smoke kind of dramatic-like.

(Return loss, my ass........) :-))

Speaking of which, I had a buddy around Vancouver (Surrey)
who got nailed by the D.O.C. for running a linear in his
vehicle. I had to admire their summary justice. They made
him remove it from the car and lay it on the pavement and
then gave him a sledgehammer and a choice.

1. Suffer the consequences of prosecution, or

2. Beat the shit out of the linear with the sledge.

He beat the holy hell out of it. They tore up the
citation; shook his hand; and left.

I heard about it that evening over the landline. He
was sniveling and crying like a whupped pup. It was a
big ol' 500-watt Varmint linear, too. Expensive......

I cried right along with 'im.

3318. FS: RS-Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032706583400.BAA10881@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165568

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Pro-2006. good cond. cell and speed mods done.
Very clean. $300 I ship.
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Pursuant to U.S. Code, title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, §227,
"Any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address
is subject to a download and archival fee of $500.00 U.S."
E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

3319. Re: pager frequency by phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <351B49AE.B702A022@eden.com>
Source record: 165569

zoro@francomedia.qc.ca wrote:

> hi. i can i find a pager frequency by the phone number?
>
> zoro@francomedia.qc.ca

to put it simply ....No.
Sounds like your trying to eavsdrop on a friends pager to see who pages
him... not good.

3320. Re: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS good/bad --What works best for cordless freqs????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny V Mullins <jvmullins@kih.net>
Message-ID: <01bd594e$aad5c760$5d7069ce@jvmullins>
Source record: 165570

Rob: About the only way an R.S. Discone will beat what you're Useing now
below 100 mehz. is if the coax has become disconnected.--- Discones , (
even with the loaded vertical) just don't hear well down
in those Freqs.
I checked the net for the answer for guite a while with same results
you're getting "bout 50/50 got some
replys as complicated as quantum physics,
PLAIN TRUTH IS THEY DON'T HEAR VERY GOOD ON LOW FREQS
Johnny V. Mullins
Rob_warren98NOSPAM@yahoo.com wrote in article
<35157d10.307100439@news.sprint.ca>...
> All I want to receive is the 49Mhz cordless freqs.
>
> I own a older 2032 and I have taped to a PVC vent pipe on the roof now
> the RS (20-006) 9 section telescoping whip. I think the rain and snow
> has started to corrode it so now I want to put a new antenna in the
> attic.
>
> I have searched Deja for an hour and for every person that says the RS
> discone is good, another person says avoid it. Same with the scantenna
> and every other one.
>
> Is there ANY agreement to what antenna is best for the 49 MHz cordless
> freqs?
>
> Should I replace the 50' of coax too? (its about 2 weathered years old
> now).
>
> WHo is in the know that can tell the REAL story about the proper
> antenna?
>
> TIA
>
> Rob (remove the NOSPAM in my address)
>
>

3321. FS: CS-950 Simplex Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: docalarm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980327074444101.CAA17440@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165571

Have installation manual. Asking $45 plus shipping.

3322. Re: Comments Uniden UBC9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dart1132@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032708354001.DAA17505@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165572

I have one and it is a very good scanner get one

Noidid55

3323. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6ffv97$gv7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165573
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Are you saying he was lying to me. That is very bad, and I believed him, you know.

Why will someone lie about some thing like that?

It's very shameful.

In article <890834043snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>,
tgold@panix.com wrote:
>
> In article <6fam30ssh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com> segun_owodunni@yahoo.com writes:
>
> > As I told, an executive of this forum privately this morning, the price you
> > are charging was too much, don't you have any heart at all, what about the
> > newbies to this hobby? Money is not everything you fuckhead.
>
> You are confused. This newsgroup is for buying and selling radios
> and Kin Ho is trying to do that.
>
> If you've been told that this is a forum with an executive, then I'm
> afraid someone is a week early in playing an April fool joke on you.
>
> Please post here again when you have something to buy or to sell.
>
> Regards,
> --
> Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com
>
>

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3324. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6ffvcv$h2l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Now here goes another motherfcuking radio ham.

Just take a flying fuck at your radio tonight.

Asshole.

When others were leaving nice messages, a fucker came along and fucked it up
all.

Asshole.

In article <890838403snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>,
tgold@panix.com wrote:
>
> In article <890834043snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
> tgold@panix.com "Anthony R. Gold" writes:
>
> > You are confused. This newsgroup is for buying and selling radios
> > and Kin Ho is trying to do that.
>
> Since writing that I noticed that this thred has been posted to
> groups other than rec.radio.swap and my comments were aimed only at
> postings to that one newsgroup.
>
> My apologies to readers of the scanner and shortwave newsgroups who
> may still be interested to read anonymous, illiterate and inaccurate
> flames from segun_owodunni.
>
> Followup set.
>
> Regards,
> --
> Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com
>
>

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3325. Brand New AOR 3000A - $650.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6ffvii$h56$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

I have an absolutely BRAND NEWT AOR 3000A. Unwanted xmas gift.

There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
following:

* Software and computer cable
* AC adaptor
* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
* Telescopic whip antenna

I'll throw in a free discone, if the buyer is active on this newsgroup.

Thanks!

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3326. Brand New AOR 3000A - $650.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6ffvj1$h57$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165576
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

I have an absolutely BRAND NEW AOR 3000A. Unwanted xmas gift.

There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
following:

* Software and computer cable
* AC adaptor
* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
* Telescopic whip antenna

I'll throw in a free discone, if the buyer is active on this newsgroup.

Thanks!

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3327. Re: FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6ffvnr$hh3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

This guy is sick.

Take a flying fuck at a sitting duck.

Asshole.

In article <351c6e5b.175598596@news.dancris.com>,
>
> Mommy, what is a motherfucker? What is fuck? Why is this jerk using
> profanity when it is totally unnecessary?

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3328. Re: FS- AOR 3000A Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fg00d$hj6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165578
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Thank You, your response shows you are nice person, just like me.

have a nice day.

In article <351A61B8.8F1B267D@nmia.com>,
Rico Johnston <ricoj@nmia.com> wrote:
>
> If you don't like the price don't buy it. It is a free market.
>
> segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> > It shouldn't e more than $500.00, you are charging too much money, no one
> > cares if it is mint. Who would pay an extra $300.00 because an eqpt is
mint.
> >
> > Greediness is bad.
> >
> > In article <6f6lml$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
> > bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
> > >
> > > >I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
> > > >imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
> > > >the radio has never been used outdoors.
> > > >
> > > >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
> > > >to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
> > > >following:
> > > >
> > > >* Software and computer cable
> > > >* AC adaptor
> > > >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
> > > >* Telescopic whip antenna
> > > >
> > > >I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
> > > >shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
> > >
> > >
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3329. Re: Cell Phone User License

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric <UnholeyNOSPAM@flink.com>
Message-ID: <351B6491.F814D991@flink.com>
Source record: 165579
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Dr. Bellows wrote:

> Eric wrote:
> >
> > KA8TOK1 wrote:
> >
> > > >Maybe some general intelligence questions would help (Is it safer to drive a
> > > car with or without cell phone on your ear?). Maybe throw in some questions
> > > about radio wave propogation and such. Hey, even throw in some code as well!
> > > >Who knows, it might weed out some of the idiots who don't have a clue.
> > >
> > > That still will not stop anyone from breaking the law.
> > >
> > > Brad Kellison KA8TOK
> > > KA8TOK Repeater 442.875 +
> >
> > a law that was ignorant in the first place. If you think a law is going to
> > protect you from me listening to you your stupid.
>
> Agreed. Why not just have a "Just say no to listening to phones"
> campaign? If the politically correct people think that this will
> actually work on drugs, why not use it on phones?
>
> I bet putting "Say no to murder" PSA's on TV would stop murder. right?
>
> Dr. Sarcasm

Actually an even better Idea would be to use common sense when using a [RADIO TRANSMITTER] believe it or not that's what a cell phone is. I don't know about you but if I was using a radio transmitter I definitely wouldn't put out any personal information. You wouldn't transmit your credit card numbers over the radio would ya. I sure as hell wouldn't.

> I bet putting "Say no to murder" PSA's on TV would stop murder. right?

I believe the point I was trying to make in the first place was the law isn't going to stop anything. Even scanners that have been locked out can be converted. Have you ever heard of frequency harmonics.

and NO I am not politically correct if I was I would have to agree with this law wouldn't I. Politically correct means that you agree do and believe what ever the government tells you to like Bill Clintion and his new socialist Raychem. Clintion and the FCC are really getten fat. I hope he likes his money.

3330. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: =John= KA0SSF <ka0ssf@pREMOVEarg.org>
Message-ID: <351B8060.174D@pREMOVEarg.org>
Source record: 165580
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

OK FOOL, lookat the bottom!

Macaroon wrote:

> Sure you do, johnny. Sure you do. It's ok. We understand.
>
> _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net> wrote:
> >YOU are the LIAR because I have a recent e-mail from Bill Cheek to prove
> >it!

Received:
from dt022nec.san.rr.com (dt022nec.san.rr.com
[204.210.11.236])
by mail-atm.san.rr.com (8.8.7/8.8.8) with SMTP
id LAA05084 for
<jmackey@usa.net>; Wed, 25 Mar 1998 11:36:16
-0800 (PST)
From:
bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
To:
jmackey@usa.net
Subject:
Yo?
Date:
Wed, 25 Mar 1998 19:36:17 GMT
Organization:
COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Reply-To:
bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID:
<35195c85.45060202@pop-server>
X-Mailer:
Forte Agent 1.5/32.451
MIME-Version:
1.0
Content-Type:
text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding:
quoted-printable
X-Mozilla-Status:
0001

Just checking on you, Smacksie,

3331. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fg1bn$ik0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165581
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Who is this gentleman, and what was he selling?

Do you want to just end up dead or what?

Motherfucker.

In article <6fdp6n$90c@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>
> Additionally information to all potential buyers and/or sellers
> dealing with Mr. owodunni:
>
> I've received an e-mail message from a gentleman who has also had the
> displeasure of dealing with this guy. Apparently Mr. Owodunni offered
> an extremely low offer on somethig this gentleman was selling. When
> he declined the offer, Mr. owodunni replied with one of his
> inappropriate and graphic displays of the english language, which I
> may add is somewhat lacking. Have a good day folks!
>
> On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 14:33:04 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
> (Kin Ho) wrote:
>
> >That's funny, by your own admission on my posting to try and sell this
> >same radio, you commented it was only WORTH $500, even in MINT
> >condition.
> >
> >Gee, I wonder why you are now asking $150 more than what you yourself
> >said the radio is worth. I believe this is an excellent example of
> >your lack of integrity. Accordingly, all potential buyers of
> >anything that you have to sell now, and in the future, should be more
> >cautious. Have a good day!
> >
> >
> >On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 05:16:46 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
> >
> >>Brand new AOR3000A with box, xmas gift, never been used.
> >>$650.00.
> >>
> >>
> >>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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> >
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3332. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fg1ig$iv1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165582
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Why insult the gentleman, he was only voicing his opinion.

In article <351B193F.DF228133@mcn.org>,
cipher@mcn.org wrote:
>
> You smoke too much crack.
>
> Sandy Meltzer wrote:
>
> > In article <351AC653.D7023493@ncia.net>, Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
wrote:
> > >NEW AR8000,shipped $404>>>see the URL
> > >http://www.multicomm2000.com/page3.htm
> >
> > Come on guys, stop posting this BS. Sure, you can buy a new AR8000
> > (unblocked) from Multicomm in England for $404, but it's NOT legal to
import
> > it into the U.S. because they're banned here...only the AR8000B is legal
> > because it can't be modified to receive cellular phone frequencies.
> >
> > Yes, Multicomm will ship it here, but that still doesn't make it legal and
you
> > take a real chance it will be confiscated by the Feds before you get
> > it...maybe even after you get it if the Feds start to investigate this
illegal
> > activity and get a hold of Multicomm's shipping lists. Knock
knock...who's
> > there? ;)
> >
> > However, it is legal to buy units that were imported BEFORE the ban.
That's
> > why used models command higher prices...they're worth it because you can
> > legally own them.
> >
> > Lets compare apples to apples....okay?
> >
> > Thanks.
> >
> > --sandy
> > sandy@sandy.com
>
>

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3333. Re: Brand New AOR 3000A - $650.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fg425$i21@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

You keep asking too much for this radio, ask the same price for it
that you told everyone on this newsgroup the radio was worth last
week, $500 $500 $500 $500 $500 $500 $500.............................
THE SMART PEOPLE ON THIS NEWSGROUP ARE CATCHING ONTO YOUR UNETHICAL
BUSINESS PRACTICES. YOU CAN RUN BUT YOU CAN'T HIDE.
See what happens when you stick your nose in someone else's business,
you've gained a friend for life.

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 04:40:17 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

>
>
>I have an absolutely BRAND NEWT AOR 3000A. Unwanted xmas gift.
>
>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>following:
>
>* Software and computer cable
>* AC adaptor
>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>* Telescopic whip antenna
>
>I'll throw in a free discone, if the buyer is active on this newsgroup.
>
>Thanks!
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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3334. FS: RARE Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tje@usol.com
Message-ID: <351b9622.1607479@news.usol.com>
Source record: 165584
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12
volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount
of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually
forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find.
Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again
in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all
the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you.
Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want
to play the auction bidding game.
--
Tim, K8TJ

3335. BEWARE OF OWODUNNI'S -3000a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fg4pd$i21@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

First he stuck his nose in someone else's business (read below). Now,
he's trying to sell the same radio for more than he said it was
worth!!! This is the kind of guy that would sell you a used car.

On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 22:52:29 -0500, "Jeff Miller" <jfmil@nospam.net>
wrote:

>Ignore my last post.. I misread this as an AOR8000 SORRY!
>
>Kin Ho wrote in message <6f8ifs$1e8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>>Obviously Mr. Owodunni does not know the value of radio equipment. It
>>could be an honest mistake with him confusing the 3000A with the 3000,
>>or is it simply a malicious attempt by him to play price police
>>because of his ignorance and lack of funds to ever buy anything on
>>this newsgroup other than a pack of batteries.
>>
>>In any event, those of you who know radios, know full well that an
>>AOR-3000A can still be had (blocked) at a brand new price of $1199.
>>Therefore, an unblocked used 3000A should warrant an asking price of
>>$800. I'm further encouraged by the fact that I've received several
>>e-mails from you folks on this newsgroup that $800 is a fair asking
>>price for this fine rig.
>>
>>So, I hereby ask all of you to please join me in relaying an
>>appropriate message to Mr. Owodunni that his unsolicited comments are
>>upappreciated, and of course, ignore his additions to any adverts
>>posted on this newsgroup. Remember, he could do the same to you one
>>day. Thank you and have a nice day.
>>
>>MR. OWODUNNI, AS I INDICATED, THE CHOICE OF LANGUAGE YOU USED IN A
>>PERSONNEL E-MAIL MESSAGE TO ME IS INDICATIVE OF YOUR LIMITED
>>INTELLIGENCE. PLEASE TAKE THIS AS A STERN SUGGESTION TO "GO AWAY."
>>ITS "HIGH MAINTENANCE" INDIVIDUALS LIKE YOUSELF THAT DRAIN THE
>>RESOURCES OF OUR SOCIAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE SYSTEMS. HAVE A GOOD DAY.
>>On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 06:37:53 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>>
>>>It shouldn't be more than $500.00.
>>>
>>>second hand is second-hand, forget the mint crap.
>>>
>>>
>>>In article <6f6m17$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
>>> bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>>>>

>>>>
>>>> >I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>>>> >imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>>>> >the radio has never been used outdoors.
>>>> >
>>>> >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>>>> >to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>>>> >following:
>>>> >
>>>> >* Software and computer cable
>>>> >* AC adaptor
>>>> >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>>>> >* Telescopic whip antenna
>>>> >
>>>> >I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>>>> >shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
>>>>
>>>>
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>>>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>>>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>>
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>

3336. Re: FS- AOR 3000A Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fg4ti$i21@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165586
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Hey stupid, that's the gentleman's of telling you to shut up in a nice
way. Since you didn't get the message, I'D had to spell it out for
you!

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 04:48:01 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

>Thank You, your response shows you are nice person, just like me.
>
>have a nice day.
>
>In article <351A61B8.8F1B267D@nmia.com>,
> Rico Johnston <ricoj@nmia.com> wrote:
>>
>> If you don't like the price don't buy it. It is a free market.
>>
>> segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>>
>> > It shouldn't e more than $500.00, you are charging too much money, no one
>> > cares if it is mint. Who would pay an extra $300.00 because an eqpt is
>mint.
>> >
>> > Greediness is bad.
>> >
>> > In article <6f6lml$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
>> > bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>> > >
>> > > >I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>> > > >imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>> > > >the radio has never been used outdoors.
>> > > >
>> > > >There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>> > > >to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>> > > >following:
>> > > >
>> > > >* Software and computer cable
>> > > >* AC adaptor
>> > > >* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>> > > >* Telescopic whip antenna
>> > > >
>> > > >I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>> > > >shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
>> > >
>> > >
>> >

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3337. Re: PRO-90 TrunkTracker ON SALE $319

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmcinty@eos.ncsu.edu
Message-ID: <6fg51hojk1@uni00nw.unity.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 165587

In article <1998032704492701.XAA24239@ladder01.news.aol.com>, gmacdoug1@aol.com (GMacDoug1) wrote:
>FYI, to anyone looking for a PRO-90: It just went on sale today at the local
>Radio Shack (in California anyway) for $319. You would still have to buy the
>extra battery pack to make it equaL to my BC 235XLT (Grove $249), but it looks
>like a good deal.
>
>KD6CWU

Hello,
I think there may have been a mistake. The RS near me has them on
sale for $219...
Hope this helps!

Sincerely,
Robert McIntyre
rjmcinty@eos.ncsu.edu

3338. 900 MHz Cordless Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Art Davis <artellad@hitter.net>
Message-ID: <351B88A2.5040@hitter.net>
Source record: 165588

After searching dejanews and related web sites, I was not able to find any specific frequencies for the 900 MHz cordless phones so I could avoid tuning in to them. I think general ranges are 901-902, 930-931, and 940-941. Could someone either send them to me at my antiSPAM address (replace "*" with "a"), or respond by posting. Thanks in advance. Art.

3339. MVT-7100 help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: cjs9@cornell.edu
Message-ID: <6fg6pd$m51@newsstand.cit.cornell.edu>
Source record: 165589

could someone please tell me the quick and dirty way to program the
search banks on a Yupiteru MVT-7100? Nice scanner, no manual.
thanks
Carl

cjs9@cornell.edu

3340. Re: Who own's a PRO 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032713131801.IAA01056@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165590

>Subject: Who own's a PRO 2035
>From: mgdforty@webtv.net (Reservoir Dogs)
>Date: Fri, Mar 27, 1998 00:42 EST
>Message-id: <6ffe92$3q7$1@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>

>Can you tell me if these radio is good?

It's great if you paid $100 for it; it good if you paid $200 for it; and it's okay if you paid $300 for it (although I wouldn't).

The two best modifications are to install an OS535 interface for computer control and Programit interface for autoprogramming it via your PC. Nope, you won't get cellular without jumping through a lot of hoops that involve obtaining a new CPU, or logic board, or a hard to find version of the OS535 from an overseas supplier.

3341. BC60XLT's Spring Sale ends April 30th

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio City Communications <alcyone@mail1.nai.net>
Message-ID: <351BA876.6B0DF2A2@mail1.nai.net>
Source record: 165591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Radio City Communications is having a Spring Sale on the Bearcat BC60XLT

For only $69.99 shipped to your door.Features:29Mhz-512Mhz 10
channels,10 Bands
Keypad Lock,2 Digit LCD Display ,One Touch Weather Review Button,Channel
Lockout,Battery Low indicator,AC/DC Operations,Built-In delay, Memory
Backup
To place your order while supplies last send Personal Check,Company
Check,or Money
Order in US Funds only payable to:Radio City Communications 456 South
Main Street
Walingford,CT.06492.

3342. RS Has Good Deal on PRO-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032713231800.IAA04858@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165592

I haven't checked personally, but I've been told that the PRO-64 is on sale at RS for $179 and if you pick up a flyer in the store or by mail you can get the scanner for $149. Now is the time to buy if you are looking for a good value in a handheld. It's got triple conversion, 400 channels, 40 monitor, 10 priority, weather key and computer programmability. It was initially priced at $399.

3343. Re: Who own's a PRO 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanist@acmenet.net
Message-ID: <6fgbds$qv7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165593
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Dog, The Pro-2035 is very similar to the Pro-2042. in fact you can interchange the logic boards and the radio will function. The 2035 appeared in the RS stores in 1995, I believe. And after a short life at RS the 2035 was "de-valued " and quickly was decreased in price down to $299.00, Then it droped by $50.00 increments to $249.00 and then $199.00 the final price RS sold this radio was $149.99 The biggest difference between the 2042 and the 2035 is that the 2035 lacked a few bells and whistels.The firmware sucked. One of the biggest problems, I'm not even going to get into the intermod problems,was if in the AUTO SEARCH AND STORE MODE,with the 2035 you could very possibily end up with 1000 channels with the same frequency. There was no dupe check.Also the 2042 will display " dup " if you program a freq. that is already in memory, but after the warning you can still program it. The 2042 skips over 000.000oo channels, the 2035 will not. There are a few more changes in the 2042 if you are really intrested in them,e-mail me at ; scanist@acmenet.net

In article <6ffe92$3q7$1@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>,
mgdforty@webtv.net (Reservoir Dogs) wrote:
>
>
> --WebTV-Mail-440825305-4088
> Content-Type: TEXT/PLAIN; CHARSET=US-ASCII
> Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7BIT
>
> Can you tell me if these radio is good? I just got this radio yesterday
> at a auction and it's brand new in the box never has been open.It's the
> usa version. Are there any mods i can do to make this scanner more worth
> it's stuff? Does this radio have a good reputation? Thanks.
> mgdforty@webtv.net
>
> --WebTV-Mail-440825305-4088
> Content-Description: signature
> Content-Disposition: INLINE
> Content-Type: TEXT/HTML; CHARSET=US-ASCII
> Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7BIT
>
>
> "http://forsite.net/kimh/mar/xfile.wav">
>
> --WebTV-Mail-440825305-4088--
>

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3344. Re: BC895 picking up screwy signals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Philip J. Smith" <psmith@appliedsystems.com>
Message-ID: <6fgam0snv1@nntp3.interaccess.com>
Source record: 165594

Scott M. Wrosch wrote in message <351ad7f7.644510@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>...
>BTW-- It's a cellular phone antenna from RS. It's
>also an 87 Ford Crown Vic. Don't know if either of
>those two might make a difference.

Here lies the key. By design, your antenna has high-gain in the cell bands, and rejects all other frequencies. You're going to get cell images all over the radio, and probably 931 MHz pagers, too.

Head to Radio Shack and upgrade to a mag mount scanner antenna. Then, head to the car dealer and upgrade to a '98 Crown Vic.

Just kidding on the latter. That won't affect reception at all. :-)

Phil

3345. pro 64 & bc140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: shiner <shiner@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6fga43$30c$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 165595

anybody know much about Pro64, is it a good scanner? any mods for it? and is there anything I can do to my 15 yr. old BC140, which still works great, as far as mods go? Thanks in advance.
shiner

3346. Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: prozac@4.jonnie
Message-ID: <351e990f.1313185@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165596
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Rich wrote:

>You claim that you were in a work situation where you had T1
>access, but no real Internet access. In other words, you had
>to steal access to gain entry. That is theft of services, a
>criminal act.

Problem is, the retard is a liar. All his NNTP posting host addresses were always from the same subnet on SprintNet.

Is he to say that his dialin provider and work share the same backbone provider on the SAME subnet ??

Not quite....

Besides, I don't believe Burger King provides internet access to their employees.

3347. Re: Atlanta Real-Time Traffic Map and Video, Part 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccreeper@inetnow.net
Message-ID: <351c2ed3.145754273@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165597
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

"Victor Healey" <fourphun.hates-spam@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>The AJC has an article in today's paper by Joey Ledford that provides more
>information on Atlanta Real-Time Traffic.
>Instructions are in this article for giving traffic information to the DOT
>for the benefit of others motorists. People who monitor a scanner and who
>have either a ham radio or a cell phone can join in the fun. Please don't
>make the mistake I made yesterday though. I though I was on to something big
>while listening to the Cobb County GA Trunking radio system. A chemical
>explosion and flash fire after a delivery driver dropped a 55 gallon drum,
>the first fire truck in staged 600 feet away out of fear and caution, person
>reported down in four story building from fumes, lots more rescue and hazmat
>equipment called, hazmat arrived, four more fire engines were called by
>hazmat after accessing the situation, extreme caution, etc.... I tipped WGST
>to what sounded like a fantastic breaking news story only to learn about a
>half hour later the darn thing was a another drill! Cobb County home of
>Lockheed- Marietta and Dobbins AFB is definitely serious about getting ready
>for unknown biological or chemical problems!

hehe

>
>DOT plotting course for Navigator
>March 27, 1998
>By Joey Ledford, The Atlanta Journal-Constitution
>
>
>Concerned that scores of metro motorists remain woefully unaware of its
>multi-million dollar Navigator traffic management system, the state
>Department of Transportation is launching a public awareness campaign next
>month
>....
>Full story is at
>http://www.accessatlanta.com/local/traffic/lane_ranger/friday_ranger.html
>
>While you are there check out the Vent section of our paper for southern
>humor and chuckles.
>Marielan, my wife reads that section first to see if she has had one
>published.
>
>The Vent
>Daily outbursts from readers of Access Atlanta and The Atlanta
>Journal-Constitution
>http://www.accessatlanta.com/local/thevent/

>You can even add your own to The e-Vent from Access Atlanta
>http://www.accessatlanta.com/local/thevent/sendvent.html
>
>73
>
>Vic Healey ki4je
>winndixie.hates--spam@bellsouth.net
>ICQ 5148591
>
>

3348. Re: [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@are.retarded
Message-ID: <3523d9f5.17929012@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165598
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Stop wasting bandwidth, asswipe.

These posts were NOT cancelled. I've already responded to your drivel once.

You are such a mental case.

_John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net> wrote:

>[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]
>
>YOU are the LIAR because I have a recent e-mail from Bill Cheek to prove
>it!
>
>How pathetic YOU are!
>
>
>Macaroon wrote:
>> How come when I tried to send you mail just now, it got returned?
>> "No such user jmackey@usa.net on this system"

3349. Imperial County, CA unit numbering

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randall Buxton <rbuxton@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6fhgar$hn5@dfw-ixnews2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165599

Looking for Imperial County Sheriff and Fire unit numbering systems. Anyone have this info?????

3350. Re: Who own's a PRO 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <351C2E58.6B89@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 165600
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

scanist@acmenet.net wrote:
> was "de-valued " and quickly was decreased in price down to $299.00, Then it
> droped by $50.00 increments to $249.00 and then $199.00 the final price RS
> sold this radio was $149.99

It is $100 at RS now! However, according to RS customer service, no
stores in the US have the radio.

:)

Chris

3351. Imperial County, CA unit numbering

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randall Buxton <rbuxton@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6fhi34$iqu@dfw-ixnews2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165601

I'm looking for Imperial County Sheriff and Fire unit numbering info. Anyone have this ???

3352. FS: Bearcat 3000 $225.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Schwerdtman <Bob9000@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <351C5EA1.F7@concentric.net>
Source record: 165602
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Bearcat 3000xlt handheld scanner. Excellent condition with box, manual, and all accessories including case $225.00 including insured shipping in USA Terms: U.S. Postal money order in advance. Thanks.
Bob
847-356-5665

3353. Re: @@@ ICOM Canada Repair @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6fhoa6$q88@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 165603
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

It varies throughout the year, currently 5 working days.

Adnan, Icom America Service

Cutie Joker wrote in message <351bfd25.2091178@news.total.net>...
>Hello.
>
>I would like to know how long usually takes for ICOM Repair.
>(IC-706 ?)
>
>
>Thanks
>
>
>
>
>_____
>Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
>Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
>�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
>Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
>C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
>URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
> http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
> http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)
>
>Visit this excellent site
>why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
>http://www.nocode.org
>License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/
>_____
>***Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.***
>***Please remove "ham" to reply.***
>
>ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

3354. Re: Chicago

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam.n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <NoSpam.n9jig-ya023080002703982119580001@news.theramp.net>
Source record: 165604

CPD does have a trunked (Motorola) system, but it is only used by specialty units. All district dispatch is on the 460.xxx channels. CFD is on 154.130 and 153.770 with 153.830 for FG use. Cook County SO is on high band, and the ISP is on a Ericson trunked EDACS system.

Check the CARMA web page for more.

In article <351bc221.6673064@news.tir.com>, destarr@tir.com (David Starr) wrote:

> My wife & I will be spending the first week of June in Chicago. We're
> thinking about taking a scanner so we'll have something to do when
> we're sitting around in the hotel & resting up from playing tourist.
> Are Chicago freq's trunked?
>
>
> ++
> Dave Starr
>
> Professional Shop Rat - 33 years in an Auto Plant

--
* Rich Carlson, N9JIG (n9jig@theramp.net) *

Illinois Highway Page: http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html

3355. Re: Base Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bmeyette@SPAMMENOT.submarinesystems.com
Message-ID: <351b13ab.122296703@news.cybertours.com>
Source record: 165605
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 08:52:58 -0500, Rich Wells <wells@vnet.com> wrote:

>
>The newest breed are the "stock" computer controlled radios...
>iCOM IC-PCR1000 & WiNRADiO WR-1000i. Both go from 500kHz to
>1300MHz but can only be used with a computer. The PCR1000 is
>a "black box" while the WR-1000i is an ISA card. Either will
>run you about $500.
>
>Strong signals,
>Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
>New Users FAQ : http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
>Scanning USA columnist

Hi - do you have any info on how to contact these companies for more
details on the products?
Thanks,
Brian
remove the SPAMMENOT to reply

3356. Re: Are ISA based PC radio cards like Winradio doomed?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <351bbad4.1076611@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165606
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 16:51:07 GMT, "Victor Healey"
<fourphun.hates-spam@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>Are ISA based PC radio cards doomed in less then a year? Some can be had for
>$20 and others are $500 to
>$2000 and more. I recently mentioned the future of ISA is dead. I also
>mentioned it is wise to remove ISA cards from your PC now to improve
>performance A few got angry. Please no flames the following may be of
>benefit to you.
>

Are they doomed just because of the ISA slot? No, I don't
think so. There is still going to be systems out there in hobbyland
that will still handle these ISA cards quite easily. Bill Gates might
have some influence, but he won't order his thugs to go out and search
every house to make sure that everyone has upgraded to the latest and
greatest systems and have registered copies of his latest software.
Is a ISA slot scanner/radio the greatest thing since sliced
bread? No, not hardly. I know there has been some smoke being blown
about the different PC based scanners/receivers such as the WinRadio
and the Icom. Is the 8MHz speed of the ISA slot any more beneficial?
No, I have DOS-based Probe software running my Pro-2042/OS535 setup
through a lot more channels/second than both the Icom and the WinRadio
combined. I run it in a DOS window in Win95 with no problems. Could a
similar setup work with a wide coverage receiver? Yes, most
definately. The OS535 does cheat a little though. It can run up to
19,200 baud (actually faster but current software doesn't support it
yet), but it uses more than just the TX/RX connections of the serial
port. (Note: currently the only software that I know that uses the
extra two connections is Probe).
Is the serial port fast enough? Yes, it can actually be TOO
fast! The electronics on the receiving end just cannot settle fast
enough for some of the settings that we can set the scanning speeds at
when you are running a little above average systems with Win95. Probe
seems to run a bit faster with Win95.
If data flow is not enough through just the serial port for
some odd reason, then one could design a system that uses the parallel
port. When you get to scanners/receivers who's PLL circuitry is almost
controlled directly from the computer...then the software gets to be
the key. I don't see ISA or PCI based scanners/receivers as the 'wave'
of the future, but it isn't based soley on the new hardware/software.

Wiggie

3357. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: =John= KA0SSF <ka0ssf@pREMOVEarg.org>
Message-ID: <351C85AA.2CD5@pREMOVEarg.org>
Source record: 165607

Take YOURSELF to e-mail, DUMBASS!

Graham wrote:
> TAKE THIS SHIT TO PRIVATE E-MAIL

3358. Four Corners Area (Primarily Arizona and New Mexico) Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian.johnson@thekat.cts.com
Message-ID: <9803271800031427@thekat.cts.com>
Source record: 165608

I need an updated listing from a data base of the frequencies in and around the Four Corners area of Arizona and New Mexico. Please refer me to an updated data base that has these listings. I really appreciate it. I'm headed in that direction for a vacation in April so I need the listings ASAP.

Thank you
brianirish@juno.com

3359. Re: Walt Disney World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Dixon <mjdixon@inspace.net>
Message-ID: <351C760D.504D6C50@inspace.net>
Source record: 165609

For the Freq's, check the Central Florida Listener Group page at

http://www.swl.net/cflg

The page has an up-to-date list including the 900 MHz band used at the
new Animal Kingdom Park.

As far as the fences on barges go, that is the Electrical Water Pageant
that cruises the lagoon every night giving a show at each resort and the
Magic Kingdom (when it's open late)

A.T. Domonkos wrote:
>
> If Disney catches you scanning their operations they will shoot you! Actually,
> they have give people with scanners a hard time, asking them to deposit them with
> security until they left the park.
>
> BTW anyone know what that BIG FENCE is that they haul in on these barges on the
> lagoon? I was at Disney this past Christmas and everynight about 10PM this long
> 'train' of barges had what looked like a 12 foot high fence dragged across the
> lagoon cutting off the resort hotels from the theme park.
> No, I'm not kidding and no, I didn't have a few too many Mickey chasers ;-)

--
****
* Mike Dixon / KE4FSX
* Homepage--> http://www.inspace.net/~mjdixon/
* Central Florida Listeners Group
* CFLG Page--> http://www.swl.net/cflg/
* PGP public key available by request
****

3360. Radio Shack 2029 memory loss

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Daugherty <guitarer@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <351CABE3.638BBE1A@iquest.net>
Source record: 165610

The 2029, if disconnected from power for an hour (or less), loses memory
of all frequencies. There must be a fix for this oversight (battery
backup?) ; my 2023 retained
its memory for months. I keep the scanner blasting constantly, so I
hooked it up to
Radio Shack's "plug 'n' power" remote to shut it off when the phone or
doorbell rings. I
connected the "plug 'n' power" base unit to a di-pole in the attic so I
could probably turn
the scanner off/on from a block away! I forgot to turn the scanner back
on (for less than
an hour) & the frequencies were gone forever (we all know how painful
that can be).
Any cures out there for this problem?

Steve D.
<guitarer@iquest.net>

3361. Re: Jhon Makhee exphosed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351C867C.4B28B308@mcn.org>
Source record: 165611

I think the Bro Dogg guy did it. I was trying to erase them from my drive, not the news group itself. Sorry.

Lot 47 wrote:

> As you can see from the 'rogue cancel' snip I pasted in, from another post,
> that John Mackey is going to extreme lengths to sneak by everybody's
> killfiles.
> NINE DIFFERENT PERSONAE? If he had a clue how killfiles worked, he
> wouldn't have wasted the time. What a lame, pathetic fool.
>
> --
> 2 Cancels for Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
> 1 Cancel for Bro <bro@bro.com>
> 1 Cancel for George Vetterle <geovet@ix.netcom.com>
> 1 Cancel for Salvatore Gambino <sgambino@worldnet.att.net>
> 1 Cancel for -John- KAOSSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
> 17 Cancels for OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
> 6 Cancels for -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
> 5 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
> 3 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
> 1 Cancel for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
> 3 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
> 2 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
> 4 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
> 2 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
> --
>
> As to the rogue cancels, I think I know who - and why. I would bet this is
> a bit of the 'payback' for the last spate of rogue cancels. (Gad, I love
> that term!)

3362. Re: Cell Monitored Conversation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Valued Customer <Natas@erols.com>
Message-ID: <351BE0B2.5282@erols.com>
Source record: 165612

.......Just keep your mouth shut.In time these things always
come to a end without your help.The same place that says "hearing
blah-blah-blah" on your little scanner is illegal(against the
law),also regulates what is good and bad for all of us.Nobody ever
asked me or the rest of us up front and and open,to vote yes or no on
ANY of the FUCKING STUPID bullshit laws and crap we live with.This
bullshit must stop.Go ahead...tell the local cops your story about your
scanner and what you heard.Now THEY know you got one....Mabey the cop
knows and\or is related to the "drug dealer".Now you are the
asshole.BEWARE.

3363. Argos Systems (AR-846) For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mte <mte1@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <351BFF45.2A8F1D30@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 165613
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

This radio is made for DOD and it has a key board entry LCD read out
Small unit the size of a lunch box. 2 ant inputs a IF output all sma
Connectors.
The LCD Read out shows the following.
Freq.
Sig Strength
Hits
Sql
Time
BW in KHZ
Det
Step Size
CH #
Dwell
AFC
Function
Date
Time
Other thing on the radio are EXT CONTROL connector, Audio Out, Fuse, SQL
Control, Vol/on/off, View Angle, Data/ Power Connector. There is also a
part number (139870) on a cover that flips over the push buttons pad.
It looks like the radio had a tape recorder hooked to the front of the
unit.
I have looked in side this unit it is a very well made radio.

looking for offers

Steve
mte1@bellatlantic.net
410-987-9713

3364. Re: Why does "Abner Boyd" pilfer other people's signatures?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Quimby, KC7RAX" <hob@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5925$7642e740$27e91ace@hob>
Source record: 165614

Just when I thought that I'd seen/heard the limit (low) of human nature.
Up pops another no-class, garbage-mouth.

AzraelBoy <azraelboy@aol.com> wrote in article
<1998032205512801.AAA04212@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> >Subject: Why does "Abner Boyd" pilfer other people's signatures?
> >From: twinsradio@aol.com (the CB Guy)
> >Date: Sat, Mar 21, 1998 23:49 EST
> >Message-id: <1998032204491301.XAA24502@ladder01.news.aol.com>
> >
> >You may have noticed a new "contributor" to this newsgroup. In the last
few
> >days, "Abner Boyd", a/k/a "azraelboy@aol.com" has become quite active
here,
> >spewing forth all sorts of insults and derogatory comments towards
others.
> >Interestingly enough, he chooses to pilfer the signature file of another
> >participant who, until recently, was also quite active on this
newsgroup.
> >The
> >signature being pirated is that of "cbrambo@aol.com" and appears below:
> >
> >"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> > "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"
> >
> >So tell us, "Abner", why do you choose to pirate CB Rambo's signature
file?
>
>
> I didn't think you would want that reason made public, but at your
request,
> here it is:
>
> I have a business arrangement with cbrambo. I shove a loaf of rye bread
up his
> ass once a week and he allows me to use his signature. But don't worry,
> rednecked boy, he lets you eat the bread. Har Hee Hwoooeee. You had to
ask you
> dumb twit! Anything else you wish everyone to know just ask.
>
> Abner Boyd
>
>
> "Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"

> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"
>

3365. FS: Yupiteru MVT-7100 multiband receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: RH Oemar <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <351BA48C.1FCF@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 165615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

For sale:

Yupiteru MVT7100 ser#60901942, continuous coverage 0.1-1650 MHz, all
modes USB/LSB/NFM/WFM/AM, 1000 memories, VG condition purchased new from
Javiation, w/ manual and box.
Tech spec can be found at http://www.javiation.co.uk/mvt7100.htm

US$285 shipped by FedEx COD. Please email if interested.

Thanks,
Richard

3366. Re: New AOR8000 unblocked $405

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Quimby, KC7RAX" <hob@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <01bd592a$d88168a0$27e91ace@hob>
Source record: 165616

Ditto, any personal experiences re: sales and shipping to U.S. from
Bandercom or Multicom would be helpful.

Cathy De Viney <cdeviney@ipa.net> wrote in article
<351739A5.A7B2D49A@ipa.net>...
> I am curious if others have purchased unblocked scanners from this
> company, as well as Bandercom and Javiation. Are they set up on the
> American band plan? Any problem with the item not arriving as
> scheduled? Good service after the sale? Etc, etc?
>
> Coments welcome.
>
> Martyn wrote:
> > This is an advertisement
> > Check out our web site http://www.multicomm2000.com
> > We also have very secial offers on the superior Yupiteru MVT9000
> > All our scanners are unblocked and available for shipping world-wide.

3367. Re: Alinco DJ-X10 vs. AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351D7045.36253FCF@mcn.org>
Source record: 165296

The Alinco is definitely a better looking radio, but the 8000 does recieve so much better and has so many upgrade options. I was also looking at the Alinco and 8000, but decided on the Yupi MVT 7100. Has the great recieving performance at a lower price(not so many options or good looks though.) I wuold get the 8000 if I were you.

Roger Willems & Marjo Voncken wrote:

> Hi,
>
> I have the choice between the X10 and 8000 A.....
>
> I love the looks and feel of the Alinco. But some claim the AOR is a
> much better receiver.
> For use at home I have a AOR 3000 A (planing to hook it to my computer)
>
> What should I do ?
>
> Roger

3368. Re: Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ClaytonF_Gibbs <cfgibbs@valdosta.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.95.980328161430.20373C-100000@grits>
Source record: 165297

On 28 Mar 1998, Darrell A. Larose wrote:

>
> "Radio Daze" (40-year-old-fool@nowhere.man) writes:
> > I was searching the UHF band on my handheld scanner about 6pm yesterday, and
> > it stopped on 459.975. I heard a woman with a very cute-sounding voice
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>SNIP>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>king.

> Sounds like a "phone-patch" on a business band two-way radio. You can get
> a 2-way radio with a keypad that allows you to make phone calls. Pretty
> common for HAMS. Our local newpaper photographers had this feature on their
> hand-held radios, they would often use it to phone ahead for a photo-op.
> They already had the radio system, so the add-on was cheaper than issuing
> cell phones (another thing for the photogs to lug around!)

I'd have to go with an "airphone" on this one. Many private lear jets use
the 459.6(?)-459.975 range for air/ground duplex phones. You were
receiving the aircraft side of the convo. The ground side has
transmitters/receivers on different freqs. 457mhz range maybe?

Clay

3369. FS/PRO-2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sanders <jdsand@flash.net>
Message-ID: <351D75DA.637@flash.net>
Source record: 165298

HAVE A REAL NICE PRO-2022 200CH TABLE SCANNER W/CELLULAR FOR $160.00
SHIPPED...TNX...JOHN

3370. Police Scanner for sale Pro 2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tglunz@#cybernw.com
Message-ID: <3520725b.19638996@207.126.101.101>
Source record: 165299

A Pro 2005 base set, 400 channels, good shape, full capabilities, only problem is the back light is very dim. I don't use it any more, I've got enough radios already so $250 or best offer takes it. low ball offers will be ignored, if you know what this is you know what it's worth.
I would prefer a local sale to avoid all the hassles of shipping and so you'll actually see before you buy
The Pro 43 is sold,thanks.
Terry tglunz@cnnw.net
Portland Oregon
To reply remove the # from my address

3371. Re: CENTER PIN BROKE DAMMIT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <351D9F44.7AC4@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 165300

v113819@idt.net wrote:
>
> Yes my center pin on my 235TT ant. has broken off like the
> rest of you who own the 235tt, What I need 2 know is what
> is a good replacement for it for general coverage that
> would meet or beat the original one`s performance, thanks.
>
Right after I got my 235 TT, I purchased a regular UHF 1/4 wave duck.
It is very flexible, closer in resonance to the 800 frequencies I am
scanning.

Performance is of course good on UHF, fair to poor on VHF HI and
probably very poor on VHF LOW although I havn't checked it there.

Andy

3372. AOR RECIEVERS ON SALE SALES ENDS APRIL 30TH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio City Communications <alcyone@mail1.nai.net>
Message-ID: <351D74D2.56E38316@mail1.nai.net>
Source record: 165301
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.shortwave

Radio City Communications is having a sale on all AOR Recievers until
April 30th
The AR 3000A is $1,119.99 you save $209.99
The AR 3030G is $ 979.99 you save $119.99
The AR 5000 is $1,839.99 you save $359.99
The AR 7000 comming soon late spring
The AR 7030 is $1199.99 you save $199.99
The AR 8000 is $679.99 you save $ 69.99
The SDU5000 is $919.99 you save $179.99

To place an order while supplies last email Radio City Communications at
alcyone@mail1.nai.net
Radio City Communications can ship your AOR Reciever anywhere in the
world
using Fedex ,Ups,or the U.S. Postal Service.
To see feature and pics of the AOR Reciever go to our website at
http://www.angelfire.com/ct/RadioCityComm/index.html
This is the Online store of Radio City Communications now under
construction.
Radio City Communications a leader in hobby communications since 1989.

3373. Vandenberg Launch Alert

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Webb <102670.1206@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <08ae63919221c38NIH2WAAF@csi.com>
Source record: 165302
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.astro.amateur,sci.space.tech

ASTRONOMY/SPACE ALERT FOR SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
Brian Webb, KD6NRP
Thousand Oaks, California
E-mail: 102670.1206@compuserve.com
Web Page: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/rawhide_home_page

1998 March 28 (Saturday) 14:00 PST

Vandenberg Launch Rescheduled...Again

Thursday night's launch of a Delta II missile from Vandenberg AFB was cancelled due to upper level winds. The launch is now scheduled for Sunday night (March 29th). The main events of the launch will be as follows:

Time Elapsed
Event (PST) Time

Launch 22:02:46 00:00
Jettison Six Solid Rocket Motors 22:04:14 01:28
Jettison Three Solid Rocket Motors 22:04:57 02:11
First Stage Engine Cutoff 22:07:11 04:25

Something of interest to look for during a Delta II night launch is a brief orange flash in the direction of Vandenberg at first stage ignition while the vehicle is still on the pad. The sky lights up for about 2/10ths of a second and then grows dark again. This was first reported by Ron Rennie who was watching December's dawn launch from high up on the Palos Verdes Peninsula, a distance of about 150 miles from the pad! Other events to look for (and to atttempt to photograph) are the jettison of solid rocket motors from the first stage.

Detailed information on this mission can be found at the Boeing web site at www.boeing.com. Look in the commercial space area for the MS-8 Press Kit.

For the current status of this launch, call the Vandenberg Launch Update Line at 805-734-8232 ext. 61857 and the Delta II 24 Hour Launch Information Hot Line at 714-896-4770.

Wednesday Dusk Launch

A Pegasus XL missile is scheduled to be launched off of California's central coast at about 18:40 PST [1] this Wednesday (April 1st). The Pegasus will be carrying NASA's TRACE satellite.

The missile will be air launched from an L-1011 aircraft flying at 39,000 about 70 miles southwest of Monterey. The coordinates of the drop point are

36.000 degrees north and 123.000 degrees west.

Since the launch will take place about 25 minutes after sunset, the vehicle's exhaust plume should be brightly backlit by the sun when the Pegasus reaches high altitude. The impressive sight should be visible from as far away as Santa Rosa, Ridgecrest, and Los Angeles.

If you're interested in photographing this launch, I would suggest using Fujicolor 800 print film, a 50, 105, or 135mm lens, and a steady tripod. When the exhaust plume appears, take exposure readings of the plume and shoot at the indicated exposure [2].

For the current status of this launch, call the Vandenberg Launch Update Line at 805-734-8232 ext. 61857.

Notes

1. This time is approxiate. Launch can occur a few minutes either way of the planned time (note that launch can take place before the planned time).

2. You can't determine if your exposure was correct by looking at the prints; look at the negatives. Even if you under- or overexpose shot, a good photo lab technician can often compensate for it and produce a good print.

Launch Viewing Locations

I'm planning on traveling to Santa Barbara County to photograph Sunday's and Wednesday's launches. Where I'll be will be determined by the weather and my schedule. The candidate sites are as follows:

Cement Water Cistern This site is a water tank in the mountains north of Santa Barbara on East Camino Cielo. The altitude is about 2,800 feet above sea level. This site is either immersed in clouds or clear.

The directions to this location are: Take highway 154 to East Camino Cielo.

Go east (uphill) on East Camino Cielo past the Forest Service station and market. Continue going uphill for several miles. The water tank is on the left.

Refugio State Beach Experience has shown that when low clouds are present along the coast, the area between Goleta and Gaviota tends to be clear. This is apparently caused by the mountains to the north and Point Conception serving as a barrier to the low clouds which tend to flow off of the ocean from northwest to southeast.

This site is on the west shoulder of highway 101 about 1 mile south of the entrance to Refugio State Beach. To get there, do the following:

Proceed south on the 101 past the Refugio State Beach parking lot. Look for a sign that says "End Freeway". At the first call box, pull over on to the shoulder of the road.

Parking on the shoulder of the highway may be illegal. However, the shoulder of a highway is a hazardous place, so be careful.

Santa Ynez Peak This location is either shrouded in clouds or very clear. When it's clear, this 4,200 foot high site is well above the marine layer and offers a superb view.

To get there, take highway 101 to Refugio Road.

Take Refugio Road east (uphill) for several miles until you reach a T-intersection the top of the mountain ridgeline. You should see a stop sign, a sign for the La Scherpa retreat, and a road with a white sign that says "This road not maintained by Santa Barbara County..."

Take the road with the "This road not maintained..." sign and travel uphill for several miles until you reach the gated road that leads to the observatory. Park in the clearing near the gate.

Be advised that the road leading up to this site can be dangerous. Loose gravel, ice, or not paying attention to your driving could send you over the side to your death.

If you're interested in joining me to view either launch, you'll need to know where I'll be. Listen for me on the 147.000 MHz Santa Barbara repeater during my drive into the Santa Barbara area. If you don't have a VHF receiver, then refer to the table below.

Day Event Sites

Sunday Delta II Night Launch Cement Water Cistern (first choice)
Refugio State Beach (second choice)

Wednesday Pegasus XL Dusk Launch Santa Ynez Peak (first choice)
Refugio State Beach (second choice)

As I drive north on the 101 on Sunday and Wednesday, I'll look up at the mountains and see if my primary site is clear. If it is, I'll go there. If not, I'll probably go to Refugio.

Vandenberg Launch Nets

Local ham radio operators plan to hold Vandenberg Launch Nets for both Sunday night's Delta II and Wednesday evening's Pegasus XL launch. The purpose of these nets is to pass along countdown status and to discuss the launch. The nets will begin at the following times:

Net
Start
Day Event (PST)

Sunday Delta II Night Launch 21:30
Wednesday Pegasus XL Dusk Launch 18:00

The repeaters to be used are:

Freq. Offset Tone
Repeater (MHz) (KHz) (Hz)

Santa Barbara (Primary) 147.000 +600 131.8
Thousand Oaks (Secondary) 147.785 -600 127.3

For those of you who participate in these nets, please be aware that I'm very busy from about T-10 minutes to T+8 minutes and I can't respond to your calls on the radio.

----------END----------

3374. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: John A Gruber <KB2VOJ@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6fjvb5$2o1$1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 165303
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have several.....

Radio Shack Pro 26 200 channel handheld. Good condition, manual, belt clip, antenna. $150
Relm HS200 200 channel handheld. Good condition, box, manual, belt clip, antenna. $150
Realistic Pro 2006 400 channel desktop/mobile. Excellent condition, box, manual, antenna, extra CPU and EL panel, Bill Cheek's two mod books. $325

Thanks,
John

3375. Re: Buying Unblocked Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6fjuth$qru@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 165304
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Joe Nicholson (Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com) writes:
> -=> Quoting "hans Holm" to All <=-
>
> > I read all that I could and could not find any law that states that
> > you may not listen in on non-scrambled, radio-based telecommunications
> > for fun.
>
> You didn't read the California Penal Code then.
>
You can try the Electronic Communications Privacy Act (1986) USA Federal
Law that prohibits, monitoring of cell and encrypted messages. It was made
illegal to sell scanners that would recieve those signals. The April 1994
Ammendment added cordless phones and some other radio comms to the Law.
This law made it illegal to sell scanners that could be modified to recieve
cell phone and other 'restricted" frequencies. The current Bill that just
passed in Congress will further restrict USA users (hasn't passed in the
Senate) it will make it a Felony to own a cell capable scanner.

3376. chat rooms

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken81145@rockisland.com
Message-ID: <6fk0tf$u1t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165305

Looking for scanner chat room on the Interent.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3377. FS PRO-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane olexa <do@1st.net>
Message-ID: <351DC93B.3A0D@1st.net>
Source record: 165306

FS Radio Shack PRO 26 (2 of them) bought new on 1-29-98

checked them at time of purchase to made sure that they were
NOT repackaged. bought 2 of them at $212 each.

shipped to you at $210 each. will include copy of receipt for
warranty, or if any problems occur, just get in touch with
me and i will have it checked out here locally.

radios are in like new condition.

duane wm8n
740 676 5784 (ohio)

3378. Duke Power & Trunk Tracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: MIKE <mlcline@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351DAABC.7586@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165307

Does anyone have info on Duke Power Fleet Maps for the
Greensboro/Winston-Salem area of Noth Carolina.
Thanks for any help you can provide.

3379. Scanner Keyboard Tricks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanmore@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fk9f7$7t2$1@newsd-151.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165308

Full 800 mhz for some radio shack scanners. Go to
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Bay/2917/index.com

3380. Re: Are ISA based PC radio cards like Winradio doomed?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: GregoryR <gregjr@teleNOSPAMport.com>
Message-ID: <6fkdcbmbv1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 165309
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Mr. Gates and company would love PCs to be made to there specifications. It would make the job of fixing their very complex and fairly buggy software much easier. However, as powerful as Microsoft has become, the power of consumer demand is greater.

Many hardware makers never stopped making ISA based parts because they worked, were compatible, and the customer is used to them. If people are buying ISA cards (and many corporations still are) such as specialty interfaces, there will be PCs with ISA slots. As a matter of fact, the vast majority of sound cards, including the current, brand new, top of the line ones from Creative Labs, are still ISA based.

Have no fear, ISA has got several years left in it. Compaq, HP, IBM will be the first to abandon it, but the clones will keep it alive for quite a while.

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****
Remove NOSPAM from address to reply
Victor Healey wrote in message
>Are ISA based PC radio cards doomed in less then a year?
Some can be had for
>$20 and others are $500 to
>$2000 and more. I recently mentioned the future of ISA is
dead. I also
>mentioned it is wise to remove ISA cards from your PC now
to improve
>performance A few got angry. Please no flames the following
may be of
>benefit to you.

3381. Re: [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: =John= KA0SSF <ka0ssf@pREMOVEarg.org>
Message-ID: <351DCCC6.13D2@pREMOVEarg.org>
Source record: 165310
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hawke wrote:

> John, care to relate those examples, with message ID's?
> I cant seem to locate them (except for one on programit).

OK, here is one:
(Do you like your CROW with or without Steak Sauce?)

From:
_John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
Newsgroups:
rec.radio.scanner
Subject:
Re: BUSTED!!!
Date:
Mon, 23 Mar 1998 16:31:11 -0800
Organization:
http://www.parg.org
Lines:
7
Message-ID:
<3516FECF.7B91@paREMOVErg.org>
References:
<3516C561.19638902@ncia.net>
Reply-To:
ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org
X-Mailer:
Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)
Xref:
spool1 rec.radio.scanner:69665

>>LIttle to none. *FEW* (if ANY) custom agents are going to know how
>>to tell what freqs an import scanner can receive.

> You harrass others, barate those who disagree with your position and
> generally come across as an ass because you cannot accept the fact you

I suppose that after you ASKED me to post this example THAT PROVED
YOU WRONG, you will say I am berating & harassin you too.

> so, do us all the favor and SHUT THE HELL UP!

Why don't YOU start!

3382. Scanners with EEPROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6fkg1t$9pp$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165311

I'm considering using some type of computer interface to automatically program channels into my Pro-26. However, I've heard that this scanner uses EEPROM chips for memory, which can only be reprogrammed a certain number of times. IF I used my computer to routinely reprogram the scanner's memory, will the memory chips really wear out?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3383. FS: Motorola Amplified Speaker Rewired For AC & 1/8" Connector Plug.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: AuctionBargains@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fkcg5$3te$1@newsd-144.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165312
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Greetings From Florida,

I have a very nice condition grey Motorola Amplified speaker (Black Face/White Lettering) that I had a technician rewire for use with a radio that accepts a 1/8" monural plug.

It is wired to an AC block transformer.

It is designed for scanner's and radio's that need additional volume, such as the Uniden BC235xlt TrunkTracker.

Price: $50.00 FIRM plus shipping

Regards,

Joe

AuctionBargains@webtv.net

http://www.inergy.com/LightBars

3384. Re: Jummpers !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nomad <NOMAD@NOSPAM.COM>
Message-ID: <351DC329.E0CF1BEC@NOSPAM.COM>
Source record: 165313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hey Darrell,lets not forget any computer system also if the folks got the gear
to tap it....

Darrell A. Larose wrote:

> JOSE COBOS (WIZZERD@webtv.net) writes:
> > --WebTV-Mail-1365139914-2726
>
>
> > Hi i have found out from a friend that works in a police department, and
> > he just told me that there is a new scanner....i dont know the name of
> > it but its awsome....it jumps from one frequecy to another and it cant
> > be traced...i didnt belive him till i saw it and then i asked him how
> > much he would sell it to me...but he told me that he cant..but maby i
> > would think somebody in the internet might have one and wouldnt mind
> > selling it to me...so if anybody has one and that they dont want it can
> > i buy it ..... ?
> >
> All scanners do this!!! Scanners like any other radio can be detected
> using VERY SENSITIVE recievers that can detect the RF and IF oscillators
> (the same way the UK, GPO detects unlicenced TV's) Nobody in North America
> is looking for scanner users (yet!) Go to any electronics store, in fact
> even Radio Shack (the salesdroids will love you!!!) and they will show
> you all sorts of scanners. There are even some that will follow trunked
> radio systems, that more and more Police Agencies are now using....

3385. BC700 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <clifto@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <351DC4B6.1B8@megsinet.net>
Source record: 165314

I know I found some BC700 mods on the web just a few months ago, but I
didn't print them because I didn't have time to open the radio. Now that
I have some spare time, I can't find *anything* on the BC700 other than
the discriminator pins in the usual listing. Anyone know where I might
find other mods?

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+---+
| Cliff Sharp | Netcom Web Hosting -- BEST DEAL GOING for SPAMMERS! |
| WA9PDM | Spam from elsewhere, your Netcom site is UNMOLESTED! |
+---+

3386. Arizona & New Mexico Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian.Johnson@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <39c_9803281900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 165315

Does anyone have access to scanner frequencies used for the Four Corners area of Arizona and New Mexico. I would like a data base of these sent to me at the following E-Mail address:

brianirish@juno.com

If you know where there is a good data base with these listings please let me know via E-mail.

Thanks
Brian
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|WarpGate: Brian Johnson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Brian.Johnson@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3387. Re: AR8000 power up settings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrankodxxx@usa.net
Message-ID: <abrankodxxx-2803982341220001@207-172-114-67.s4.as10.nyd.erols.com>
Source record: 165316

In article <3519A6BB.7B95BB6D@iea.com>, feilerm@iea.com wrote:

>Could someone please post or send me some good settings for the 5 AR8K
>power up defaults. Adventurous soul that I am, I have "played around
>with mine and now can't find that happy medium anymore. When I turn on
>audio in scan mode my scan rate decreases noticably and I know I miss
>some transmissions because I tested it on the TV band. Turn audio off
>and it stops on the station, turn it on and it passes the station (after
>
>a brief pause).
>I would also like to start a thread on the pros and cons of different
>power up default settings. I'm sure others out there have some of the
>same questions as I.
>Thanks in advance to all of you experts who are going to respond to this
>
>and help us adventusome folks find that happy medium.

The default settings are on pp. 99-100 in the manual.

If you have lost it... Here they are...
PLL Lock Detect time: 05mS
Squelch Detect time: 30mS
Audio Wait time: 0.3S
Audio Level: 0A
Level Wait time: 200mS

-Dan

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Remove xxx from my address to reply.

3388. FS bc-200, BC2500, RS PRO 43 scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Coburn <confused@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <6fkjtp$j4b@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 165317
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

There Are a few things I want to pick up so I am offering a few of my scanners for sale
Here they are.

USED.Bearcat BC-200 fine working condition with full 800 MHz coverage no 30khz steps.
copy of manual (I bought it used) case,charger Antenna and good battery pack included. looks pretty good. A favorite at the race track!! $175.00 USD firm

USED. Bearcat BC 2500 fine working condition full 800 MHz coverage with 30 kHz steps. This thing is FAST. Manual, case antenna and charger with a relatively new battery included. Looks ok. A good FAST radio. $225.00 USD firm

The BC2500XLT is a 400 channel, continuous band* scanner, 25 MHz to 1.3 GHz.
*Excludes UHF Television 551 MHz to 759 MHz, but includes the 800 MHz band.
V.E.O. Control, 20 Banks, Turbo Scan, Auto-Weather and Auto-Store.

USED Pro 43. You all know this radio. Mine works well. Full 800 MHz coverage with 30 kHz steps. copy of manual,antenna, no charger, no case. This one looks a bit beat up but it works great. One of the best!! $200.00 USD firm

These Prices do not include shipping. Postal money order only. I will ship when I receive your postal money order. This is the only way I do business. It works and It is fast.

Thanks for reading this
James
If interested reply to
mixer@usa.net

3389. John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <351DD76B.C6ACE39D@primenet.com>
Source record: 165318
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

What's the matter, Toilet Boy, afraid of being confronted with the
truth about your little tricks?

johN mackeY -- KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com> is the genuine author
> of this message.
>
> *-John "Richard Simmonds is the best lover I've ever had,
> and that's had me ;-)" Mackey-* KA0SSF tried to
> lie his way out being caught using illegally
> obtained Internet access:
>
> > I have NEVER done what you state below. If you have any
> > proof, then POST IT OR BE SHOWN AS THE LIAR YOU ARE!!!!!
>
> > > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > > Never mind the dozen fictitious addresses you used on the
> > > accounts you illegally broke into.
>
> You've have used, and admitted using, over a dozen (actually
> seventeen) fictitious and illegal Internet addresses. I know
> you have a *very* bad memory (too much prozac abuse), so I've
> listed them here for your edification.
>
> anyplace@nowhere.mil no-place@anywhere.com
> No-place@anywhere.org nowhere@anyplace.net
> jomackey@hotmail.com mackey@idiots.org
> nothing@anywhere.edu nowhere@anyplace.net
> no_adress@anywhere.com no.address@anywhere.gov
> No-address@No-where.com no_place@any-where.com
> no--place@any__where.com no-place@anywhere.net
> No--place@any-where.org no-where@no-place.com
> nothing@anywhere.edu
>
> You claim that you were in a work situation where you had T1
> access, but no real Internet access. In other words, you had
> to steal access to gain entry. That is theft of services, a
> criminal act.
>
> Using your real name and call sign is only a diversion to
> deflect attention from your criminal activity. It's your
> little way of making it *look* like you're legitimate.

>
> The only thing you've offered to back up your claim that you
> had legitimate access, is your word. Wake up and smell the
> coffee, Toilet Boy, your so called "word" is totally worthless
> in the scanner news groups, and the Internet as a whole. Since
> your word is so worthless, you'll have to do better if you
> expect anyone to believe you.
>
> The only way you can prove what you say is true, is to identify
> the employer and the specific task or tasks you undertook. When
> I say identify the employer, I mean the name, address, telephone
> number, and the name of your supervisor.
>
> If you can't prove yourself as outlined above, then you lied
> about having legitimate access. Up to the challenge, Toilet Boy?
> I thought not.
>
> > I'm coming from USA.NET right now so YOU must be the one
> > lying!!!
>
> > Richard, if USA.NET dropped me, then how come I am able to
> > use thier system, LIKE I AM RIGHT NOW????
>
> I'm coming through USA.NET exactly like you are, Toilet Boy. I
> changed the preferences in Netscape to make it look like I am
> on USA.NET while still using my normal ISP (Primenet). For the
> record, I am not now, nor have I ever been a customer of USA.NET.
>
> You were dropped by USA.NET, but, you are using the same technique
> I've demonstrated here, to make it "appear" you are still with
> USA.NET. Another lie from you, Toilet Boy.
>
> > Guess who's telling a lie now?? YOU!!!!
>
> It's still you who is lying, Toilet Boy, as usual.

3390. Re: Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike McGill <mmcgill@cjnetworks.com>
Message-ID: <351DDD61.E1962FC9@cjnetworks.com>
Source record: 165319

I believe what you were hearing was a telephone call made from an airplane.
That frequency is used for air to ground telephone relays. Happy monitoring,
"in God we trust all others we monitor"

Mike, N0ZTK.....................

Radio Daze wrote:

> I was searching the UHF band on my handheld scanner about 6pm yesterday, and
> it stopped on 459.975. I heard a woman with a very cute-sounding voice
> speaking. At first, I thought it might be a dispatcher of a wrecker or
> security service, but then I noticed that she didn't break the carrier when
> she finished speaking. A few seconds later, she started talking again, as if
> she was responding to a voice that I couldn't hear. Then I realized that I
> was listening to one side of some kind of phone call. I kept listening, and
> she said something about "waiting for her lawyers to get the deal from
> Warner Brothers." In the information I got from the 60 seconds I listened, I
> realized that she was more than likely a famous singer, she had her young
> child with her, and she was talking to her husband on the phone. Suddenly,
> the carrier ended and the scanner started searching again.
>
> Does anyone have any ideas about what I was hearing? There are no
> celebrities anywhere near where I live. However, there is a major
> north-south highway nearby. Could this be some sort of mobile phone? Could
> it have been a telephone call from a airplane? Any other possibilities?

3391. Re: pro 64 & bc140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <351DDA84.EE752C77@nightowl.net>
Source record: 165320

Shiner here is the only mod i have for the 140 and i am still looking
for the one for the 64, i know i have it i just have to find it. When i
get it i will send it along.

One can convert this scanner from a 10 channel machine to 16 channels.
All one need do is rempve a diode.
>turn off the power and unplug the power source and remove whip antenna.
>Turn the scanner over and remove 4 screws.
>Carefully seperate the cabinet halves, carefully as the top and
bottom are wired together.
>locate corner of the board where the connectors for the front panel
are. See the 30 pin IC that says "Uniden". near this IC is a diode
with insulating tubing on its leads. One end of this diode is
connected to the topside of the board, and the other goes over the
edge of the board and is connected to the underside of the board.
>Clip a lead or remove this diode.
>You should have 16 channels now. Program them as you would the others.
(from 7/90 Monitoring Times, page 94)

shiner wrote:
>
> anybody know much about Pro64, is it a good scanner? any mods for it? and is
> there anything I can do to my 15 yr. old BC140, which still works great, as
> far as mods go? Thanks in advance.
> shiner

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Doing my part to PISS off the Religious Right!!!!

3392. F.S.: Icom R100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <351DF954.1F0B@nidlink.com>
Source record: 165321
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Icom R100 scanner

100kHz to 1856mHz, no blocks

AM, FM W/N

an easy 9 cosmetic, perfect operating condition

three antenna inputs, auto selected with relay switching

includes manual and mobile bracket

Never been mobile

$450.00 shipped ConUS

David, WA7ZYQ

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

208-245-2070

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While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

3393. Re: FS-Icom W2A, Dual Band, $375

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Painter <stevepaint@clearwater.net>
Message-ID: <351d6958.0@news.rmci.net>
Source record: 165322

Sorry, but I made a mistake...radio is a W2A, not W3A,
thanks,
steve

Steve Painter wrote in message <351d1ef8.0@news.rmci.net>...
>For Sale, Icom-W3A, in original box, comes with BP-83,
>antenna, BC-77A charger, and Instruction manual. This unit
>is fully functional, and will recieve cellular unblocked. Money
>back Guarantee. $375. Call 208 476 5022, or email back.
>Steve
>
>

3394. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <351d118c.5445668@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 165323
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

>BTW, I used to pump upwards of 8-gallons into an
>Avanti Moonraker 6......driven by a 4CX5000A but before

How very interesting. And this from a guy who insists you'll do hard
time if you "import" a Yupitera scanner.

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glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

3395. Re: Vandenberg Launch Alert

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big Daddy <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6fndhq$6ra@ecuador.earthlink.net>
Source record: 165324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.astro.amateur,sci.space.tech

thanks for the update....i think i saw an orange ball speeding downrange
from Vandenberg....

Karl Dahlquist
karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com
http://vistagroupusa.com/burbank.htm
Burbank, CA

3396. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032810595201.FAA16627@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165396

>TAKE THIS SHIT TO PRIVATE E-MAIL

I DID, these idiots just couldn't stand losing a debate, 'sides, those jerks'd tell you to go away if you don't like it,

I won't tho, I think you're right!

3397. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032811033501.GAA13893@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165397

Geovet.yayaya said:

>....and the horse.

Watch out, Geo, this is where I start to appreciate your style, in fact, it shows a little class.

3398. CENTER PIN BROKE DAMMIT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: v113819@idt.net
Message-ID: <351CE086.1A81@idt.net>
Source record: 165398

Yes my center pin on my 235TT ant. has broken off like the rest of you who own the 235tt, What I need 2 know is what is a good replacement for it for general coverage that would meet or beat the original one`s performance, thanks.

mike.

3399. Re: @@@ ICOM Canada Repair @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: joker@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <351ce275.1819609@news.total.net>
Source record: 165399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 18:46:09 -0800, "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
wrote:

>It varies throughout the year, currently 5 working days.

>Adnan, Icom America Service

hi. my radio is still not here. it's been a month now. i will
check the repair status (i hope my radio is not lost somewhere !!) (I
hope ICOM Canada's repair service is as good as ICOM America's).

Joli Gar&#65533;on (&#65533;galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
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Montr&#65533;al, Qu&#65533;bec, Canada
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http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
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Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!

3400. Want to buy (or swap for) Trunk Tracker - gear.txt (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: #629371@att.net
Message-ID: <6fip5m$hog@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165400
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Looking for a Trunk Tracker scanner. Uniden or Radio Shack - base or portable.

Will pay cash or trade from attached list...

Please advise with make/model, condition, and price.

Thanks.

John

Remove the pound sign (#) from my E-mail address to reply

3401. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032812132501.HAA17202@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165401

>Subject: Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?
>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>Date: Sat, Mar 28, 1998 05:55 EST
>Message-id: <1998032810555201.FAA16483@ladder03.news.aol.com>

>Ahh, yopu finally get it, NAMBLA man, loose is what you are after one of your
>nights with the little kiddies

It think it is marvelous how far you have come with such an obviously limited education. I'm sure that slinging a mop for a living at a hamburger joint has been quite challenging for you. Keep up the good work and I'm sure that you'll be promoted to order taker after the summer hires go back to junior high.

>Oh, then why did you post it in the first place, and in your own words, why
>have you been "maddogging" it ever since, all to defend your sick crap?

I never posted it in the first place but you already know that. You also know that I don't agree with your racist, homophobic views.

>you just want to think ALL men are like you,

I thank God that no men are like you: completely devoid of any wit, intelligence, creativity or imagination.

Now run along Rover and fetch your rubber bone. Arf, arf!

3402. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032812191801.HAA17560@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165402

>Subject: Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?
>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>Date: Sat, Mar 28, 1998 05:59 EST
>Message-id: <1998032810595201.FAA16627@ladder03.news.aol.com

Congratulations, oh wise one. You and John, whom you adore so much, now lead the list of having the most cancelled news posts. Oh course, you would have to actually understand what a cancelled post really is, which is highly unlikely. Just think of it as a "good thing" like having clean water in your mop bucket at the beginning of the lunch rush.

2 Cancels for Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
1 Cancel for Bro <bro@bro.com>
1 Cancel for George Vetterle <geovet@ix.netcom.com>
1 Cancel for Salvatore Gambino <sgambino@worldnet.att.net>
1 Cancel for -John- KAOSSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
17 Cancels for OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
6 Cancels for -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
5 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
3 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
1 Cancel for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
3 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
2 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
4 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
2 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>

3403. Sell or Swap...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: #629371@att.net
Message-ID: <6fip2f$he9@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

The following gear is in excellent condition - No C.O.D's - some help on shipping - advise zip code in reply. All prices OBO...

May swap for 895 Trunk Tracker or other scanners.

1. *Kenwood TS-870S Xcvr - Serial # 70600274 - $1450 - SOLD
2. *RS HTX-202 2mtr Hand held w/batt & ant - $95 - SOLD
3. *MFJ 20mtr (cw) QRP transceiver - $90 - SOLD
4. Icom IC-PS15 Pwr Supply - $100
5. Pyramid Phase III 35 amp (variable) dual mtr Pwr Supply - $100
6. Emco PS-12L (HD) 10 amp Pwr Supply - $25
7. *Kenwood PS-52 Pwr Supply - matches 870 - $105 - SOLD
8. Kenwood SP-31 Spkr - w/audio filters - matches 870 - $75
9. Kenwood SW-2100 SWR/PWR meter (dual) - matches 870 - $90
10. Oskerblock SWR-200 SWR/PWR meter (dual) - $55.
11. Daiwa CN-101L SWR/PWR meter (15w/150w/1.5kw) - $70
12. *Icom HM-12 hand mike - $20 - SOLD
13. *Icom HM-7 hand mike - $30 - SOLD
14. Alfa 7705 Capacitance Meter w/case/leads - $50

Inquiries welcomed.

John Lewis
WA6SPA/0
St. Louis, Mo. 63116

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3404. Sell or Swap...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: #629371@att.net
Message-ID: <6fip65$hog@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

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3405. Re: Jhon Makhee exphosed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032812213001.HAA20568@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165405

>Subject: Re: Jhon Makhee exphosed!
>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>Date: Sat, Mar 28, 1998 05:37 EST
>Message-id: <1998032810371501.FAA12957@ladder01.news.aol.com>

>Sounds like I threatened the most people's insecurity.

Naw, you have offended some decent person with your wacko, vulgar, racist, homophobic mad dog remarks. Arf, arf!

3406. Re: RS Has Good Deal on PRO-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: shiner <shiner@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6fil2t$q7d$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 165406

yea, its true, I just bought my pro64 last week for 169.00, seems like a good scanner for that kinda money) .

3407. Re: Radio Shack 2029 memory loss

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: MacUser@Penn.com
Message-ID: <MacUser-ya023580002803980806390001@news.penn.com>
Source record: 165407

In article <351CABE3.638BBE1A@iquest.net>, Steve Daugherty
<guitarer@iquest.net> wrote:

> The 2029, if disconnected from power for an hour (or less), loses memory
> of all frequencies. Any cures out there for this problem?
>
> Steve D.
> <guitarer@iquest.net>

I just saw this article recently on-line and saved it (sorry, forget where) concerning the same problem with a 2026, which may be very similar to your unit. I haven't tried this, but this seems to make sense...

The 2026 has a fixed three-wire ribbon cable snaking out of the back of the scanner. This was meant for permanent vehicle installation (one power, one memory, and one ground wire). Because the installation was meant to be permanent, there is no memory retention built into the scanner. An easy way to add memory retention is to get a 9VDC battery snap. Attach the positive lead to the 12VDC memory lead, and attach the ground lead to the ground (black) wire. Now, attaching a battery will keep the memory for weeks while the scanner is moved about.

Let me know if you try this!

--
Dave Shaffer
MacUser@Penn.com

3408. Re: AR8000 AM Broadcast question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: MarkSpace <signals@autobahn.mb.ca>
Message-ID: <01bd5a4c$26a984a0$c1bd70cc@markspac>
Source record: 165408

Hey Bob,
I've been an ar8k owner for about a year now. It's a good radio, but has a
few idiosyncracies.
> I have an ar8000. I can sit about 1/4 mile from a 5000 watt broadcast
> station. The signal strength meter bar is almost to the top of the
scale.
> Its on 580 KHz. However it has very low level audio.

It sounds like your radio may be overwhelmed by the powerful signal from
the
transmission tower.Try using the attenuator (Function "1"). The manual
describes
this function in better detail
>
> It also seems to be insensitive in the shortwave part of the band.
>
I'm assuming you are still using the stock antenna. It's crap, especially
down low.
An economical alternative is a telescoping ant from Radio Shack. I can't
remember
the part number, but you will experience a marked improvement on all freqs
when
using it.

3409. Re: FS: RS 2045 200CH Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Schwerdtman <Bob9000@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <351D0176.A03@concentric.net>
Source record: 165409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Bob Schwerdtman wrote:
>
> Hi. Selling my Radio Shack 2045 base scanner. coverage from:
> 29-54
> 108-174
> 216-512
> 806-1000 (LESS CELLULAR)
> 200 channels, tuning knob,
> weather alert, ctcss capable with optional tone board (not included)
> Radio is in as new condition and comes with box, manual, antenna, and ac
> adaptor. $160.00 postal money order in advance. Price includes shipping
> in USA.
> Bob
> 847-356-5665

Sold! Thanks

3410. Re: Jhon Makhee exphosed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <351f045f.3027693@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 165410

>Sounds like I threatened the most people's insecurity. People HATE it when
>their wrong

"Their"? I guess Monty Hall would be proud. You had a 1 in 3 chance of
getting the right word. At least you didn't use "there"; really, "their" is
closer to the proper "they're" than "there."

Is'nt i't no'w?

3411. Re: Who own's a PRO 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Kling <rkling@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <351DB944.2AB5@umich.edu>
Source record: 165411
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have one that I bought on closeout for $250 and put in an older :>)
Opto board and have a very capable scanner that is as good if not better
than any scanner I have seen to date(for the price)! The 2035 with an
Opto board offers the most bang for the buck. With the Opto board I do
not have to purchase a level conversion box from ICOM for my R7000. I
can use the Opto board to control both.

Rob Kling

3412. Re: Ericsson scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neal Fildes <n.r.fildes@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fj44m$7t5@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165412
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

if you have 2 scanners, one with a discriminator output and one with computer control, why not visit the Trunker home page for the edacs version of Trunker? (freeware in public beta test)...

http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/1060/trnkv3x.htm

3413. Re: pager frequency by phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dad#1 <Deadeye@Javanet.com>
Message-ID: <351D13F0.2D5A765E@Javanet.com>
Source record: 165413

Possibly, but no one makes a list like that, that I know of. In my area there are for common pagers(not privately owned by and exclusively used by systems) only a few active freq's that you might want to monitor to see a particular pager used by the average joe. Possibly send a message and monitor for that message. POC32 is a nice free software for monitoring pagers and allows monitoring up to 3 diff freq's at once.

zoro@francomedia.qc.ca wrote:

> hi. i can i find a pager frequency by the phone number?
>
> zoro@francomedia.qc.ca

3414. Re: Jhon Makhee exphosed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <351f1a3f.6009041@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 165414

On Sat, 28 Mar 1998 14:10:05 GMT, inigo@montoya.net (D. P. Roberts)
wrote:

>>Sounds like I threatened the most people's insecurity. People HATE it when
>>their wrong
>
>"Their"? I guess Monty Hall would be proud. You had a 1 in 3 chance of
>getting the right word. At least you didn't use "there"; really, "their" is
>closer to the proper "they're" than "there."
>
>Is'nt i't no'w?

No it Tisn't

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

3415. shack sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gerry L.Dexter" <gdex@genevaonline.com>
Message-ID: <351D2162.F992404A@genevaonline.com>
Source record: 165415

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10p list of SW, ham., scanner, computer books plus station memorabilia
and other
miscellaney sent as email attachment on request.
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3416. Re: Base Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <351D240E.C742B670@ibm.net>
Source record: 165416
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Brian Meyette wrote:
> >The newest breed are the "stock" computer controlled radios...
> >iCOM IC-PCR1000 & WiNRADiO WR-1000i. Both go from 500kHz to
> >1300MHz but can only be used with a computer. The PCR1000 is
> >a "black box" while the WR-1000i is an ISA card. Either will
> >run you about $500.
>
> Hi - do you have any info on how to contact these companies for more
> details on the products?

Most of the links to the things you'll need can be found on my
IC-PCR1000 and WiNRADiO pages

http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/IC-PCR.HTM
http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/WINRADIO.HTM

Happy reading!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/
New Scanner User FAQ http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/NEW_USER.HTM
Scanning USA Columnist

3417. Bc-80 xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5a65$f367ba20$36d171d1@toby.gis.net>
Source record: 165417

I have a new condition BC-80 for sale.Sell for $80.00 shipped.
--
Thanks
Tel:978-281-3359
ICQ=423512

3418. BC-890 xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5a66$4e9518c0$36d171d1@toby.gis.net>
Source record: 165418

I have for sale a new condition BC-890 xlt with ctcss board
installed.Cellular unblocked and has 200 channels.I will ship to your door
For $200.00.
Thanks
Tel:978-281-3359
ICQ=423512

3419. BC-60 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5a66$77570e80$36d171d1@toby.gis.net>
Source record: 165419

I have new condition BC-60 XLT.I will ship to your door for $60.00.
--
Thanks
Tel:978-281-3359
ICQ=423512

3420. 2 crystal scanners fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5a66$c54a8040$36d171d1@toby.gis.net>
Source record: 165420

I have 2 crystal scanners.1 bCIII and one Regency.Will ship to your door
for $45.00
--
Thanks
Tel:978-281-3359
ICQ=423512

3421. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT/$250 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fj94j$398@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>$250 shipped within the lower 48 States!
>>>
>>>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>>>been unmodified.
>>>>
>>>>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>>>>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>>>>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>>>>
>>>>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>>>>following:
>>>>
>>>>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>>>>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>>>>* Original manual
>>>>* Original rubber antenna
>>>>
>>>>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>>>>has not been modified at all.
>

3422. FS- Yaesu FRG-9600/60-905MHZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fj97b$398@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165422
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,sbay.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>>I have a MINTand very seldom used FRG-9600 which covers from 60-905
>>MHZ continously in all modes. The radio does not have any nicks,
>>dents, or scratches whatsoever.
>>
>>Its been sitting in the original box and packaging for about a year.
>>I'm a non-smoker and the radio's never been outdoors. It includes
>>the following:
>>
>>* Original manual
>>* Photocopy of service manual
>>* Mobile mounting bracket and bolts (unused)
>>* TV video board installed
>>* Yaesu AC adaptor
>>* Original Telescopic whip antenna
>>
>>This is probably the nicest 9600 you will find. Accordingly, I would
>>like to ask for $450 shipped to lower 48 States. Thanks!
>

3423. Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Daze <40-year-old-fool@nowhere.man>
Message-ID: <6fjbas$54m@news.dx.net>
Source record: 165423
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I was searching the UHF band on my handheld scanner about 6pm yesterday, and it stopped on 459.975. I heard a woman with a very cute-sounding voice speaking. At first, I thought it might be a dispatcher of a wrecker or security service, but then I noticed that she didn't break the carrier when she finished speaking. A few seconds later, she started talking again, as if she was responding to a voice that I couldn't hear. Then I realized that I was listening to one side of some kind of phone call. I kept listening, and she said something about "waiting for her lawyers to get the deal from Warner Brothers." In the information I got from the 60 seconds I listened, I realized that she was more than likely a famous singer, she had her young child with her, and she was talking to her husband on the phone. Suddenly, the carrier ended and the scanner started searching again.

Does anyone have any ideas about what I was hearing? There are no celebrities anywhere near where I live. However, there is a major north-south highway nearby. Could this be some sort of mobile phone? Could it have been a telephone call from a airplane? Any other possibilities?

3424. Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Daze <40-year-old-fool@nowhere.man>
Message-ID: <6fjbfl$55m@news.dx.net>
Source record: 165424

I was searching the UHF band on my handheld scanner about 6pm yesterday, and it stopped on 459.975. I heard a woman with a very cute-sounding voice speaking. At first, I thought it might be a dispatcher of a wrecker or security service, but then I noticed that she didn't break the carrier when she finished speaking. A few seconds later, she started talking again, as if she was responding to a voice that I couldn't hear. Then I realized that I was listening to one side of some kind of phone call. I kept listening, and she said something about "waiting for her lawyers to get the deal from Warner Brothers." In the information I got from the 60 seconds I listened, I realized that she was more than likely a famous singer, she had her young child with her, and she was talking to her husband on the phone. Suddenly, the carrier ended and the scanner started searching again.

Does anyone have any ideas about what I was hearing? There are no celebrities anywhere near where I live. However, there is a major north-south highway nearby. Could this be some sort of mobile phone? Could it have been a telephone call from a airplane? Any other possibilities?

3425. FS BC3000 & SC150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Miller <ironstar@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <6fjdc2$j35$1@nnrp1>
Source record: 165425

OK, well I've inherited a few scanners and with a new baby I need money more than duplicate scanners so:

I have 2 Uniden BC3000XLT's - box, manual, stock antenna, adapter, and battery all functioning, and not scratched/dropped/etc.
Asking $250 each for these.

I also have 2 Uniden Sportcat 150's (the black ones, not the yellow) in box with manual, stock antenna's, adapters, & battery packs, again, in decent non-battered shape.
Asking $100 each for these.

emails to ironstar@swbell.net

3426. Looking for a VB programmer....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351e336b.205655646@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165426

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'm looking to collaborate with a Visual Basic
programmer who knows RS-232 applications and
the Windows 95 environment.

The rewards for not too much time and investment
could be sweet....I dunno.... it's a learning and
hobby thing for me, but the door is wide open to
someone who could show me a few things.

Anyway, if you're fairly up on RS-232, Visual Basic,
Windows 95,.... AND if you have one of the following
scanners, maybe we can collaborate for some fun
and excitement:

PRO-2004 PRO-2005 PRO-2006

Contact me by private e-mail for a chat and looksee,
if interested.

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http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
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3427. For Sale Pro2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fjbos$a0b$1@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165427
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a Pro2005 with cell modify with 400 channeles that recieves from 25-1300 mhz. have no manuals or paper work. It's in good condition and has minor scratches . All buttons and lables are not faded or scratch. I'm asking $280 dollars or best offer. Thanks. mgdforty.webtv.net

3428. Re: Are ISA based PC radio cards like Winradio doomed?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351f35e1.206286426@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165428

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

"Victor Healey" <fourphun.hates-spam@bellsouth.net> wrote:

> Are ISA based PC radio cards doomed in less then a year?

No more so than 8-bit serial I/O ports.

Yes, both are going down the tubes, but when you
consider that the Icom PCR-1000 and the WiNRADiO
can work slicker than greased snake snot on oiled
ice with as little as a 386DX/33 ISA computer,
then it is easy to see that these radios will be
supported long into the future.

There must be millions of 386/486/586/686 computers
around right now with ISA slots and RS-232 ports.
Nothing is going to happen to these machines other
than their price will steadily drop.

So if some guy is "stuck" with an ISA WiNRADiO or
an RS-232 Icom radio, who cares? He won't. He can
go down to the swap meet and buy himself a dedicated
486 computer for well under $100 to run either or
both of these radios in absolutely fine style.

Even if the ISA bus and the RS-232 port disappeared
overnight, existing and new owners of the Icom and
WiNRADiO would not be impacted in the slightest.

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3429. Low band skip on 31.620 Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: fbals@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980328181713O1.NAA01382@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165429

I have been hearing some 2-way Spanish language communications on 31.620 NFM. Seems to fade in-and-out during skip conditions. Anyone know what this is and where it is coming from?

Frank

3430. Re: Javiation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fjfc6$i6a$3@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 165430

Looks like Javiation is one the last British exporters left.
The word is out that ICOM pulled Multicomm 2000's dealership.

For my information, what is Javiation's address (email, web)?

Steve Weinstein wrote:
>
> Javiation is highly reputable and well know for their reliability. I
> personally have ordered 2 scanners from them over the last 4 years and
> was very happy with there service. I would highly recommend them.
>
> Steve
>
> BATWANGER wrote:
>
> > I am looking for any one who has done business with this
> > company.
> > I am wanting to place an order with them. Have never done mailorder
> > business
> > outside the USA. What Can I expect?
> > Will I recieve my order?
> > Within a reasonable time?
> > a week or two?
> > Thanks for a response.
> > Dave

3431. Re: For Sale Pro2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35204280.209517446@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165431

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

mgdforty@webtv.net (Reservoir Dogs) wrote:

> I have a Pro2005 with cell modify with 400 channeles that recieves from
> 25-1300 mhz.

HOW on earth did you get it to receive 520-760 MHz?

Ahem....the PRO-2005 isn't capable of that range.

<cough...cough><wink...wink...nudge...nudge>

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3432. Re: Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6fjfa9$kja@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 165432

"Radio Daze" (40-year-old-fool@nowhere.man) writes:
> I was searching the UHF band on my handheld scanner about 6pm yesterday, and
> it stopped on 459.975. I heard a woman with a very cute-sounding voice
> speaking. At first, I thought it might be a dispatcher of a wrecker or
> security service, but then I noticed that she didn't break the carrier when
> she finished speaking. A few seconds later, she started talking again, as if
> she was responding to a voice that I couldn't hear. Then I realized that I
> was listening to one side of some kind of phone call. I kept listening, and
> she said something about "waiting for her lawyers to get the deal from
> Warner Brothers." In the information I got from the 60 seconds I listened, I
> realized that she was more than likely a famous singer, she had her young
> child with her, and she was talking to her husband on the phone. Suddenly,
> the carrier ended and the scanner started searching again.
>
> Does anyone have any ideas about what I was hearing? There are no
> celebrities anywhere near where I live. However, there is a major
> north-south highway nearby. Could this be some sort of mobile phone? Could
> it have been a telephone call from a airplane? Any other possibilities?
>
Sounds like a "phone-patch" on a business band two-way radio. You can get
a 2-way radio with a keypad that allows you to make phone calls. Pretty
common for HAMS. Our local newpaper photographers had this feature on their
hand-held radios, they would often use it to phone ahead for a photo-op.
They already had the radio system, so the add-on was cheaper than issuing
cell phones (another thing for the photogs to lug around!)

3433. UBC120XLT&29MHz??HELP!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tomi <tzak@EUnet.yu>
Message-ID: <6fjfak$e1u$1@SOLAIR2.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 165433
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Can I receiv 29 MHz with the Bearcat UBC 120 XLT (EUROPE).
Is there any Jumper or else to modifi to the American version.
PLEAS HELP!!!!!!

PS. The Chip is the UC 1642

With reset of memori I have the 29 MHz in the Bank but I can not
tune.!!!!(search)

tzak EUnet.yu

3434. Alinco DJ-X10 vs. AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Willems & Marjo Voncken <cacao@xs4all.nl>
Message-ID: <351D4BEC.5C3263E5@xs4all.nl>
Source record: 165434

Hi,

I have the choice between the X10 and 8000 A.....

I love the looks and feel of the Alinco. But some claim the AOR is a
much better receiver.
For use at home I have a AOR 3000 A (planing to hook it to my computer)

What should I do ?

Roger

3435. Need ponout for uPC1477C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: grubekg@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6fjgg2$f5l$1@news02.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 165435

Hi!

Does anybody have the pinout for the NEC uPC1477C (most likely a
baseband demodulator for sat receivers)? Any help greatly appreciated!

Mike

P.S. What has this to do with scanner? - Simply - I'm trying to build a
Meteosat receiver from an old sat receiver..

3436. Re: Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fjijn$o2s@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165436

You were listening to the Air to Ground side of a duplex aircraft phone call. The base stations transmit in the 454-9** range but are scattered at various points around the country and you probably won't here anything there. Now days only Corporate aircraft still use the UHF Air to Ground phone service, most airliners have long since moved to other places.

Tom

Radio Daze wrote:
>
> I was searching the UHF band on my handheld scanner about 6pm yesterday, and
> it stopped on 459.975. I heard a woman with a very cute-sounding voice
> speaking. At first, I thought it might be a dispatcher of a wrecker or
> security service, but then I noticed that she didn't break the carrier when
> she finished speaking. A few seconds later, she started talking again, as if
> she was responding to a voice that I couldn't hear. Then I realized that I
> was listening to one side of some kind of phone call. I kept listening, and
> she said something about "waiting for her lawyers to get the deal from
> Warner Brothers." In the information I got from the 60 seconds I listened, I
> realized that she was more than likely a famous singer, she had her young
> child with her, and she was talking to her husband on the phone. Suddenly,
> the carrier ended and the scanner started searching again.
>
> Does anyone have any ideas about what I was hearing? There are no
> celebrities anywhere near where I live. However, there is a major
> north-south highway nearby. Could this be some sort of mobile phone? Could
> it have been a telephone call from a airplane? Any other possibilities?

3437. Re: Cell Monitored Conversation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbatina@infinet.com
Message-ID: <t6cT.56$Yj.2713038@news2>
Source record: 165437

BrianFlues (bflues@erols.com) wrote:
: So, I live about 1/2 mile from a cell tower and I monitor a
: conversation about " 4 bags for $125.00 each" in my local neighborhood
: (complete with address and directions I might add) on a image of the 870
: mhz range on a non cellular scanner.
: Do I report it and risk prosecution for illegal monitoring?

laugh get real - you know how many deals of "whatever" go down on
cordless, cellular, and pager frequencies. Calling any authorities and
reporting something with such little information would be nuts. Now, if
you had a date, time, location - now *that* would be a bit more interesting.

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http://www.infinet.com/~rbatina - Robert J Batina - rbatina@infinet.com
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3438. Jummpers !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: WIZZERD@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fjhjj$5m9$1@newsd-163.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165438

Hi i have found out from a friend that works in a police department, and he just told me that there is a new scanner....i dont know the name of it but its awsome....it jumps from one frequecy to another and it cant be traced...i didnt belive him till i saw it and then i asked him how much he would sell it to me...but he told me that he cant..but maby i would think somebody in the internet might have one and wouldnt mind selling it to me...so if anybody has one and that they dont want it can i buy it ..... ?

3439. (.....?.....)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: WIZZERD@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fjhq4$5md$1@newsd-163.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165439

I heard that there is a chat room for scanners and if anyone knows it
can anybody e-mail it to me ...thanks....its...wizzerd@webtv.net

3440. FS-Icom W2A, Dual Band, $375

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Painter <stevepaint@clearwater.net>
Message-ID: <351d1ef8.0@news.rmci.net>
Source record: 165440

For Sale, Icom-W3A, in original box, comes with BP-83,
antenna, BC-77A charger, and Instruction manual. This unit
is fully functional, and will recieve cellular unblocked. Money
back Guarantee. $375. Call 208 476 5022, or email back.
Steve

3441. Re: Jhon Makhee exphosed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351D66F2.D68448A6@mcn.org>
Source record: 165441

George Vetterle wrote:

> Nice try Bro or should I call you Dogg? I don't think Netscape v.
> 4.04 allows posting cancels for posts other than your own unless
> you *intentionally* change your identity information to match that
> of the post. Pretty hard to do that *accidentally* while trying to
> erase them from your drive. Are you sure you're not using a patched
> version of Netscape that's had the code edited to allow general post
> cancelling? Netscape Communications might be *real* interested in
> something like that. Hehehehe. Maybe they'll give you a job as a
> programmer.
>
> George L. Vetterle
> geovet@ix.netcom.com
> geovet@worldnet.att.net
>
> "Badges? We ain't got no badges!
> We don't need no badges! I don't
> have to show you any stinking badges!"-
> Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
> OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

Absolutely. I figured it was just to make it fare or something. So everybodies posts would be seen by everybody. I was however sick of seeing JM crap so I wanted to rid my screen of them. If you enjoyed seeing the crap I'm sorry. It was not intentional.

3442. Re: @@@ ICOM Canada Repair @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <351d6ae9$1$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 165442
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

In <351ce275.1819609@news.total.net>, on 03/28/98
at 11:45 AM, joker@radiotelephone.net.ham (Cutie Joker) said:

>hi. my radio is still not here. it's been a month now. i will check
>the repair status (i hope my radio is not lost somewhere !!) (I hope
>ICOM Canada's repair service is as good as ICOM America's).

While I haven't had to use ICOM America's , I have used ICOM Canada to repair an old IC-211 all mode rig. The price was, I felt, reasonable, and it seemed to come back in a reasonable time, though I wasn't counting the days.

Hope you get yours back soon!

73, Bob, VE7HS

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

3443. Re: Alinco DJ-X10 vs. AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce <bdklein@cwia.com>
Message-ID: <351D6C68.4DE5279A@cwia.com>
Source record: 165443

I have the X10 and I think it is a great scanner. A friend of mine has the 8000 and I was unimpressed. It feels and looks very cheap. However, there is a much greater source of software/upgrades available for the 8000. I'm sure that software will be eventually available for the X10, but it might be awhile. That is my only complaint on the X10.

> Hi,
>
> I have the choice between the X10 and 8000 A.....
>
> I love the looks and feel of the Alinco. But some claim the AOR is a
> much better receiver.
> For use at home I have a AOR 3000 A (planing to hook it to my computer)
>
> What should I do ?
>
> Roger

3444. Re: Low band skip on 31.620 Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351D6FAA.7E606964@mcn.org>
Source record: 165444

Where are you at?

Fbals wrote:

> I have been hearing some 2-way Spanish language communications on 31.620 NFM.
> Seems to fade in-and-out during skip conditions. Anyone know what this is and
> where it is coming from?
>
> Frank

3445. Re: Jummpers !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6fjpin$onv@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 165445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

JOSE COBOS (WIZZERD@webtv.net) writes:
> --WebTV-Mail-1365139914-2726

> Hi i have found out from a friend that works in a police department, and
> he just told me that there is a new scanner....i dont know the name of
> it but its awsome....it jumps from one frequecy to another and it cant
> be traced...i didnt belive him till i saw it and then i asked him how
> much he would sell it to me...but he told me that he cant..but maby i
> would think somebody in the internet might have one and wouldnt mind
> selling it to me...so if anybody has one and that they dont want it can
> i buy it ..... ?
>
All scanners do this!!! Scanners like any other radio can be detected
using VERY SENSITIVE recievers that can detect the RF and IF oscillators
(the same way the UK, GPO detects unlicenced TV's) Nobody in North America
is looking for scanner users (yet!) Go to any electronics store, in fact
even Radio Shack (the salesdroids will love you!!!) and they will show
you all sorts of scanners. There are even some that will follow trunked
radio systems, that more and more Police Agencies are now using....

3446. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdfthr768@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032800155401.TAA24896@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165617

So, Bill, you're saying that "Frank" was within his rights being that
half-assed excuse.
I guess that's why you couldn't identify with the people who lost their mailing
list, but can identify with "good ol' Frank"...you're a half-assed excuse for a
person.
>a whole pile of crusted-over manure....just
>waiting for the crust to be cracked to stink all over
>again.

Gee, what intellect. What charm.
What a waste of flesh.
Mike in MO.

3447. Re: HELP! - UBC220XLT or similar type

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K. Mac Donald" <kmd@fox.nstn.ca>
Message-ID: <01bd59e0$81b26360$e17e35c6@home>
Source record: 165618
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner

I own a UBC220XLT and have been having problems with the charging system.

I have replaced the battery pack and the adapter (damaged cord), however the
operating time after a 24 hour recharge is only approx. 60 minutes.
Does this time seem reasonable?

Since I no of no technique to determine the percentage of full charge
on the AA battery set I can never know for sure if the batteries have
taken a full charge.

I have also discovered the female connection for the DC power supply on
the left side of the radio is somewhat loose and perhaps not providing
an adequate or an intermittent electrical connection.

I have disassembled the radio to determine if the connection could be
repaired. The connector is soldered to a main circuit board and
appears to require further disassembly than I am comfortable with
to investigate further.

I believe the newer design of this radio (200XLT?) uses a base mount
which incorporates the electrical connection for the battery charging,
thus eliminating the side connector.
This design change may indicate the side connector may have been
a poor design choice and had been causing problems.

Would appreciate hearing form anyone on the possible testing of
or repairing of the connector on these radios.

Thanks,

K. Mac Donald

Scoops <scoops@globalnet.co.uk> wrote in article
<6fgebj$d37$2@heliodor.xara.net>...
> I have just acquired one of these scanners and the battery is flat. It is
> charging as we speak. I am curious as to whether or not you are supposed
to
> be able to use it on the AC adapter only or whether this is only for
> charging the battery. It says in the manual you can use it when it is
being
> charged. If it is being used for longer periods of time is it wise to
keep
> it connected to the AC adapter so it will continuously charge while it
uses
> the battery power?

>
> Also (while I am at it) why make it so you can only work it off the power
> coming from the battery - seems silly since you can only charge the
> batteries while they are in the handset so you can't have spare ones
> charging while the other set is being used.
>
> It strikes me that the battery pack is just 4 AA ni-cads. Is it possible
to
> use standard rechargables in some sort of adapter, they could be charged
in
> just 2 hours as opposed to the 14 it says here in the manual.
>
> Scoops
>
>
>
>
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3448. Re: Mackey/Cheek go to alt.mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdfthr768@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032800304500.TAA00446@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165619

>Why don't Mackey and Cheek go to alt.mackey and fight it out.

Why? Maybe because they both have to air opinions in a public forum to feel like they are having any kind of impact. Or because each of them is a demagogue. They thrive on mayhem and fighting and causing chaos.
They're a matched pair, my friend, and as such, they will ever be in a stalemate, because they are the same person, essentially, using the same cheap shots and illogical weapons of faulty intellect.
Now, back to scanners and fun!
Peace,
Mike in MO.

3449. ubc9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: iicrm <iicrm@ihug.co.nz>
Message-ID: <351D4CDE.6162@ihug.co.nz>
Source record: 165620

anyone know any good ubc9000 mods or tricks?

too many i's in email return address

3450. Re: One person says discones are good, another says bad, some say RS good/bad --What works best for cordless

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmtmn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032802214700.VAA19620@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165621

Keep in mind that if you are using a Discone, it is NOT DC Grounded!! You will need to put a Blitz Bug in the coax cable for that antenna to be legally grounded. Same thing with a wire dipole antenna which is also not DC Grounded. If you hear a clicking sound coming from your radio when its lightening or even windy outside, its an electrical charge sparking inside your radio looking for a ground and its finding one. Thus the "clicking sound". ->Dan

3451. Re: Please Help: Pro-43 has lost its memory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrshattuck@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032803305100.WAA28841@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165622

>Subject: Please Help: Pro-43 has lost its memory
>From: jmankowski@aol.com (JMankowski)
>Date: Thu, Mar 26, 1998 23:42 EST

>My Pro-43 has a problem. I realized I left it turned on for a couple weeks.
>This, of course, killed my batteries. No problem, I put in fresh batteries
>and
>the radio works, but when I turn it off and on again, all the channels I
>programed in are gone and all channels have zero's in them.
>
>Any ides on how to cure this agrivating problem?
>
>Thanks for any help you can provide.
>
>John.

Try a CPU initialization. Press and hold Clear and 0 and turn on the power.

3452. Pro-51 (jack addition) need help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: pathana@is3.nyu.edu
Message-ID: <6fhotv$t8t$1@news.nyu.edu>
Source record: 165623

I am making an Hamcom type interface. (thats not a problem)
I Must also add an headphone jact to my radio-- that is the problem
My sanner is Pro-51; according to BILL Cheeks' file:
NFM Chip Type CKT symbol RF in Pin Scan. Pin Audio
MC 33613D IC-1 16 13 9

Now how to recognize it on Pro-51? that is the question?

Does this looks like a small black bug with 16 legs? or some
other looking. Pl. help . thank u.

3453. Re: Software FTV ver.1.0 can be used with Pro-51?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: pathana@is3.nyu.edu
Message-ID: <6fhohq$t5g$1@news.nyu.edu>
Source record: 165624

Barun Gupta <barun@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>and BTL and the only one that I have had any success with is BTL.

>BTL is only good for RTTY. ......
please
>let me know as I would like to be able to decode FAX/SSTV.
You need to have an interface like Hamcomm. You can make one;
under $20. all parts are avail at Radio S. However; hard part is
You ALSO need to make a small modification/additon of a jack into
your radio/receiver. Than only u will enjoy. Good luck!

3454. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351c79e4.158156217@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165625

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

gdfthr768@aol.com (Gdfthr768) wrote:

> So, Bill, you're saying that "Frank" was within his rights being that
> half-assed excuse.

There are no "rights" associated with the Usenet.
If you can get access, then you can post. It
doesn't matter if the consensus is 100:1, the
"1" is every bit the equal of the 100.

> I guess that's why you couldn't identify with the
> people who lost their mailing list,

Guess all you want and be wrong. I can empathize
and identify with them. That's why I know they
lost it their own selves. Frank had nothing to
do with it.

> but can identify with "good ol' Frank"...

Yes, I can empathize and identify with him, too.
He discovered that he needn't be victimized by a
ruthless, imbecilic majority who didn't know the
difference between an anarchy and a democracy, and
who went on to act like they didn't know. That's
why they lost their mail list. Pure, utter stupidity
was the only reason.

> you're a half-assed excuse for a person.

Well, thank you for your carefully considered
and pontificated opinion. But you really need to
go whisper that in the ear of someone who gives
a flying green booger about what you think. Me,
I don't give a hoot......know what I mean?

> Gee, what intellect. What charm.
> What a waste of flesh.
> Mike in MO.

Whatever trips your trigger, pal. Your carefully
considered opinions are running out of your pants
leg, though. You should probably go get your
mommy to give you a wiping and maybe even a shower.

At the very least, go find someone who admires you
and your opinions. The needle on my Give-A-Shit Meter
is flat against the zero peg where you are concerned.

Know what I mean, Ignats?

3455. Re: PRO2021 Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351d7cf0.158936066@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165626

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Jeff Peel <jpeel1@cinc.tds.net> wrote:

> Need 800MHZ mod for PRO2021. Please Email direct to
> jpeel1@cinc.tds.net Thanks in advance

Hope it ain't a matter of life and death.

The PRO-2021 isn't capable of operating above 512 MHz.

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3456. Re: pro 2022 triple or double conversion?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351e7d6e.159061875@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165627

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Vincent Charron <charv@total.net> wrote:

> ?

Double.

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3457. Re: 800 trunked to go digital?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6fhv84$j7l$0@207.18.224.29>
Source record: 165628

On 24 Mar 1998 06:51:00 GMT, emoney250@aol.com (Emoney250) wrote:

>My local police dept. has a trunked system. Except for the last week,
>everyday at about 11 p.m. or so the 'data' channel would change between one of
>three frequencies. As I said, for the last week, the 'data' channel has not
>moved, but the scanning has not yet been affected. Is this the first stages of
>a trunked system preparing to go digital or what? Please give me some
>educated/experienced in

Nothing about going digital, it just depends on how it is set up. I
responsibile for systems that change data channels, and for
systems that do not change data channels.

3458. Re: PRO-90 TrunkTracker ON SALE $219

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: gmacdoug1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032804445300.XAA14469@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165629

>Hello,
> I think there may have been a mistake. The RS near me has them on
>sale for $219...
> Hope this helps!

You are right! It's a sad day when $319 sounds the same as $219 to a tired brain! Thanks for the correction. Anyway, I thought it was a good deal.

KD6CWU

3459. Re: pro 64 & bc140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351f7dc9.159153415@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165630

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"shiner" <shiner@bright.net> wrote:

> ok, so could you tell me a little bit about what to get, books, websites,
> etc.?

You should consult with my Scanner Modification FAQ
that I recently posted to this newsgroup. It gives
the broader picture, especially for the BC-140. A
lot of things can be done to it, but no one has
written them up.....and no one ever will, more than
likely.

As for the PRO-64, I wrote a number of things about
it in the monthly WORLD SCANNER REPORT, and will
continue to do articles on it, since it's a popular
and high class scanner.

As for a PRO-64 Web site, try these two for starters:

http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

http://hruska.home.mindspring.com/pro-prog.html

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3460. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdfthr768@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032805203500.AAA17272@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165631

Boy, what a bunch of trash from one who knows how to deliver the goods.
>There are no "rights" associated with the Usenet.
>If you can get access, then you can post.

See, there are WAYS TO CONDUCT ONE'S SELF when one is part of a larger group of people, and your extremely teenager-like idea of posting whatever you wish in any group, regardless of content or conscience, does not fit AT ALL into a "democracy".
>He discovered that he needn't be victimized by a
>ruthless, imbecilic majority who didn't know the
>difference between an anarchy and a democracy, and
>who went on to act like they didn't know.

Here you go again... do you know what the story was there? Oh, yes, I forgot, the crackpot/self-styled gemius always thinks the rest of the world is the "imbecilic majority", and no one will sway him.
>Your carefully
>considered opinions are running out of your pants
>leg, though. You should probably go get your
>mommy to give you a wiping and maybe even a shower.
>
>At the very least, go find someone who admires you
>and your opinions. The needle on my Give-A-Shit Meter
>is flat against the zero peg where you are concerned.
>
>Know what I mean, Ignats?
>
>
>
>
>
>
And here we see the colors of the man. Bill Cheek, scanner-king. Pontificator of the first order, an island unto himself. Right.
When faced with ANY kind of argument, whether it is a strong or weak argument, he fails to make a point and resorts to insults which are not even clever enough to be funny, and once more shows us what sorry shape his head is in.
Bill, when you're the expert who's not an expert, it's pretty rough isn't it?
Signed, Ignats

3461. Re: Help decoding Uniden manufacture date

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-d3OhK9lW7zdS@slip-32-100-170-49.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 165632

>double conversion scanners, meaning they will hear signals 21.6 MHz
below or >above the displayed frequency

Would this be true of all double conversion scanners like my BC800XLT?
Anyway to prevent this?

Thanks.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

3462. Re: [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351c8bea.5061997@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 16:56:09 GMT, you@are.retarded (Macaroon) wrote:

>Stop wasting bandwidth, asswipe.
>
>These posts were NOT cancelled. I've already responded to your drivel once.
>

A number of Mackey's posts *were* canceled (and a few of mine too)

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3463. Re: [REPOST] Re: Someone is Cancelling John Mackey's Posts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351c8d53.5422800@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 18:54:03 -0800, _John *KA0SSF*
<jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net> wrote:

>[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]
>
>Be careful who YOU are talking to CHUMP!
>
>cipher wrote:
>> Talking about you, chump.

I'll bet $100 against a horse turd that cipher can cancel your posts
faster than you can cancel his. You can even hold the stakes in your
mouth.

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3464. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351c9018.6131552@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165635

On 27 Mar 98 19:15:29 GMT, "Graham" <gcros@late.net> wrote:

>OBFD <obfd@aol.com> wrote in article
><R.1998032620205101.PAA01834@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>> [REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]
>>
>
>
>--------------------------------snip due to stupidity--------------
>
>TAKE THIS SHIT TO PRIVATE E-MAIL

The idiot already took it to e-mail and also felt
it necessary to post it here. I told him *not* to
e-mail me again, under any circumstances, so
don't encourage him.

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3465. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351c943d.7193087@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165636

On 26 Mar 1998 20:23:44 GMT, obfd@aol.com (OBFD) wrote:

>[REPOSTED DUE TO ROGUE CANCEL FROM BEST.COM]
>
>Geo,
>
>ANY HAM should be offended by some self righteous idiot like you who, one one
>hand, agrees with those who say "I'l post whatever I..." ALL WHILST storking
>with your other hand and saying "you need to use a screen name like..."
>
>FOOL, you aren't even an EXCUSE for a HAM!
>
>Maybe you're a NAMBLA boy?
>
>
>
>>Any Ham should also be offended by the antics of John Mackey.
>>If you're going to be righteously indignant then you should start by
>>posting with your real name and not an AOL screen name.
>>
>>George L. Vetterle
>>geovet@ix.netcom.com
>
>

....and the horse.

<PLONK>

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3466. Re: RS Has Good Deal on PRO-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351c97ac.8072272@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165637

On 27 Mar 1998 13:23:18 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>I haven't checked personally, but I've been told that the PRO-64 is on sale at
>RS for $179 and if you pick up a flyer in the store or by mail you can get the
>scanner for $149. Now is the time to buy if you are looking for a good value
>in a handheld. It's got triple conversion, 400 channels, 40 monitor, 10
>priority, weather key and computer programmability. It was initially priced at
>$399.
>

Wouldn't surprise me a bit. I paid a hundred bucks more than that for
mine before Christmas. Happens every time I buy something. The
PRO-64 is a whole lot of scanner and at that price it's a no brainer.

Bill Cheek and Rich Wells both wrote reviews on it and there is much
information to be found online for anyone considering buying a PRO-64.

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3467. Re: pro 64 & bc140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351c9dc3.9630274@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165638

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 12:08:26 -0500, "shiner" <shiner@bright.net>
wrote:

>ok, so could you tell me a little bit about what to get, books, websites,
>etc.?
>

Bill Cheek reviewed the PRO-64 in his "World Scanner Report" and he
might have back issues available. His web site is at:

http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek/

There is also information there on available scanner mods but there is
no cellular mod for the PRO-64.

Rich Wells also reviewed the PRO-64 and the review was on his web site
which I don't have the URL for handy.

Ken's Radio Scanner Page has all you need to know about the PRO-64.
Check it out at:

http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

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3468. Re: receiving SW freq higher than radio normally tunes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gordon Dewis <gordon@pinetree.org>
Message-ID: <351C90A5.3D097B76@pinetree.org>
Source record: 165639
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.aviation.student,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Go to your nearest Radio Shack that is also the district clearance center.
> You can buy NIB discontinued scanners for a fraction of their original
> price.

Just make sure that the scanner can receive the aviation bands because not all can. I have a scanner that has the aviation bands "missing" from the range of frequencies it can receive.

Personally, I use my Kenwood TM-742 as a scanner when I'm airplane watching. Also comes in handy on my way in for a couple of hours flying because I can check out the ATIS.

Cheers!

--G

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Gordon Dewis | WWW Virtual Library Geography Section is now at:
BA Hons Geography | http://www.icomos.org/WWW_VL_Geography.html

3469. BC 350 A SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ron.harper@neverending.com
Message-ID: <891055642@neverending.com>
Source record: 165640

-> I NEED TO KNOW IF YOU CAN REBOOT THIS SCANNER . IT SEEMS TO HAVE LOST ITS
-> FACTORY PROGRAMING. IT WILL SCANN THE PRIVATE FREQUENCES THAT I PROGRAM BUT
-> IT WILL NOT STOP AT ANY OF THE PRE PROGRAMED CHANNELS IE NATIONAL WEATHER
-> SERVICE . IT IS NOT THE SQUELCH . THANKS TO ANY ONE WHO CAN HELP
I don't know if this will work or not, but try manually entering the
freq. for the weather service, like here in KY the freq. I use is
162.550Mhz., if your not sure what the one close to you uses try to get
a manual that has all the diffrent freqs. in it, or find someone that
has a scanner that displays the freq. on the face when it stops at it.
I have a Bear Tracker (BCT 7) that does this. Hope this helps.

3470. Re: Jhon Makhee exphosed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351cb0d8.1572722@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165641

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 21:11:24 -0800, Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org> wrote:

>I think the Bro Dogg guy did it. I was trying to erase them from my drive, not
>the news group itself. Sorry.
>

Nice try Bro or should I call you Dogg? I don't think Netscape v.
4.04 allows posting cancels for posts other than your own unless
you *intentionally* change your identity information to match that
of the post. Pretty hard to do that *accidentally* while trying to
erase them from your drive. Are you sure you're not using a patched
version of Netscape that's had the code edited to allow general post
cancelling? Netscape Communications might be *real* interested in
something like that. Hehehehe. Maybe they'll give you a job as a
programmer.

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3471. Re: EDACS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Callebs <oh9@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6fi10ljqf1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 165642

I believe it's: Enhanced Digital - Analog Communications System. It refers to an Ericsson/GE trunking format where voice comms are in analog (you can hear it on a scanner), but control functions, data, etc. are digital. The equipment is capable of also operating with digital voice comms.

Rick Callebs
W8CMI
oh9@bright.net

MR. JERRY HENRY KACPRZYCKI wrote in message
<6fc8ll$s61@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>...
>EVERYONCE ONCE IN A WHILE I SEE A REFERENCE TO EDACS.
>WHAT DO THE INITIALS E.D.A.C.S. STAND FOR?
>THANK YOU.
>--
>ATTENTION, ATTENTION: BECOME A SKYWARN WEATHER VOLUNTEER
>WITH YOU LOCAL WEATHER OFFICE!!!!

3472. Re: Atlanta Real-Time Traffic Map and Video, Part 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6fiem7$atc@hopper.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 165643
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

"Victor Healey" <fourphun.hates-spam@bellsouth.net> remarked:
> ... a DOT operator .... dispatches a yellow/green HERO truck to assist
> the motorist. I am still trying to find the actual working frequency these
> guys use.

TMC dispatch is talkgroup 35440 on the City of Atlanta trunk. That's
the one designated "Information" on the standard list.
/* barry /&

3473. Re: Jhon Makhee exphosed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032810371501.FAA12957@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165644

> 2 Cancels for Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
> 1 Cancel for Bro <bro@bro.com>
> 1 Cancel for George Vetterle <geovet@ix.netcom.com>
> 1 Cancel for Salvatore Gambino <sgambino@worldnet.att.net>
> 1 Cancel for -John- KAOSSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
> 17 Cancels for OBFD <obfd@aol.com>
> 6 Cancels for -John- KA0SSF <ka0ssf@paNOSPAMrg.org>
> 5 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
> 3 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
> 1 Cancel for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
> 3 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
> 2 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
> 4 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <jmackeyREMOVE@usa.net>
> 2 Cancels for _John *KA0SSF* <ka0ssf@paREMOVErg.org>
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>
>

Sounds like I threatened the most people's insecurity. People HATE it when
their wrong

COOL!

3474. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032810555201.FAA16483@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165645

>Yeah, well at least I know the difference between lose and loose >and how to
>spell definitely.

Ahh, yopu finally get it, NAMBLA man, loose is what you are after one of your
nights with the little kiddies

>I don't defend grown men molesting little kids.

Oh, then why did you post it in the first place, and in your own words, why
have you been "maddogging" it ever since, all to defend your sick crap?

>After all weren't you the one
>whose kid said, "Dad, you can NOT touch me there!"

No, IF you knew how to read, you would see that comment was directed at YOU,
NAMBLA boy, you just want to think ALL men are like you, wrong fool

>Hey buzzbomb, I'm sending you a copy of this post via e-mail >just so I can
>see you chase your tail some more.

and as you were told in my LAST e-mail to you, NAMBLA freak, it was deleted,
you just couldn't stand not getting the last word, JUST as I told you you
would. What a pathetic fool

You can't run from the fact that the NAMBLA thing was ALL YOURS, and totally
uncalled for, idiot!

3475. Re: FS: RARE Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: will Herzog <herzog@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <351EFA5A.73FA@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 165198
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

An easy answer is to put a dropping resistor in series next time you
replace the bulb. 100 ohm or so.
This helps the life by limiting the inrush.

Tim, K8TJ wrote:
>
> Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12
> volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount
> of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually
> forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find.
> Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again
> in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all
> the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you.
> Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want
> to play the auction bidding game.
> --
> Tim, K8TJ
>

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Will; K2LB <herzog@frontiernet.net>

3476. Yupiteru MVT-9000-Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: akcessdenyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fmg9a$ru5$1@newsd-154.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165199

Hi,
I'm thinking about buying the MVT-9000 from Bandercom but they don't supply an AC power adapter for use here in the U.S. Anyone know where i can order one from? Thanks for any suggestions!!!!!!!

P.S. Does Yupiteru have an internet address?

3477. air freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd4ykv2@fuse.net
Message-ID: <351fd310.62949158@nntp.fuse.net>
Source record: 165200

Hello all,

I've added Commercial and Military aircraft frequencies to my page.

Randy
kd4ykv2@fuse.net
Northern Kentucky, Greater Cincinnati Scanner Page
http://home.fuse.net/rwtrue00

3478. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6fmn4n$9bl$0@207.18.224.74>
Source record: 165201

On Sun, 29 Mar 1998 10:52:14 -0800, KA0SSF--John
<jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> On 26 Mar 1998 20:00:58 GMT, obfd@aol.com (OBFD) wrote:
>> >What you say here may be said with EQUAL support regarding Mr. Mackey's equally
>> >offensive nemesis, Mr. Cheek.
>
>> Actually, not. John seems to have amassed a quite a bit of lack of
>> support.
>
>Wrong, Blake!
>
>I have a lot of support. Infact, a few weeks ago I was at the Puyallup
>ham fest in Tacoma, Washington. On two occasions individuals
>congratulated me
>on how I have handled Cheek here, one saying "it couldn't happen
>to a better guy".
>

Well John, don't you truthfully think that Bill could say the same?

Again, and I use Dejanews as my source, with semi-verifiable posters,
it seems that his support is larger and stronger than yours.

>Blake, are you going to Dayton this year?

Nope. I will be going to the International Wireless Communcations
Expo in Las Vegas, (IWCE) the National Emergency Number Association
Conference, (NENA) and a couple of APCO conferences. No time
for Dayton. Business takes priority, and between the local customers,
and the consultant customers, I simply don't have time for Dayton.

Maybe someday.

3479. FS: PRO-2006 & other good stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: zxzx777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032923575301.SAA16352@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165202

For Sale:

1: PRO-2006 scanner with the HB-232 interface installed for computer control. Strong display light, not weak like some others. The HB-232 is installed in a nice removable enclosure. $400.

2: Standard CCR-708. This is the one with the built-in spectrum display. Covers 50-905 MHz with NO GAPS. Includes box, manual, and service manual. VERY good condition in & out. Asking $450.

3: Two VADER boards for those that use the HB/CB-232 interface. These are great boards that permit you to record audio from the PRO-2005/6 with the HB-232 interface, automatically tag it with time, date, frequency, etc, saves it as an audio file, and plays it back when you please. Fits in a regular PC case with a full slot. Includes all the software, etc. These were $300+ each when new. $100 each.

All prices do not include shipping. No trades please. The reason I'm selling is because I have too much stuff now. :)

3480. recommend scanner for aircaft freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: fritzs@ohsu.edu
Message-ID: <6fmm8r$ep0$1@fremont.ohsu.edu>
Source record: 165203

Anyone have a recommendation for a handheld scanner that is good at picking up aircraft/airport frequencies. I would use it on visits to the airport runway viewing areas and also from home, about 15 miles away. Would go for a cheaper model if it is good for this purpose. Thanks!

3481. Two antennas to one receiver - how?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Stegner <dstegner@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6fmngg$mj0$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 165204
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I am looking for a device called a Duplexer Antenna Combiner. It is used to hook two antennas up to a single receiver. Does anyone know where to purchase one or an alternative way to hook up a shortwave and a discone antenna to one receiver? Thanks.

Don Stegner
dstegner@erols.com

3482. PRO 2038 mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <351EEDFB.98B08E28@ncia.net>
Source record: 165205

Anybody know of any mods such as frequency expansion on the 2038>>not really interested in cell but would like to get the 200 to 400 mhz slot

3483. Freq's for NYS police helicopter's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Ceraldi <ceraldi@albany.net>
Message-ID: <6fmtlr$q6s$1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 165206

looking for any freq's for NYS police choppers.
Thanks,
Aaron Ceraldi

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3484. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351F0457.E12D3FDB@mcn.org>
Source record: 165207

Yupi would have to adjust an entire line to not pick up certain ranges (cell) and that would be a waste because not as many people would consider it so marvelous.

Bill Cheek wrote:

> gumballs@webtv.net (Bernie Nagel) wrote:
>
> > what would be so different about it that it could not be sold in the
> > u.s.a.
>
> You got me. Could be that it won't meet the
> FCC spec's, but that isn't likely because
> European specs are tighter than ours in most
> cases.
>
> More than likely, Yupiteru just doesn't see
> the US market as all that lucrative....and
> it would cost them a bundle to set up shop here.
>
> That's probably 90% of it anyway.
>
> -- ----
> Bill Cheek - President/CEO/Publisher \ /
> COMMtronics Engineering/World Scanner Report \/
> Box 262478 ~ San Diego ~ CA ~ 92196-2478 /\
> bcheek@san.rr.com ftp://204.210.11.204 / \
> http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
> -- ---

3485. Re: Yupiteru MVT-9000-Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351F04A9.F7586A05@mcn.org>
Source record: 165208

You can get the adapter a Radio Shack. If I were you, I would(also am) get the 9000M.

Evan Moss wrote:

> Hi,
> I'm thinking about buying the MVT-9000 from Bandercom but they don't
> supply an AC power adapter for use here in the U.S. Anyone know where i
> can order one from? Thanks for any suggestions!!!!!!!
>
> P.S. Does Yupiteru have an internet address?

3486. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <351F07E0.C7B81351@netwit.com>
Source record: 165209

KA0SSF--John wrote:

> Well said, very well said.
>
> My hat is off to you!
>
> Gdfthr768 wrote:
> > And here we see the colors of the man. Bill Cheek, scanner-king. Pontificator
> > of the first order, an island unto himself. Right.

Geez.....I ain't seen Bill posting around here for weeks. He made a point of telling you this was the end. He stuck to it.

Yet, your obsessive compulsive disorder requires you to pound away at your keyboard about the Cheek. Regardless of what you perceive as past injustices; don't you see the warped way you carry on?

Bill's not answering you. Perhaps you should get more candles for your Cheek shrine in your closet. Spend a few more nights chanting and double your nightly output of anti-cheek text. Maybe that'll do the trick. Perhaps you ought to put signs in your window proclaiming your hatred of the Cheek. Write it real big. Don't worry about spelling or grammar, just write the way you usually do.

Of course you could signal Cheek directly, but it requires you to blow out a tune on the barrel of a loaded shotgun. You ought to practice. (Hint: A deer slug gives the best musical tone.....Try it!) Don't put the safety on, it flattens the note.

Blow John! Blow!

3487. Re: FL. Nat. Wildlife Refuge Freq Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawn Crane <"Shawn Crane"@gte.com>
Message-ID: <351F0902.9A7B3AED@gte.com>
Source record: 165210
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

ZaaX wrote:
>
> I am looking for the frequency used by Ding Darling National Wildlife Refuge
> on Sanibel Island in Florida. If you know what the frequency is please let me
> know.
>
> 73
> Zack
> N8FNR
+
here is the website for the
GORP- Florida National Wildlife & Marine Sanctuaries:

http://www.gorp.com/gorp/resource/us_nwr/fl.htm

I have a book that has list of nationwide wildlife tracking Freq's
30.0500 MHz
30.0600
30.0700, &
30.1700 - 30.2500 MHz 10 KHz increments

164.4375 - 164.7125 MHz 12.5 Khz increments

It's just a guess, hope it helps.

Shawn Crane

3488. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Eitner <kd6tas@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <351F1129.236B@earthlink.net>
Source record: 165211

Fbals wrote:
>
> I am considering buying this handheld scanner and would like some input.
>
> How does it perform against other scanners on VHF/UHF?

Very very well. It's generally better than most.

> How well does it work on shortwave utilities (LSB/USB)?

Very well again. Again it's generally better than
most (handhelds).

> Thanks, Frank

Bill Cheek is one of my mentors. His comments have standing
in my opinion. However, as a contraband Yupi owner I feel
my comments have standing as well. Here are my opinions:

The MVT-7100 is a FINE Multi-Band receiver.

In my opinion it's RF performance BEATS the AOR-8000.

It's reliability is LEGENDARY (in my opinion).

Perhaps the fact that I'm the RF tech for two scanner houses
in my area will lend enough credibility to withstand the
inevitable attacks that Bill Cheek will lay upon me for the
apparent sacrilege that I've commited.

To Bill Cheek: You still the man!

73 to all.
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3489. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <351F21C9.613C@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165212
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hawke wrote:

> I hate to say this, but this is an admission of theft, John

OK, Hawke, how do you figure that?

> Then you reitterated it a second time!!!!! Theft is theft john, no
> matter how you true to flavor or mask it!

And I will now ask a second time, how do you figure it is theft?

> Then they would have an ACTUAL ADDRESS! Since you stated TWICE already

No, they only provided internet access, NOT an e-mail address.
This is COMMONLY done in Libraries, Internet Cafe's, and in the
US Air Force.

> However, it won't be too hard to poke around the news databases
> and disover the actual address you were posting from (they do include
> headers). Your electronic trail is about to lead right back to you!

Go for it then, do it!

> I've seen your type come and go John, and your type always ends up in
> jail because they just had to BRAG!

hehehe, I have seen YOUR type come & go also. Remember, I've been
on this NG for nearly 2 years (which is longer than YOU).

3490. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351F1889.19F9D17A@mcn.org>
Source record: 165213
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

So you think you are a hacker or something? Hack my website. If you are
the marvel you say you are you should be able to find it on your own.

KA0SSF--John wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > > You've have used, and admitted using, over a dozen (actually
> > > seventeen) fictitious and illegal Internet addresses.
>
> How do you figure they are/were illegal Richard?
>
> > > anyplace@nowhere.mil no-place@anywhere.com
> > > No-place@anywhere.org nowhere@anyplace.net
>
> These are NOT legitimate addresses & I stated so at the
> time. It was necessary to use them for the Netscape reader
> because I DID NOT have an internet e-mail address at the time.
>
> > > jomackey@hotmail.com
>
> This WAS a legitimate address for me at one time.
>
> > > mackey@idiots.org
>
> I never used this address, it was a forge.
>
> > > nothing@anywhere.edu nowhere@anyplace.net
> > > no_adress@anywhere.com no.address@anywhere.gov
> > > No-address@No-where.com no_place@any-where.com
> > > no--place@any__where.com no-place@anywhere.net
> > > No--place@any-where.org no-where@no-place.com
> > > nothing@anywhere.edu
>
> These are NOT legitimate addresses & I stated so at the
> time. It was necessary to use them for the Netscape reader
> because I DID NOT have an internet e-mail address at the time.
>
> > > You claim that you were in a work situation where you had T1
> > > access, but no real Internet access.
>
> Correct!
>
> > > In other words, you had

> > > to steal access to gain entry.
>
> WRONG! My job was to test internet systems & digital communications.
> It was my JOB to "gain entry"!
>
> hehehehe, you're just JEALOUS!
>
> > > Using your real name and call sign is only a diversion to
> > > deflect attention from your criminal activity. It's your
> > > little way of making it *look* like you're legitimate.
>
> It is legit, there was no criminal activity.
>
> > > The only thing you've offered to back up your claim that you
> > > had legitimate access, is your word.
>
> Then report me to the authorities & let them investigate!
>
> > > The only way you can prove what you say is true, is to identify
> > > the employer and the specific task or tasks you undertook. When
> > > I say identify the employer, I mean the name, address, telephone
>
> OK, when an investigator contacts me I will give them all that info!

3491. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <351F23D9.6150@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165214

Blake Bowers wrote:

> How is it wrong John? Read what I said. The question pools
> have been available since back in the Dick Bash days. Did I
> say that they were available from the FCC? No. They were
> available from Dick Bash.

What you are referring to was NOT the FCC Questions Pools as
you originally stated. It was a priviate individuals notes
on what the questions were.

There is a slight, but MAJOR difference!

> My point. And then, a few years AFTER that, the nocode license
> became available.
>
> My original post stated this fact, and you have been argueing ever
> since. Is your point only to argue, or are you truly confused?

I understand that this all happened before you were a ham Blake &
that is likely why your data is in error.

First: The Bash Books came out in the early to middle 1980's.

Second: Middle to late 1980's the FCC question Pools were made
public & the VEC groups started taking over testing from the FCC.

Third: The Test element 3 was broken up to 3A & 3B, resulting in the
theory test for technician shrinking to HALF it's original size!

Fourth and LAST: Your above point, the No-code tech license became
available.

Blake, are you going to Dayton this year?

3492. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <351F27FA.7927@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165215

allsafe wrote:

> Geez.....I ain't seen Bill posting around here for weeks. He made a point of
> telling you this was the end. He stuck to it.

Hardly, he posted TODAY trying to cause trouble! Bill is still posting,
he is just going under a fake identity AGAIN! He is using a identity
of "nemesis@parg.org". For your proof, I have copied one of the
path statement of his posting, go look at it yourself
to verify authenticity. Notice the end of the path is "cts.com"
and the "X-CTS-Authuser: bcheek" (found at the botton). Again,
if you don't believe me, then turn on full headers on your
reader program & pull up the message for yourself.

The management team of PARG.ORG is intending to take action
against Mr. Cheek since he is NOT authorized to identify himself
as a part of PARG.ORG!

Path:
spool1!news.sprintisp.com!sprintisp!news-peer-west.sprintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!Spri
nt!newsfeed.direct.ca!news.he.net!newshub.cts.com!relief.cts.com!not-for-mail
From: nemesis@parg.org (Nemesis Non Sequitor)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: today's lesson for loudmouths
Date: Sun, 29 Mar 1998 07:45:52 GMT
Organization: Nemesis, Inc.
Message-ID: <351ffaae.256674567@news2.cts.com>
References: <351c79e4.158156217@news2.cts.com>
Reply-To: nemesis@parg.org
NNTP-Posting-Host: wagasa.cts.com
X-Newsreader: Forte Agent 1.5/32.451
Cache-Post-Path: wagasa.cts.com!unknown@dt022nec.san.rr.com
X-CTS-Authuser: bcheek

> Boy, what a bunch of trash from one who knows how to deliver the goods.
> See, there are WAYS TO CONDUCT ONE'S SELF when one is part of a larger group

SNIP - to perserve bandwidth.

> Blow John! Blow!

CERTAINLY not for you or anyone else you pervert.

3493. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <351F2843.1F1D@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165216

George, you obviously were not paying attention to the thread.
We were talking about other people, NOT me!

George Vetterle wrote:
> Yes, that pretty much sums up your behavior, John. It's about time
> that you starting taking responsibility for your actions, you've been

3494. Athens, Georgia scanner frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ricky Payne <rickypa@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351F1E2C.7A5C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165217

Does anyone have a list of scanner frequencies in the Athens, Georgia
area or know of how I might obtain such a listing on the internet??
Please send info directly to my email address.
Thanks a bunch!
-R Payne
rickypa@ix.netcom.com

3495. Re: is pr0-43 computer programable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <3520710e.2091174@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165218
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 29 Mar 1998 19:16:59 GMT, history67@aol.com (History67) wrote:

>Is the RS Pro-43 remote programable? Are there other remote functions? How is
>this done?
>
>TIA
>
>73 de Sean

You could adapt a Pro-43 scanner to work with either a PROgramit or
CE-232 interfaces. Either one of them requires the same number of
internal connections to the keypad matrix. The PROgramit interface
would be cheaper to build. The internal connections on a Pro-43 is not
the easiest to make. The tends to be a lack of space on this unit.

Wiggie

3496. Re: Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiggie@midusa.net
Message-ID: <351e6c15.818129@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165219
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 28 Mar 1998 12:21:04 -0500, "Radio Daze"
<40-year-old-fool@nowhere.man> wrote:

>I was searching the UHF band on my handheld scanner about 6pm yesterday, and
>it stopped on 459.975. I heard a woman with a very cute-sounding voice
>speaking. At first, I thought it might be a dispatcher of a wrecker or
>security service, but then I noticed that she didn't break the carrier when
>she finished speaking. A few seconds later, she started talking again, as if
>she was responding to a voice that I couldn't hear. Then I realized that I
>was listening to one side of some kind of phone call. I kept listening, and
>she said something about "waiting for her lawyers to get the deal from
>Warner Brothers." In the information I got from the 60 seconds I listened, I
>realized that she was more than likely a famous singer, she had her young
>child with her, and she was talking to her husband on the phone. Suddenly,
>the carrier ended and the scanner started searching again.
>
>Does anyone have any ideas about what I was hearing? There are no
>celebrities anywhere near where I live. However, there is a major
>north-south highway nearby. Could this be some sort of mobile phone? Could
>it have been a telephone call from a airplane? Any other possibilities?
>
>
On Sat, 28 Mar 1998 17:04:56 -0500, tudedog@webtv.net (byte me) wrote:

>telephones on private planes..from approx. 459.7 - 460.00 mhz...you will
>only hear the person on the plane...

This can also be commercial planes also. You will usually find the
other half of the conversation 5MHz away. 454.9 and 459.9MHz tends to
be a common one that I hear traffic on. I haven't taken the time to
track it down, but usually you might hear a pilot telling a
wife/girlfriend/etc. about what his flight schedule is going to be
like.

Wiggie

3497. Re: Scanners with EEPROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Kennedy <terry@spcunb.spc.edu>
Message-ID: <EqKErB.JIv@spcuna.spc.edu>
Source record: 165247

hurst_m@hotmail.com writes:
> I'm considering using some type of computer interface to automatically program
> channels into my Pro-26. However, I've heard that this scanner uses EEPROM
> chips for memory, which can only be reprogrammed a certain number of times.
> IF I used my computer to routinely reprogram the scanner's memory, will the
> memory chips really wear out?

Disclaimer: I don't know anything about the specific chips in your scanner.
However, early EEPROM chips were limited in the number of reprogramming
cycles they could support without errors. For the early devices, this was
usually in the 5000 to 10000 cycle range. Modern parts have greatly improved
this, with > 100000 cycles being commonplace. If you want to know the design
expectation for your specific part, you'll need to look it up in the vendor's
databook.

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3498. Re: Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <351DE46C.786EF30F@mich.com>
Source record: 165248

5MHz splits, so the ground transmits in the 454MHz area.

ClaytonF_Gibbs wrote:

> On 28 Mar 1998, Darrell A. Larose wrote:
>
> >
> > "Radio Daze" (40-year-old-fool@nowhere.man) writes:
> > > I was searching the UHF band on my handheld scanner about 6pm yesterday, and
> > > it stopped on 459.975. I heard a woman with a very cute-sounding voice
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>SNIP>>king.
>
> > Sounds like a "phone-patch" on a business band two-way radio. You can get
> > a 2-way radio with a keypad that allows you to make phone calls. Pretty
> > common for HAMS. Our local newpaper photographers had this feature on their
> > hand-held radios, they would often use it to phone ahead for a photo-op.
> > They already had the radio system, so the add-on was cheaper than issuing
> > cell phones (another thing for the photogs to lug around!)
>
> I'd have to go with an "airphone" on this one. Many private lear jets use
> the 459.6(?)-459.975 range for air/ground duplex phones. You were
> receiving the aircraft side of the convo. The ground side has
> transmitters/receivers on different freqs. 457mhz range maybe?
>
> Clay

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Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

3499. Re: EDCO Electronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032907164401.CAA26998@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165249

Moose,

EDCO specializes in commercial and government sales and service. Their retail/hobby branch, EEB, went out of business at the end of 1997. I called recently about some repair work and I was told there would be a three to four month turnaround time. Unfortunately, they're the only AOR repair shop I know of.

John Ward

3500. BC-200XLT How do I reset processor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Jilek <jilek@customdata.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5ade$41f8b5e0$a6aa90d0@ryanhome>
Source record: 165250

Can anyone tell me how you reset the processor on a Uniden BC-200XLT? Any help greatly appreciated.
Ryan

3501. Re: Scanners with EEPROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351df469.255069479@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165251

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering / World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:

> I'm considering using some type of computer interface to automatically program
> channels into my Pro-26. However, I've heard that this scanner uses EEPROM
> chips for memory, which can only be reprogrammed a certain number of times.
> IF I used my computer to routinely reprogram the scanner's memory, will the
> memory chips really wear out?

Modern EEPROM has limits far beyond what you're
ever likely to push.....like 10,000 writes or so.
Maybe even more.......

Older NVRAM was kind of limited, but you're not
likely to ever run into it in scanners. Modems
typically used NVRAM.

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3502. Re: Red Thunder ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hazmat910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980329074419O1.CAA02386@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165252

In article <19980329035043O0.WAA01722@ladder03.news.aol.com>, davidshat@aol.com (DAVIDSHAT) writes:

>Listening in N.W. Ohio. Freq. 148.150 and listened to A small part of A >conversation. There were A couple people using the name red thunder 600, and >red thunder 7. Does anyone have any idea what I might have been listening to?

Freqs from 148 to 149.8 are US Govt, assigned locally. Most likely you heard Coast Guard or Air Force Operations. You could determine which by a closer look at your location. If you are near a large body of water it is likely that you heard a CG unit. If you are not then it is probably an Air Force unit.

John

3503. Re: FS/PRO-2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbatina@infinet.com
Message-ID: <D0nT.101$Yj.3108141@news2>
Source record: 165253

Hawke (proudhawk@pop.phnx.uswest.net) wrote:
: Considering that when they were closed out by rad shack, they sold for
: $179.00????
: I MIGHT give you $120.00 for it (better include the service manual).

Oh be quiet... everyone and their brother knows that when a scanner has
a cell mod, that it can go for above $150 - especially when it's a nice
quality (imho) 200 channel scanner like the 2022.

: John Sanders wrote:
: >
: > HAVE A REAL NICE PRO-2022 200CH TABLE SCANNER W/CELLULAR FOR $160.00
: > SHIPPED...TNX...JOHN

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http://www.infinet.com/~rbatina - Robert J Batina - rbatina@infinet.com
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3504. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: nemesis@parg.org
Message-ID: <351ffaae.256674567@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165254

@cts.com
Organization: Nemesis, Inc.
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: nemesis@parg.org
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

gdfthr768@aol.com (Gdfthr768) wrote:

> >There are no "rights" associated with the Usenet.
> >If you can get access, then you can post.

> Boy, what a bunch of trash from one who knows how to deliver the goods.
> See, there are WAYS TO CONDUCT ONE'S SELF when one is part of a larger group
> of people,

Ohhhh, I see. And YOU are the one to tell people
HOW to conduct themselves?

> and your extremely teenager-like idea of posting whatever you wish
> in any group, regardless of content or conscience, does not fit AT ALL into a
> "democracy".

Are you dense? The Usenet and maillists are not democracies.

> >He discovered that he needn't be victimized by a
> >ruthless, imbecilic majority who didn't know the
> >difference between an anarchy and a democracy, and
> >who went on to act like they didn't know.

> Here you go again... do you know what the story was there? Oh, yes, I forgot,
> the crackpot/self-styled gemius always thinks the rest of the world is the
> "imbecilic majority", and no one will sway him.

No, not the rest of the world. Just a small
minority.....like you, ferinstance.

> And here we see the colors of the man. Bill Cheek, scanner-king. Pontificator
> of the first order, an island unto himself. Right.

Right. At least I don't need YOU in the scheme
of Life and things. You more like a pissant
scurrying around on the edge of a urinal.

> When faced with ANY kind of argument, whether it
> is a strong or weak argument, he fails to make a point

Ohhhhh, I think I made THIS point well enough.
But in plain English, which is over your head,

YOU don't count.

> and resorts to insults which are not even clever
> enough to be funny,

They're not supposed to be funny. There is nothing
funny about your sickness......just your antics.

> and once more shows us what sorry shape his head is in.
> Bill, when you're the expert who's not an expert, it's
> pretty rough isn't it?

Not when there are the likes of you to deal with. You
make it easy.

> Signed, Ignats

Ahhhhh, so you DO understand a little.....

Good.

3505. Re: Red Thunder ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <solmst@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <351DDB2B.A3CE6898@yahoo.com>
Source record: 165255

You were listening to the Civil Air Patrol, an auxiliary branch of the Air Force.

Here is their web site... http://www.cap.af.mil/

DAVIDSHAT wrote:

> Listening in N.W. Ohio. Freq. 148.150 and listened to A small part of A
> conversation. There were A couple people using the name red thunder 600, and
> red thunder 7. Does anyone have any idea what I might have been listening to?
> Thanks !

3506. Re: Red Thunder ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <solmst@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <351DDB62.7D1737A4@yahoo.com>
Source record: 165256

You were listening to the Civil Air Patrol, an auxiliary branch of the Air Force.

Here is their web site... http://www.cap.af.mil/

DAVIDSHAT wrote:

> Listening in N.W. Ohio. Freq. 148.150 and listened to A small part of A
> conversation. There were A couple people using the name red thunder 600, and
> red thunder 7. Does anyone have any idea what I might have been listening to?
> Thanks !

3507. Re: Red Thunder ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Madore <greg.madore@fairchildsemi.com>
Message-ID: <351E1EBA.2912@fairchildsemi.com>
Source record: 165257

Dave

What you heard was the Civil Air Patrol.

Also listen on 143.990.

148.150 /143.990 is usualy paired as a repeater.

DAVIDSHAT wrote:
>
> Listening in N.W. Ohio. Freq. 148.150 and listened to A small part of A
> conversation. There were A couple people using the name red thunder 600, and
> red thunder 7. Does anyone have any idea what I might have been listening to?
> Thanks !

3508. Re: AOR RECIEVERS ON SALE SALES ENDS APRIL 30TH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032911435401.GAA09960@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165258

>Subject: AOR RECIEVERS ON SALE SALES ENDS APRIL 30TH
>From: Radio City Communications <alcyone@mail1.nai.net>
>Date: Sat, Mar 28, 1998 17:08 EST
>Message-id: <351D74D2.56E38316@mail1.nai.net>
>
>The AR 8000 is $679.99 you save $ 69.99

You can save $279.99 if you buy the scanner from Bandercom.

3509. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032911543801.GAA13335@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165259

>Subject: Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?
>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>Date: Sat, Mar 28, 1998 21:18 EST
>Message-id: <1998032902184700.VAA16229@ladder03.news.aol.com>

Obladee-Fada raved a bunch of illiterate blather and fabrication while foaming
at the mouth to which I reply:

Yawn.

3510. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032911564601.GAA10502@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165260

>Subject: Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?
>From: obfd@aol.com (OBFD)
>Date: Sat, Mar 28, 1998 21:21 EST
>Message-id: <1998032902215401.VAA13756@ladder01.news.aol.com>

Obladee-Fada posted still more mad dog, foam-at-the-mouth, lunatic ravings and lies to which I reply:

You are buffoon.

3511. FS: AR1000+ full coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: cu050@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <6fle5u$6aq$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 165261
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

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Ace AR1000,
1000 memories,
500Khz - 1300 kHz unblocked coverage,
W/case, whip, charger, in box,
Asking $245 plus shipping for this classic scanner
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3512. PRO 62 for trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: SKYHAWK <sky444@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6flgfg$rd@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165262

Lookin for a 56 Voice/data/fax modem and some 72 pinn memory......

3513. Looking for

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <bwe12@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6flgkh$ri8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165263
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi All,

I'm looking for a product called RadioRest or Radio Rest or something similar...

It's was a nice (very nice) holder/support for hand held 2mtr gear, portable scanners, etc. I saw them at a swap meet, didn't buy it at the time, and now I can't find them anywhere - the story of my life :)))

I believe it's called RadioRest. Can anyone help me out?

I just a new hand held trunk tracker and want to show it off in style :)

Thanks for any assistance.

Bill

3514. Re: Looking for

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nordel Spinweinne <platfork@bendmix.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5b16$699ac240$489192ce@default>
Source record: 165264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You seem like a nice fellow so I will bend a nice holder for you out of coat hangers and will only charge you a small fashioning and handling fee of $39.95. Ok?

Bill <bwe12@aol.com> wrote in article
<6flgkh$ri8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
> Hi All,
>
> I'm looking for a product called RadioRest or Radio Rest or something
> similar...
>
> It's was a nice (very nice) holder/support for hand held 2mtr gear,
> portable scanners, etc. I saw them at a swap meet, didn't buy it at the
> time, and now I can't find them anywhere - the story of my life :)))
>
> I believe it's called RadioRest. Can anyone help me out?
>
> I just a new hand held trunk tracker and want to show it off in style :)
>
> Thanks for any assistance.
>
> Bill
>

3515. Yupiteru MVT-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: fbals@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032914145001.JAA24049@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165265

I am considering buying this handheld scanner and would like some input.

How does it perform against other scanners on VHF/UHF?

How well does it work on shortwave utilities (LSB/USB)?

Thanks, Frank

3516. FS BC760 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: summitrt@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032914215300.JAA21895@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165266

100 channel mobile scanner, LB, VHF, UHF & full 800 mhz. Excellent condition.
$150.

3517. BC200 xlt help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: panthers@i-plus.net
Message-ID: <351E589E.734527C4@i-plus.net>
Source record: 165267

How do I clear a frequency from memory? If I enter a "0" and then hit "E" (enter), I get "error". What am I doing wrong.

3518. Re: Scantenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rocketwrks@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980329143731O1.JAA23656@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165268

I'm interested in a Scantenna. Can someone email me with an address of any location with the best price? Also I would like to know the length of this antenna.

-Ray

3519. AOR-5000 PLUS Comments Please!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anna & Phil <philc@pathcom.com>
Message-ID: <6flkro$581$1@newsmaster.pathcom.com>
Source record: 165269

I am looking for any information on the AOR-5000 or AOR-5000 PLUS (Good or Bad Comments).

Thanks,

Phil.......

3520. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351e5b45.281405447@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165270

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

fbals@aol.com (Fbals) wrote:

> I am considering buying this handheld scanner and would like some input.
> How does it perform against other scanners on VHF/UHF?
> How well does it work on shortwave utilities (LSB/USB)?

Yupiteru radios are not certified for import
or sale in the USA, so if you were to snag one,
you would, in effect, have to smuggle it in.

"Everyone else is doing it", so there is an air
of complacency about it. Apparently US Customs
doesn't know or doesn't care about the FCC's
certification requirements for receivers right
now. So it would "seem" that you are "safe".

Things like that used to seem safe on the CB Radio
scene, too. Then one day, WHAMMO! Customs and
the FCC got together and consulted, with the result
that the party was over for the complacent ones.
Painfully and unpleasantly, I might add.....

Factor in that scenario and the law, along with
the obvious fact that Yupiteru doesn't care enough
about the US Market to get their wares certified
for sale here. Service and technical support will
be non-existent or expensive.

Then, consider how your hard earned money will
find its way over to some European dinner plate
and retirement fund...and otherwise enhance a
foreign market while the radio scene here in the
USA continues to languish and stagnate.

Points to ponder, even as you look at the Yupi
technical specifications and performance reports.

The broader picture merits your scrutiny, too; not
just a few gratifying facets.

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3521. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032916112200.LAA06155@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165271

>Subject: Yupiteru MVT-7100
>From: fbals@aol.com (Fbals)
>Date: Sun, Mar 29, 1998 09:14 EST
>Message-id: <1998032914145001.JAA24049@ladder03.news.aol.com>

>How does it perform against other scanners on VHF/UHF?
>
>How well does it work on shortwave utilities (LSB/USB)?

It's a terrific scanner, esp. for the money (about $300). It is easily one of the most sensitive that I have owned and with a replacement antenna, like the Radio Shack whip ($10) you won't find anything significantly better in handheld. I like it better than the AOR8000 that I once owned, although it lacks computer programmability, which I think is very useful.

I did not find the SW listening to be particularly remarkable, even with a long wire, however. That seems true for any handheld that attempts to be an all-purpose radio. If you want to listen to SW more than occasionally, I recommend getting a SW radio.

It's one of the easiest scanners that I have tried to program--that's a big consideration with any 1000 channel job, I think.

3522. Re: Scantenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032916143500.LAA09577@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165272

>Subject: Re: Scantenna
>From: rocketwrks@aol.com (Rocketwrks)
>Date: Sun, Mar 29, 1998 09:37 EST
>Message-id: <1998032914373101.JAA23656@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
>I'm interested in a Scantenna. Can someone email me with an address of any

That's Grove's antenna... so try www.grove.net. It's about four feet long (it mounts vertically). I believe that RS recently started selling something similar but I don't have any first experience with it. The Scantenna is a very good value--I have mine in the attic and I could not be more pleased with its performance (and I've tried a couple of others, including a discone and some home-made jobs).

3523. Up state South Carolina

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: s.hood@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35227545.318830840@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 165273

Im looking for a scanner club, or people online to share up state freq.

Steve H

3524. FreeTracker 2.0 released (BC895 TrunkTracker Software)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <9A717810DBDC1070.09E1018FA0968FBC.3B150E8BF8206B75@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 165274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

http://www.AutoWinNet.com/freetrack.html

* Supports up to 25,000 "Virtual Channels" which are like the radio's normal channels, but add Callsign, Description, Color (for activity log), Alarm, location, hit count, and more. VChannels can be scanned for activity, or stored into your BC895

* Descriptions - You can store Descriptions, Callsigns, and Locations for frequencies and Trunk Talkgroups/ID's. When that freq/talkgroup appears, a description is shown, along with Callsign, City/State, etc

* Alarms - A Wav file can be assigned (or speaker beep) to certain freq/talkgroups, a Bitmap, a custom Script or a .RTF file that pops up while that freq/group is active. For example, have all local police codes shown when a certain police channel comes alive. I just added some Cool bitmaps that appear with local police and fire stations

* Colorful charts and graphs show you what frequencies/talkgroups are most active

* Powerful script language lets you create your own scripts, then run them at any time.

* PerCon database lookups from their web page (stored as html) can be imported. Also imports from Grove, Probe, and PerCon Dbf files!

* Drag and Drop channel editing - throw any database entry to a channel, or vice versa. If that frequency is already assigned, it zooms to the channel # to avoid a duplication

* Activity Report is color coded - you can assign any color to any specific freq/talkgroup, plus bolded text

* Search Ranges - you can store up to 2,000 search ranges, then double-click them to activate an immediate search of that frequency range

* All BC895 keys are supported, allowing a virtual radio on your desktop

* FreeTracker can be minimized as a TrayIcon, with a feature-rich right-click menu for easy access to popular functions

* Database-editing in a simple grid. Click the record you want, and change any value. Menu allows selecting any record to zoom to that frequency.

* Communicate with your radio interactively - type any command in, and see the response.

* Power users can utilize the quick-command box. Simply key in a command word to change frequencies, channels, scan, hold, search, manual, etc.

Example Syntax:
f15189 tunes radio into frequency 151.890
c56 takes scanner to channel 56
Up arrow emulates SCAN key
Down arrow = Manual
Right arrow = Search
Left arrow = Hold
... plus about 50 more powerful commands

* Export all scanner channels/freqs to a text file or Dbase, then import back into the scanner at a later date.

* Complete logging to a file, or printing

* Export your VChannel/talkgroup database to a HTML file for posting on your favorite web page.

* Multiple copies can be run for multiple BC895 scanners

3525. Antique Radios & Test Equipment 4 Sale CHEAP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dean <deanntx@e-tex.com>
Message-ID: <351E9B4E.43434084@e-tex.com>
Source record: 165275

Hello everyone!

I have just got through adding a lot more antique radios to the site. All of them have pictures now, so there is no mestique as to what they look like. I have also added a few Test Equipment items as well. Remember, these radios are offered as is with no warranty or guarantee if they work or not. Some are missing knobs, cases, power cords, microphones or whatever. I have priced these radios and such very VERY CHEAP!
These radios are for the collectors out there that want to rebuild, restore or just to tinker with some of the older equipment, and as you will see, they are priced to sell.
We have already sold quite a lot of these old radios to a lot of you out there, so make sure you check the list out again, for it has some interesting stuff on it as well.
I want to also add that there is a new REGISTERED room on the IRC that you can chat with other people with the same interests as you, RADIOS! I

know a lot of the hams out there do not like to associate with CB'ers and vice versa, but hey, we all started with that junky old CB that is long gone now.
The name of the room is #CB_Radio, and it is located on the Undernet group of servers.
It is up 7 days a week, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year now. If you are just lurking, or want to buy, sell, trade, swap, wish for or whatever your need be, this Chat Room will be a good place to start. Don't let the name of the room fool you, for it is for everyone that has an interest in some kind of radio communication.
Again, the name of the room is "#CB_Radio", and is located on the Undernet group of servers. If you need software to access the IRC, you can get the latest copy of "mIRC" on our website.
If you would like to take a look at some of the Antique Radios that we have, click or go to the URL below.

http://www.e-tex.com/cbcity

Thanks for taking the time to read this entire message. I hope that I did not offend many of you. I am not out to try and make a killing with all this, in fact I am probably taking a loss, for I am sure these radios cost us a lot more than what we are selling them for.

73's

Dean
http://www.e-tex.com/cbcity

3526. Re: BC200 xlt help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Simmont <simmont@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <351E8707.1B58@extremezone.com>
Source record: 165276

panthers@i-plus.net wrote:
>
> How do I clear a frequency from memory? If I enter a "0" and then hit
> "E" (enter), I get "error". What am I doing wrong.

The BC200xlt is not capable of deleting the frequency back to zero like most scanners. So what you have to do is either enter a frequency that you hardly use (i.e. 30.000 & lock out that channel) or Lock out the frequency you don't want. The other alturnative is to reprogram the scanner, but that is a little time consuming for just one channel :)

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CHARLES SIMMONT ICP509/DISPATCHER
INCIDENT COMMAND PAGE OF ARIZONA
ARIZONA'S PUBLIC SAFETY INCIDENT NOTIFICATION SYSTEM
http://www.axtek.com/n7qyk/icp.html

OTHER NOTIFICATION SYSTEMS
http://www.axtek.com/n7qyk/icp/other.html

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3527. Re: BC-200XLT How do I reset processor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Simmont <simmont@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <351E876B.683D@extremezone.com>
Source record: 165277

Ryan Jilek wrote:
>
> Can anyone tell me how you reset the processor on a Uniden BC-200XLT? Any
> help greatly appreciated.
> Ryan

With the scanner in the OFF position, hold down the MANUAL key, the #9
key, and the #2 key, and turn the scanner on while holding down these
buttons. This will errase all programed frequencies and search limits
from the scanner.

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SPECIFIED.

3528. Realistic Pro-43 still for sale -- $140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: erikd@icehouse.net
Message-ID: <6fm5tnjja1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165278

Still have it for sale... Email me at erikd@icehouse.net or you can call me at 509-325-2433 for details.

Erik

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3529. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <351E9447.1126@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165279

Well said, very well said.

My hat is off to you!

Gdfthr768 wrote:
> And here we see the colors of the man. Bill Cheek, scanner-king. Pontificator
> of the first order, an island unto himself. Right.
> When faced with ANY kind of argument, whether it is a strong or weak argument,
> he fails to make a point and resorts to insults which are not even clever
> enough to be funny, and once more shows us what sorry shape his head is in.

x

3530. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <351E985E.5296@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165280

Blake Bowers wrote:

> On 26 Mar 1998 20:00:58 GMT, obfd@aol.com (OBFD) wrote:
> >What you say here may be said with EQUAL support regarding Mr. Mackey's equally
> >offensive nemesis, Mr. Cheek.

> Actually, not. John seems to have amassed a quite a bit of lack of
> support.

Wrong, Blake!

I have a lot of support. Infact, a few weeks ago I was at the Puyallup
ham fest in Tacoma, Washington. On two occasions individuals
congratulated me
on how I have handled Cheek here, one saying "it couldn't happen
to a better guy".

Blake, are you going to Dayton this year?

3531. FL. Nat. Wildlife Refuge Freq Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032918034301.NAA22688@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165281

I am looking for the frequency used byt Ding Darling National Wildlife Refuge on Sanibel Island in Florida. If you know what the frequency is please let me know.

73
Zack
N8FNR

3532. Re: Red Thunder ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: garretw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980329182024O1.NAA25146@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165282

It could also be a CAP (Civil Air Patrol) freq, which are involved in search missions.

3533. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <351E9CA6.4720@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165283
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> > You've have used, and admitted using, over a dozen (actually
> > seventeen) fictitious and illegal Internet addresses.

How do you figure they are/were illegal Richard?

> > anyplace@nowhere.mil no-place@anywhere.com
> > No-place@anywhere.org nowhere@anyplace.net

These are NOT legitimate addresses & I stated so at the
time. It was necessary to use them for the Netscape reader
because I DID NOT have an internet e-mail address at the time.

> > jomackey@hotmail.com

This WAS a legitimate address for me at one time.

> > mackey@idiots.org

I never used this address, it was a forge.

> > nothing@anywhere.edu nowhere@anyplace.net
> > no_adress@anywhere.com no.address@anywhere.gov
> > No-address@No-where.com no_place@any-where.com
> > no--place@any__where.com no-place@anywhere.net
> > No--place@any-where.org no-where@no-place.com
> > nothing@anywhere.edu

These are NOT legitimate addresses & I stated so at the
time. It was necessary to use them for the Netscape reader
because I DID NOT have an internet e-mail address at the time.

> > You claim that you were in a work situation where you had T1
> > access, but no real Internet access.

Correct!

> > In other words, you had
> > to steal access to gain entry.

WRONG! My job was to test internet systems & digital communications.
It was my JOB to "gain entry"!

hehehehe, you're just JEALOUS!

> > Using your real name and call sign is only a diversion to
> > deflect attention from your criminal activity. It's your

> > little way of making it *look* like you're legitimate.

It is legit, there was no criminal activity.

> > The only thing you've offered to back up your claim that you
> > had legitimate access, is your word.

Then report me to the authorities & let them investigate!

> > The only way you can prove what you say is true, is to identify
> > the employer and the specific task or tasks you undertook. When
> > I say identify the employer, I mean the name, address, telephone

OK, when an investigator contacts me I will give them all that info!

3534. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <351E9D17.784@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165284

Many sore losers try to drag down those who are successful leaders.

That is exactly what has happened here!

MAlexder wrote:
> Congratulations, oh wise one. You and John, whom you adore so much, now lead
> the list of having the most cancelled news posts. Oh course, you would have to

3535. Re: Jummpers !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6fm5kq$6l5@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 165285
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Larry Townsend (Larry.Townsend@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com) edited and wrote:
> On 28 Mar 98 13:20:23, Darrell A. Larose revealed his ignorance with:
>
> DA> All scanners do this!!! Scanners like any other radio can be detected
> DA> using VERY SENSITIVE recievers that can detect the RF and IF oscillators
>
> I've heard of local oscillators, vertical and horizontal oscillators,
> color oscillators, and a few others, but I have never seen referrance
> to an RF or IF oscillator. Have you invented some new circuit? Do
> you hold a patent on something?
>
Scanners do have IF, and RF stages, TV's don't. But seeing how you edited
my article, I thought I would attempt to clarify...

> ... He fell out of the Stupid tree and hit every branch on the way down.

EXCUSE ME! I am not an electronics technician, so I may have incorrectly
labeled the internal parts of A SCANNER. But the simple fact is TV recievers
can be detected, up here in Canada the police have radar-detector detectors
(they can find people using radar detectors!) My point was a scanner can
be detected using similar methods that th UK GPO uses to find unlicenced TV
sets... Even your PC puts out RF signals! I can pick up my scanner with my
old Hallicrafters reciever. When I tune down to the IF freq of my scanner
I get a beat signal on the SW reciever...

Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

"Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

3536. Re: UNBLOCK YOUR AR5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick <nospampatrickn@idir.net>
Message-ID: <351e83e6.0@news5.kcdata.com>
Source record: 165286
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,de.alt.radio-scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

site does not exist!

The GB wrote in message ...
>For details see:
>
>www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Horizon/9163/5000.htm
>
>
>Regards from The Netherlands...
>
>
>
>

3537. Windsor,Ont.800mhz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjhealy <pjhealy@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <351EA3A9.E3181F3E@concentric.net>
Source record: 165287

If someone could either e-mail me or give me a location to find Windsor
,Ontario police and fire 800 mhz numbers I would appreciate it. Thank
you
PJ

3538. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: gumballs@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fm8rl$95q$1@newsd-164.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165288

what would be so different about it that it could not be sold in the u.s.a.

3539. Re: Scanners with EEPROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adam Lane <alane@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <351EB2A5.6800@thegrid.net>
Source record: 165289

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> hurst_m@hotmail.com wrote:
>
> > I'm considering using some type of computer interface to automatically program
> > channels into my Pro-26. However, I've heard that this scanner uses EEPROM
> > chips for memory, which can only be reprogrammed a certain number of times.
> > IF I used my computer to routinely reprogram the scanner's memory, will the
> > memory chips really wear out?

It depends on the microcontroller (or EEPROM chip) they use.

For example, the 16C84 microcontroller has EEPROM for both
program storage and data storage.

The data storage is rated a minimum of 1 million cycles, typically
10 million.

The program storage, however, is rated a minimum of 100 cycles,
typically 1,000.

What's the difference? The physical construction of the memory
cell. Simply stated, there is a layer of "insulation" that
gets "broken down" as an EEPROM cell gets reprogrammed. When this
layer ceases to insulate properly, the cell will not retain it's state.

I'd expect that your particular EEPROM can be trusted for more than
1 million cycles or so...the scanner will be quite old by then. If
you can post a part number, I might be able to post the exact specs.

If you are really concerned, you should do the math...assume a 20
year lifetime of the scanner, and calculate how many times you
will reprogram each location over the years. Keep this number under
100,000 and you will probably never have a failure. Or, if you
program at a higher rate, calculate the number of years before you
sell the used scanner (in "mint" condition, of course :>).

3540. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351eb8fa.4479518@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165290

On Sun, 29 Mar 1998 11:12:23 -0800, KA0SSF--John
<jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net> wrote:

>Many sore losers try to drag down those who are successful leaders.
>
>That is exactly what has happened here!

Yes, that pretty much sums up your behavior, John. It's about time
that you starting taking responsibility for your actions, you've been
in denial far too long.

George L. Vetterle
geovet@ix.netcom.com
geovet@worldnet.att.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

3541. Re: Programming the Trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-vp9YoYHidY97@localhost>
Source record: 165291

Bill,

Nice find! How long did it take you to figure that one out?

Thanks for the effort.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

3542. Re: FS/PRO-2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: SP <sphipps@NOSPAM.clandjop.com>
Message-ID: <351ebcc0.0@206.102.184.13>
Source record: 165292

You're not out of line on the price. $150 to $175 for a nice 2022 is about average. Radio Shack's closeout price is really not valid here since these older scanners are cell capable which gives them considerable value compared to today's scanner offerings.

SP

Hawke wrote in message <351DAEAA.2EBE2F27@pop.phnx.uswest.net>...
>Considering that when they were closed out by rad shack, they sold for
>$179.00????
>
>I MIGHT give you $120.00 for it (better include the service manual).
>
>John Sanders wrote:
>>
>> HAVE A REAL NICE PRO-2022 200CH TABLE SCANNER W/CELLULAR FOR $160.00
>> SHIPPED...TNX...JOHN

3543. REQ:ICOM IC-R10 XXXXXTANKSXXXXX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dinix@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <351ec2b6.1696822@news.telepac.pt>
Source record: 165293

It will be that there is possibility of my scaner to come to receive
above the 1.3Ghz
Will there be some software for that?
It would like that somebody that understands the subject answers me.

I am technical of electronica and hi liked to have contact with
somebody to change knowledge
and if possible software.
I am more linked at the gsm(900Mhz). and I have some programs of a lot
of interest for change

dinix@hotmail.com

3544. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: John A Gruber <KB2VOJ@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6fmhjfqea1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 165294
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Radio Shack Pro 26 200 channel handheld. Good condition, manual, belt clip, antenna. $150

Relm HS200 200 channel handheld. Good condition, box, manual, belt clip, antenna. $150

Thanks,
John

3545. FS: PRO-34/$100 and BC100XLT/$60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Ulrich <ulrich@null.net>
Message-ID: <6fmhe5$kj@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165295

PRO-34:
Good condition. 200ch, VHF Hi/Lo, UHF, 800MHz, air. Sorry, no manual.

BC100XLT:
Good condition. 100ch, VHF Hi/Lo, UHF, air. Manual included. AC adapter.

Contact me via email. I'll pay shipping charges.

Andy Ulrich

3546. Re: Jummpers !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: neutrodyne@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032900104300.TAA23416@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165325

That's how they pay for the BBC. Radios too! If I am out of date, I'm sure I will be corrected.

.>You need a license to operate a TV in the uk?

3547. Programming the Trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032900205301.TAA27784@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165326

I've been playing around with a Radio Shack PRO-90 Trunk Tracker. As you know, the "Tracker" stores its Type II talkgroups as a decimal number. If I were asked to give you
a list of talkgroups on our system, I'd give you something like this:

800003 --- Water and Gas Department
800005 --- City Wide Common
800045 --- Madison Parish Mutual Aid
801027 --- Police Primary
as this is the notation that is used by the Motorola SmartZone Controller.

The Trunktracker, however, stores and these same talkgroups as:

48 --- Water and Gas Department
80 --- City Wide Common
720 -- Madison Parish Mutual Aid
16432 -- Police Primary

Now...if you can come up with talkgroup listing locally, how do you convert it from the 6 digit format to something the tracker can use?

First delete the 8 and all the zeros up to the first non-zero character, in other words, subtract 800000 from the value

800003 becomes 3
800005 becomes 5
800045 becomes 45
801027 becomes 1027

Now Convert each of the new values to HEX.

Now we have 0x3, 0x5, 0x2d, and 0x403.

Multiple each value by 0x10 (add a zero at the end).

Now you have:
0x30, 0x50, 0x2d0, and 0x4030.

Convert back to decimal and we have:
48, 80, 720, and 16432..Values the Tracker can use.

Bill Ford, WB5SXK
Systems Administrator
City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
Email: wb5sxk@amsat.org

3548. Re: 50R mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: chilcog@cdsnet.net
Message-ID: <351d9544.0@news.cvc.net>
Source record: 165327

Here is a great site for Yaesu FT-50R Mods. It even includes good photos of the inside.

http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm

Good Luck!

Greg

In article <6fh4jm$5ag$2@hecate.umd.edu>, jforrest@csc.umd.edu says...
>
>Help,
>
>I have a Yaesu FT-50R handheld. I've read of a mod which requires
>desoldering a jumper on the back.
>
>I believe it's the jumper on the left. Is this correct?
>
>Also, what is the keystroke sequence to reinitialize?
>
>Thanks,
>John

3549. Re: Jummpers !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Kennedy <terry@spcunb.spc.edu>
Message-ID: <EqK0KJ.553@spcuna.spc.edu>
Source record: 165328
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In rec.radio.scanner Jack <kryppy_nospam@bellsouth.net> wrote:
> You need a license to operate a TV in the uk?

Yes. Unlike the US tradition where the airwaves are [were] public property, in the UK they are not and you need a license.

This (among others) is one of the reasons some people are opposed to listening restrictions and equipment frequency range restrictions in the US. If not vigorously opposed, US citizens will only be allowed to listen to narrow ranges of frequencies permitted by the government, and the users of other bands will have the illusion of privacy (not real privacy).

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3550. FS- Unblocked AOR 3000A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fk4s5$s4a@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165329
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>>
>>>I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>>>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>>>the radio has never been used outdoors.
>>>
>>>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>>>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>>>following:
>>>
>>>* Software and computer cable
>>>* AC adaptor
>>>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>>>* Telescopic whip antenna
>>>
>>>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>>>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
>>
>

3551. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdfthr768@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032900475800.TAA02014@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165330

>It all boils down to, If you don't like it, don't read it.

Once again, here is the " I can post whatever the hell I want, and screw the rest of you" attitude shown by so many people in these groups

>I'm sure even your POS aol newsreader has a next key

And again, here is the usual response from such people to those who would disagree with the aforementioned attitude... an insult for no reason (and to my newsreader, too! Gee, that sure hurts me.....NOT!) and they've run out of any real arguments.
Sure, I can hit the next message, and usually I do. But if, as you and Bill and so many others say, I can read/post whatever the hell I want, than you have to take it just as much as I.
You didn't have to read my posts either.
Smile, God loves you.
Mike in MO.

3552. Anyone have current freq's for Portland Oregon "Feds"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter <comsat@cnnw.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5aae$3bf408a0$25593fd1@notebook>
Source record: 165331

Hello, looking for some "real" person who has found current federal or interesting freq's in the Portland - Metro Area other than trunked freq's.

Thanks,
Peter

3553. Trade Icom 7100A Shortwave for Icom 7000 or 7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter <comsat@cnnw.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5aaf$31863ea0$25593fd1@notebook>
Source record: 165332

Hello, have a mint condition tripple conversion icom R717A receiver with upgraded SSB filters. Looking for good used Icom R7100 or R7000 pref with computer interface. May throw in some extras or a handheld scanner in the deal depending on circumstances.

Thanks,
Peter

3554. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032901594301.UAA13203@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165333

>Once again, here is the " I can post whatever the hell I want, and screw the
>rest of you" attitude shown by so many people in these groups
>
>
>>I'm sure even your POS aol newsreader has a next key
>
>And again, here is the usual response from such people to those who would
>disagree with the aforementioned attitude... an insult for no reason (and to
>my newsreader, too! Gee, that sure hurts me.....NOT!) and they've run out of
>any real arguments.
>Sure, I can hit the next message, and usually I do. But if, as you and Bill
>and so many others say, I can read/post whatever the hell I want, than you
>have
>to take it just as much as I.
>You didn't have to read my posts either.
>Smile, God loves you.
>Mike in MO

Amen,

Too bad the above named infants can't understand true reason.

Even MACKEY seems to understand that much (sometimes) which is better than
NO-TIMES (Bill, Max, MALexder, etc...)

3555. Re: Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032902061600.VAA11366@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165334

>> "Radio Daze" (40-year-old-fool@nowhere.man) writes:
>> > I was searching the UHF band on my handheld scanner about 6pm yesterday,
>and
>> > it stopped on 459.975. I heard a woman with a very cute-sounding voice

>I'd have to go with an "airphone" on this one. Many private lear jets use
>the 459.6(?)-459.975 range for air/ground duplex phones. You were
>receiving the aircraft side of the convo. The ground side has
>transmitters/receivers on different freqs. 457mhz range maybe?
>
>Clay

Try an even 5mhz down, in this case 454.975mhz>> "Radio Daze"

3556. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032902184700.VAA16229@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165335

Yo NAMBLA boy,

REMEMBER, you sent HOW many e-mails defending that crap? And now you want to disclaiam ALL of it!

Yeah, If I did what you did, I'd be backpeddling like you are too.

For a guy who claims such intelligence, you sure make a weak attempt at an insult.

And to assume homophobic and racist views, shows all you can do in life is GUESS!

Being offended by your love of little boys has NOTHING to do with homophobia. For all you know I could be GAY! IDIOT

Go ahead, call me a FAG (not that I am, but you can do so IF it makes you feel good) I'm plenty secure enough to take it.

As for racism, sorry, I'm black.

Black is beautiful, so is white, red, green (you, with envy, that a guy could master the english language) Oh go ahead and throw a few typos out, I'll tro a few in for you, there.

But don't forget, the e-mail you received from me went WAY over your head, boy lover.

L8rDayz, kiddie lover

>It think it is marvelous how far you have come with such an obviously limited
>education. I'm sure that slinging a mop for a living at a hamburger joint has
>been quite challenging for you. Keep up the good work and I'm sure that
>you'll
>be promoted to order taker after the summer hires go back to junior high.
>
>>Oh, then why did you post it in the first place, and in your own words, why
>>have you been "maddogging" it ever since, all to defend your sick crap?
>
>I never posted it in the first place but you already know that. You also know
>that I don't agree with your racist, homophobic views.
>
>>you just want to think ALL men are like you,
>
>I thank God that no men are like you: completely devoid of any wit,
>intelligence, creativity or imagination.
>
>Now run along Rover and

3557. Re: [REPOST] Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032902215401.VAA13756@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165336

>Congratulations, oh wise one. You and John, whom you adore so much, now lead
>the list of having the most cancelled news posts. Oh course, you would have
>to
>actually understand what a cancelled post really is, which is highly
>unlikely.

Yeah, misunderstood it enough to have it all REPOSTED.

Take off boysucker

You seem obsessed with the mop bucket, you been using that for a douche? Bill says you missed a spot.

3558. Re: Jhon Makhee exphosed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032902273500.VAA14755@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165337

>........HATE it when
>>>their wrong
>>
>>"Their"? I guess Monty Hall would be proud. You had a 1 in 3 chance of
>>getting the right word. At least you didn't use "there"; really, "their" is
>>closer to the proper "they're" than "there."
>>
>>Is'nt i't no'w?
>
>No it Tisn't
>
>The Cb Guy
>
>

These guys would be a riot if they wern't so sad.

Make a case out of a spelling error ('cuz that's the BEST case they can make!)
and look what they use to SUPPORT IT!

As one poster 'round here would say,

hehehehehehehe!!!

Thanks for the YUKS, always good to end the day with a laugh!

BTW, isn't this getting old?, Me thinks so.

I'm scarce, letting the loserboys have the last word, you KNOW they can't
resist.

Till next time......

3559. Re: Jhon Makhee exphosed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <351db7d0.3006331@news.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 165338

On 29 Mar 1998 02:27:35 GMT, obfd@aol.com (OBFD) wrote:

>>........HATE it when
>>>>their wrong
>>>
>>>"Their"? I guess Monty Hall would be proud. You had a 1 in 3 chance of
>>>getting the right word. At least you didn't use "there"; really, "their" is
>>>closer to the proper "they're" than "there."
>>>
>>>Is'nt i't no'w?
>>
>>No it Tisn't
>>
>>The Cb Guy
>>
>>
>
>These guys would be a riot if they wern't so sad.
>
>Make a case out of a spelling error ('cuz that's the BEST case they can make!)
>and look what they use to SUPPORT IT!
>
>As one poster 'round here would say,
>
>hehehehehehehe!!!
>
>Thanks for the YUKS, always good to end the day with a laugh!
>
>BTW, isn't this getting old?, Me thinks so.
>
It certainly Tisn't..even if you say it tis.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

3560. 430MHz Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: JayKayOhhVeeAayTeeehS@uoguelph.ca
Message-ID: <6fkds7$fd8@ccshst05.uoguelph.ca>
Source record: 165339

Perhaps someone can fill me in. I live in southern Ontario. My father has a couple of Midland 430MHz UHF radios. THey are quite the toys. I believe they scan the full 400.00 - 499.99 MHz frequency. What can I expect to hear in that range? I swear I heard a radio call in show one day when I was driving down a back road that was in Chicago! Who else uses this frequency?

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\/\/\/

3561. EDCO Electronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: moosenukle@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032903330600.WAA25711@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165340

Does anyone have any thoughts or comments on EDCO Electronics in
Vienna Virginia? Seems they are the repair specialist for AOR scanners
and I need to send in a AOR1000 that needs work. Just wondering how
they
rate among the Newsgroup readers,
Thanks
Moose
Texas

3562. Red Thunder ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidshat@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032903504300.WAA01722@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165341

Listening in N.W. Ohio. Freq. 148.150 and listened to A small part of A conversation. There were A couple people using the name red thunder 600, and red thunder 7. Does anyone have any idea what I might have been listening to? Thanks !

3563. Sault Ste. Marie ScannerFreqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: 724743 <awood@ican.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5aca$bf27eb80$b54ef8ce@default>
Source record: 165342
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

If anyone would like the scanner frequencies for Sault Canada go to
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/6926

Enjoy!

3564. Re: Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulligan@ACM.ORG
Message-ID: <6fkgal$dco@hopper.ACM.ORG>
Source record: 165343

"Radio Daze" <40-year-old-fool@nowhere.man> wrote:
> ... on 459.975 .... one side of some kind of phone call.

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Air to Ground Telephone [22.521]

Ch Ground Airborne

Signaling 454.675 (459.675)
6 454.700 459.700
7 454.725 459.725
5 454.750 459.750
8 454.775 459.775
4 454.800 459.800
9 454.825 459.825
3 454.850 459.850
10 454.875 459.875
2 454.900 459.900
11 454.925 459.925
1 454.950 459.950
12 454.975 459.975

Transmissions are FM. Ground stations repeat the airborne
half of the conversation, and transmit a continuous tone when
idle. From one to four channels are assigned in a particular
area.
Service is used on private aircraft.

3565. 1998 IRL Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: MKC <ctree@nltc.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5ad0$fe1924c0$beab8bcd@default>
Source record: 165344

Does anyone happen to know the 1998 IRL Freqs?

Thanks
Matt
ctree@nltc.net

3566. NEED INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Smith <gsmith@dnaco.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5ace$b06035e0$b336e5cd@default>
Source record: 165345

I would like any info on how to scan message type pager traffic?
What kind of equipment would be required? Is there software available for
pc/soundcard decode, or is a special decoder needed?

Thanks,
Greg

3567. FFORT WALTON & COUNTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: SMOKEY AND THE BANDIT <theoldbrooklynkid@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fpkab$h6b@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165148

LOOKING FOR FREQUENCIES, THAT ARE CURRENT AND UP TO DATE, FOR FORT
WALTON BEACH, DESTIN, CRESTVIEW AND OTHER MUNICIPALITIES IN THE COUNTY
OF OKALOOSA FLORIDA. ALSO LOOKING FOR COUNTY AND STATE FREQUENCIES FROM
THAT AREA. PLEASE E-MAIL. THANK YOU
--
ATTENTION, ATTENTION: BECOME A SKYWARN WEATHER VOLUNTEER
WITH YOU LOCAL WEATHER OFFICE!!!!

3568. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <352058E7.676BCE00@netwit.com>
Source record: 165149

KA0SSF--John (Hero of the Stupid) wrote:

> Blake Bowers wrote:
>
> > How is it wrong John? Read what I said. The question pools
> > have been available since back in the Dick Bash days. Did I
> > say that they were available from the FCC? No. They were
> > available from Dick Bash.
>
> What you are referring to was NOT the FCC Questions Pools as
> you originally stated. It was a priviate individuals notes
> on what the questions were.
>
> There is a slight, but MAJOR difference!
>

There is a slight, but MAJOR difference! There is a narrow, but WIDE difference! There is a small, but BIG difference! There is a short, but TALL difference! There is a tiny, but HUGE difference!

Which is it moron?

Friggin loon.

3569. Re: New AOR8000 unblocked $405

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: MrMartin@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fpimuolr1@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165150

In this case it's hard to tell, because the reputable companies with known track-records will sell ONLY the politically correct blocked units.

Try calling the person, or oufit directly ... that ALWAYS works. If they're no where to be found, simply forget it. You don't want to do business with a guy who can't afford a phone, or a company who doesn't have one...do you?

3570. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35205717.D38EC548@netwit.com>
Source record: 165151

KA0SSF--John wrote:

> allsafe wrote:
>
> > Geez.....I ain't seen Bill posting around here for weeks. He made a point of
> > telling you this was the end. He stuck to it.
>
> Hardly, he posted TODAY trying to cause trouble! Bill is still posting,
> he is just going under a fake identity AGAIN! He is using a identity
> of "nemesis@parg.org". For your proof, I have copied one of the
> path statement of his posting, go look at it yourself
> to verify authenticity.

> The management team of PARG.ORG is intending to take action
> against Mr. Cheek since he is NOT authorized to identify himself
> as a part of PARG.ORG!
>
> > Blow John! Blow!
>
> CERTAINLY not for you or anyone else you pervert.

Give it a break. You're a pathetic little, delusional person. I'll bet you see Bill Cheek in everything that surrounds you. I hope I can run into you some time. I'd like to see what type of troll you really are. You got the crapola kicked out of you on a regular basis when you were in high school, didn't you? How many times did Mommy have to go to the principal to get the big bad boys to stop picking on you?

3571. FORT WALTON AND COUNTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: SMOKEY AND THE BANDIT <theoldbrooklynkid@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fpm4h$t7c@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165152
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

LOOKING FOR FREQUENCIES, THAT ARE CURRENT AND UP TO DATE, FOR FORT
WALTON BEACH, AND ALL OTHER MUNICIPALITIES IN OKALOOSA COUNTY.
ALSO STATE AND COUNTY FREQUENCIES TOO PLEASE
PLEASE E-MAIL THEM TO ME.
THANK YOU.
--
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WITH YOU LOCAL WEATHER OFFICE!!!!

3572. Re: Yupiteru MVT-9000-Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Chyzy <chyzy@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <35205F84.6E09B4BB@megsinet.net>
Source record: 165153

hi jon, well i just ordered the mvt9000, i didnt order the m model, the
difference is its supposed to scan faster and have better inter mod filtering,
but i dont like to buy things that are modifed, thats why i didnt get it....

Jon Cave wrote:

> What is the difference in the 9000M and the 9000.
>
> Bro Dogg wrote in message <351F04A9.F7586A05@mcn.org>...
> >You can get the adapter a Radio Shack. If I were you, I would(also am) get
> >the 9000M.
> >

3573. WTB: BC200XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: DCLIFF@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fpjt2$j9d$1@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165154

Looking for a BC 200 XLT in good cond.
Will pay a fair price. Will prefer COD if you have one for sale. Thank's

DENNIS in GA.

3574. Radio Shack CTCSS module same as Uniden???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A.T. Domonkos" <domonkos@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3520652D.77B0510B@erols.com>
Source record: 165155

Can the Radio Shack CTCSS board used in their 2045 scanner be installed in a Uniden BC9000xlt? The pinouts in the 9000 for this accy look the same as that in the 2045. Thanks.

Andy

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My Sony FD-7 Digital Photo Webpage: http://www.erols.com/domonkos
and also at http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/9870/

While there, follow links to my Astro Photo Pages...
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3575. Re: Border Patrol information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randall Buxton <rbuxton@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6fpp25$7dd@dfw-ixnews12.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165156

So far I have identified the following unit/station IDs for the Border
Patrol in San Diego:

Charlie # = Campo, Echo #= El Cajon, Foxtrot = Helicopter, Sierra #= San
Clemente, Tango #= Temecula.

Can anyone confirm or add to the above ????

Randall Buxton wrote in message <6fpbk4$p9q@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>...
>Looking for Border Patrol unit numbering for the San Diego area.
>

3576. FS: PRO-39 scanner w/cellular & 800mhz ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Green" <greenr@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <3520696F.7D5D@ultranet.com>
Source record: 165157

Selling Radio Shack PRO-39 handheld with cellular restored. Includes $30
MAX 800 Ground Plane Antenna, plus original rubber duck antenna, like
new with original packaging. Rarely used, like new, $230 includes
shipping within continental US. Please email to BLUEgreenr@ultranet.com
** NOTE: please email without BLUE to avoid junkmail
Thanks, Rick

3577. FS: PRO-39 scanner w/cellular & 800mhz ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Green" <greenr@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <352069C0.7F1A@ultranet.com>
Source record: 165158
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,ne.forsale

Selling Radio Shack PRO-39 handheld with cellular restored. Includes $30 MAX 800 Ground Plane Antenna, plus original rubber duck antenna, like new with original packaging. Rarely used, like new, $230 includes shipping within continental US. Please email to BLUEgreenr@ultranet.com
** NOTE: please email without BLUE to avoid junkmail
Thanks, Rick

3578. Re: recommend scanner for aircaft freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access4.digex.net
Message-ID: <6fppd9$75p@access4.digex.net>
Source record: 165159

In article <19980330041103 00.XAA29726@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
JTWard01 <jtward01@aol.com> wrote:

[snip]
>Now, if you want to listen to military aircraft, the picture changes. Only the
>top-of-the-line scanners cover the UHF military airband from 225.000 to
>400.000MHz. Plus, generally only the more expensive scanners allow you to
>select AM mode in the 138.000 to 144.000MHz range.
[snip]

FWIW, the Radio Shack PRO-64, which is currently being closed out in the
$150 price range, lets you select AM or FM in any band and defaults to AM
in the 108 - 136.975 MHz band, where aircraft are usually AM. It covers a
little of the military band, 380 MHz and up, but that's probably not
enough to be useful.

Ken Plotkin

3579. Re: Virtual banks! PLEASE READ!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Schwerdtman <Bob9000@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35206F6C.2164@concentric.net>
Source record: 165160

a@b.com wrote:
>
> Wow great idea. I'd like to see global settings being able to turn off
> or on all delay/pri and lockout settings. or atleast per bank.
>
> On Sat, 07 Mar 1998 07:33:36 -0500, foxcat@mindspring.com (foxcat)
> wrote:
>
> |>In article <3500d558.4965294@news.fastlink.com.au>,
> |>barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au wrote:
> |>
> |>> foxcat@mindspring.com (foxcat) wrote:
> |>>
> |>> :The scanner manufacturers should add to scanners...
> |>> :
> |>> :VIRTUAL BANKS.
> |>> :
> |>> :Where the user could select the number of channels per bank. If the
> |>> :scanner had 1000 channel storage, the user could define bank 1 to hold 6
> |>> :freqs., bank 2 to hold 15 freqs, bank 3 to hold 8 freqs., etc., until all
> |>> :storage was filled. More of an opimizing solution. So the possibility of
> |>> :entering bank 1000 could be possible. So... we need some new buttons.
> |>> :
> |>> :<MANUAL> <PRGBank> <ENTER> 248 <ENT> 6 <ENT>
> |>> :
> |>> :would create a new bank "248" with 6 freqs. slots available Then...
> |>> :
> |>> :<PRGBank> 248 <ENTER> <MANUAL><MANUAL> 506.8175 <ENT>
> |>> :
> |>> :would store 506.8175 into freq. slot 3 of bank 248.
> |>> :
> |>> :This way we wouldn't waste banks with x channels of 0.0 (locked-out)
> |>> :freqs. Sort/Swap/Delete banks and Resize banks would be available.
> |>> :
> |>> :Is this so difficult? It's a computer with ears, for god sake!
> |>> :
> |>> :Of course, if I've thought of it, it's already been done. [sigh]. Whodunnit?
> |>>
> |>
> |>> The FT-3000 has 7 banks and 70 channels. Any number of channels may
> |>> be assigned to each channel. E.G. 60 channels to bank 1, 2 to bank 2,
> |>> 5 to bank 3 and so on.
> |>
> |>

> |>Barry,
> |>
> |>How old is the FT=3000? Who makes it? And where is it available? Why don't
> |>you pass on my Virtual banking system message to the FT-3000 manufacturer
> |>and see what they think.
> |>
> |>Scanners today commonly have 200-400-1000 freq storage but still
> |>shoehorned into 10 banks. [sigh]
> |>
> |>Thanks for your reply and, take it easy,
> |>
> |>Andy Burns
> |>foxcat@mindspring.com

That was the one really nice thing about the Icom R-1. Although it
really does not have banks so to speak. You could expand the number of
channels it scanned from 1-99 (or 0-100 or however it worked) If you
wanted to scan from say channel 36-59 all you had to do was set it.
It would be nice if you could do something like that on all scanners.

3580. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <35207FAA.1284@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Really, how do you know I had one?

Macaroon wrote:

> <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
> >These are NOT legitimate addresses & I stated so at the

> Of course you had one, you frigging liar. You lie so much, I bet you even
> believe yourself!!

3581. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35205CA4.57EC9ACA@primenet.com>
Source record: 165162
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bro Dogg wrote:
>
> So you think you are a hacker or something? Hack my website. If you are
> the marvel you say you are you should be able to find it on your own.

Toilet Boy, *thinks* just because he can find the on-off switch, he's
a big time hacker. He's just a little legend in his small mind.

3582. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35205C2E.1865B48D@primenet.com>
Source record: 165163
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

John "Oh, Please Richard Simmonds do me again! I have
custom fitted knee pads and I won't be getting
rug burns anymore" Mackey - KA0SSF tried to lie
yet again:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > > You've have used, and admitted using, over a dozen
> > > (actually seventeen) fictitious and illegal Internet
> > > addresses.

> How do you figure they are/were illegal Richard?

See below.

> > > anyplace@nowhere.mil no-place@anywhere.com
> > > No-place@anywhere.org nowhere@anyplace.net
> > > nothing@anywhere.edu nowhere@anyplace.net
> > > no_adress@anywhere.com no.address@anywhere.gov
> > > No-address@No-where.com no_place@any-where.com
> > > no--place@any__where.com no-place@anywhere.net
> > > No--place@any-where.org no-where@no-place.com
> > > nothing@anywhere.edu

> These are NOT legitimate addresses & I stated so at the
> time. It was necessary to use them for the Netscape reader
> because I DID NOT have an internet e-mail address at the
> time.

By your own admission, Toilet Boy, these are illegitimate
addresses. Of course, you had to lie to the Netscape software
to make it work. That's how I proved you faked the addresses
with my original posting (spoofing your identity) to show just
how easy it is to spoof an address. That is how you've been
doing it for a while now.

You, again by your own admission, did not have a valid e-mail
address. That is another way of saying you did not have a valid
account either. Since you did not have a valid e-mail address
OR a valid account, you had illegal access. You stole services
which you were not legitimately entitled to. As I stated before,
you are guilty of theft of services, a criminal act.

> > > jomackey@hotmail.com
> This WAS a legitimate address for me at one time.

Plausible, I'll let it pass.

> > > mackey@idiots.org
> I never used this address, it was a forge.

Plausible, even though it does describe you *very* well.
That still leaves fifteen illegitimate addresses.

> > > You claim that you were in a work situation where
> > > you had T1 access, but no real Internet access.
> Correct!

In other words, you had to steal access to gain entry.

> WRONG! My job was to test internet systems & digital
> communications. It was my JOB to "gain entry"!

I say you are a liar. Your admission of lack of a valid
account is the basis of my accusation as listed above.
Your continued evasion of the direct questions regarding
who you supposedly worked for is tacit admission of
guilt.

> ehehehe,

More brain stuttering. I told you to watch your doses
of Prozac, Toilet Boy.

> you're just JEALOUS!

You flatter yourself, Toilet Boy (you have such a small
mind). As such a lowlife miscreant, you're not even worthy
of pity, let alone jealousy.

> > > Using your real name and call sign is only a diversion
> > > to deflect attention from your criminal activity. It's
> > > your little way of making it *look* like you're
> > > legitimate.
> It is legit, there was no criminal activity.

Stealing telecommunications access to a system which you
have NO legal means of access is, indeed, a criminal
activity.

> > > The only thing you've offered to back up your claim
> > > that you had legitimate access, is your word.
> Then report me to the authorities & let them investigate!

What a moron and a dimwit you are, Toilet Boy. Can you be so
stupid, so oblivious not to see that you are already under
investigation? Yes, I believe you are *that* stupid.

> OK, when an investigator contacts me I will give them all
> that info!

It won't be an investigator, it will be the arresting officer.
You're going to be *very* popular in the cell blocks. Your
reputation as a bathroom queen will precede you, and you can

look forward to having a very full dance card.

Either way, you're still a liar, fraud, and a thief.

3583. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35205E95.BE1C21E7@primenet.com>
Source record: 165164

KA0SSF--John "Richard Simmonds fills me, thrills me, lets me know he's a real man" whimpered:
>
> Blake Bowers accurately observed:
>
> > On 26 Mar 1998 20:00:58 GMT, obfd@aol.com (OBFD) wrote:
> > > What you say here may be said with EQUAL support regarding Mr.
> > > Mackey's equally offensive nemesis, Mr. Cheek.
>
> > Actually, not. John seems to have amassed a quite a bit of lack of
> > support.
>
> Wrong, Blake!
>
> I have a lot of support. Infact, a few weeks ago I was at the Puyallup
> ham fest in Tacoma, Washington.

Translation: I was cruising the bathrooms looking for man to man sex again.

> On two occasions individuals congratulated me on how I have handled
> Cheek here, one saying "it couldn't happen to a better guy".

Translation: I found two guys who showed me just how my cheeks should be handled, rough and tumble and often. But, those concrete floors sure are tough on my knees. I'll bring my knee pads next time!

3584. install of descrambler...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Farmer <aaron@arkansas.net>
Message-ID: <6fq04i$sp7$1@news-in.anc.net>
Source record: 165165

Could someone assist me in providing some possible info on the installation of a scrambler into a CB. I need to know how to connect the device in "series" and what to connect it to. The scrambler has six wires, I know about the power and the ground.

Any help is appreciated....

3585. FS AX400 UNBLOCKED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: BP1993 <bp1993@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <352090A3.16E4EB9F@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 165166

STANDARD AX-400 UNBLOCKED 400 CHANNEL WIDE BAND RECEIVER 500khz to
1300mhz
MINT CONDITON AND A VERY COMPACT HAND HELD RECEIVER.
SELLING BECAUSE I WANT TO TRY SOMETHING DIFFERENT.

$300

BOB

3586. Re: Who Is This Mackey Character?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: GregoryR <gregjr@teleNOSPAMport.com>
Message-ID: <6fq4q2pmq1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 165167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Please, Please don't Flame Bait him! There are some
completely off topic threads in this ng that go on forever!
If one of the regular non-scanner discussion posters puts up
a message.......just don't respond. Maybe if we all just
ignore the off topic posts, they'll diminish. I can at
least hope........

My kill file is getting so large it's starting to fill my
hard drive ;-)
--
****
Remove NOSPAM from address to reply
Jed Crump wrote in message
<6for6v$eum@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>...
>Who is this John Mackey guy? Is he a participant in some
>new form of group therapy in which psychiatritic patients
are
>given Internet access? I sure hope he's not running loose
>cause he sounds dangerous to me! Has he stalked anybody
>besides Bill Cheek?
>
>Jed
>

3587. Re: Border Patrol information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis.Oliphant@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <6ea_9803302120@warpgate.com>
Source record: 165168

On 30 Mar 98 16:00:32, "Randall Buxton" wrote the following to All:

"B> Looking for Border Patrol unit numbering for the San Diego area.

You can find them at the 9-1-1 BBS at (619) 441-9679.

They are also available in Southern California SCAN FAN.

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| 9-1-1 Public Safety BBS | POLICENET SAFENET |
| LEO'S FIREFIGHTERS SAR | FIDONET |
| COMMS AMATEUR RADIO | e-mail newsgroups |
|Home of THE San Diego County BBS List(619) 441-9679|
-----------------------------------------------------
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|WarpGate: Curtis Oliphant 52:1000/211
|Internet: Curtis.Oliphant@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.
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3588. 10 Codes vs Plain Language

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5sxk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033000260700.TAA20848@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165220

Has anyone seen any case studies concerning the use of 10 codes vs plain language in Public Safety Communications? I interested in Agencies/Departments which have mandated Plain Text over 10 Codes.

Thanks

Bill Ford, WB5SXK
Systems Administrator
City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
Email: wb5sxk@amsat.org

3589. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Sull <w8imo@kellnet.com>
Message-ID: <351EE838.811E9FBA@kellnet.com>
Source record: 165221

qwertREMOVE@sprint.ca wrote:

> I want to try to make one for the 40 - 50Mhz range.
>
> I'm not too electronically inclined but I do own a soldering iron!
>
> Does anyone have any DETAILED instructions with maybe a real good
> picture?
>
> Or is the best way, just to buy one?
>
> Thanks

A dipole looks something like this;

```
1/4 wave length 1/4 wave length
--------------- ---------------
| |
| | <=== Feedline
| |
```

The impedance at the center for a dipole is 75+/- ohms so if you build
one use RG-59 or RG-6 coax.

Bob

--

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////////
( o o )
---73, Bob---oooO---O---Oooo---w8imo@kellnet.com--------------------
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What is the speed of dark?

3590. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351ef3d0.320450982@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165222

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

gumballs@webtv.net (Bernie Nagel) wrote:

> what would be so different about it that it could not be sold in the
> u.s.a.

You got me. Could be that it won't meet the
FCC spec's, but that isn't likely because
European specs are tighter than ours in most
cases.

More than likely, Yupiteru just doesn't see
the US market as all that lucrative....and
it would cost them a bundle to set up shop here.

That's probably 90% of it anyway.

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3591. Re: PRO 2038 mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351ff619.321035863@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165223

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net> wrote:

> Anybody know of any mods such as frequency expansion on the 2038

Not possible.

>not really interested in cell

Good. That's even less possible. :-)

> but would like to get the 200 to 400 mhz slot

And that is least possible of all. For 200-400 MHz,
your only hope is to get a scanner with that band
designed into it in the first place.

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3592. Re: Javiation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dejim@mail.execpc.com
Message-ID: <351efe0a.50606673@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 165224

ditto. i've bought two top of the line scanners from javiation. a
class act.

dejim in duluth, where a 10-56 is never more than a scan away...

On 27 Mar 1998 01:21:39 GMT, batwanger@aol.com (BATWANGER) wrote:

>I am looking for any one who has done business with this company.
>I am wanting to place an order with them. Have never done mailorder business
>outside the USA. What Can I expect?
>Will I recieve my order?
>Within a reasonable time?
>a week or two?
>Thanks for a response.
>Dave

3593. Yeasu FT-3000M programming question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033002585600.VAA19961@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165225

I have a Yaesu FT-3000M and would like to display the nametag in big letters on top and have the frequency displayed on the bottom. Does anyone out there know if this is possible to do and if so how do I do it? Any info on this will be greatly appreciated.

73
Zack Schindler
N8FNR

3594. Wanted: old, cheap, 10 to 20 ch handheld scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <6fn5a4suo1@guysmiley.blarg.net>
Source record: 165226
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Looking for an old el-cheapo 10 to 20 channel scanner for a friend. Only requirements, it has to be a handheld, battery operated model, it has to be a keypad programmable one, none of that crystal stuff, and most importantly, it has to work.

It dosen't have to do 800mhz or AM aircraft, just 30 - 512mhz NBFM with gaps will be fine. Although, no one would complain if it did. :)

All reasonable offers will be concidered, but I'm only looking for one.

Remove the second, anti-spamming N from the
end of tdragon in my address to respond,
tdragonn@blarg.net

3595. Re: recommend scanner for aircaft freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033004110300.XAA29726@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165227

Steve,

All but the very cheapest scanners these days have VHF civilian airband coverage, and pretty much any of them will do for on-site monitoring. I wouldn't make my decision on which scanner to buy based only on its airband coverage. Do you need to track a Motorola 800MHz trunked system? If so, then buy a Uniden 235XLT "TrunkTracker." Do you want 1000 memory channels? Then get the AOR AR-8000. Pick out a scanner that has the other features you want, then make certain that it has airband coverage also. Almost all of them do.

Now, if you want to listen to military aircraft, the picture changes. Only the top-of-the-line scanners cover the UHF military airband from 225.000 to 400.000MHz. Plus, generally only the more expensive scanners allow you to select AM mode in the 138.000 to 144.000MHz range.

This is just a quick answer. If you have other questions feel free to email me.

John Ward

3596. Re: Wanted: old, cheap, 10 to 20 ch handheld scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033004123800.XAA29997@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165228

Jack,

Check your local pawn shops. I see older scanners for sale at bargain prices all the time.

JW

3597. Uniden Bear Cat Sport Cat 150..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: klorenzo@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <351f24bf.27082261@news.direcpc.com>
Source record: 165229

Is there a way to unlock the cellular freq's i remember hearing that there was a way to do this, but i am not really sure where i had seen it at??

Please let me know..

3598. MN Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Buckley <cwbuckle@mtu.edu>
Message-ID: <351F2E85.917AC854@mtu.edu>
Source record: 165230
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone have a link to some resources where I can find Minnesota scanner frequencies, like local Police and Sheriff Depts..

Thanks,

Chris

3599. Re: F/S 800 MHZ Down converter to receive full 800 band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033006123401.BAA16931@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165231

F/S Ramsey 800 MHZ Down converter with deluxe case.
Assembled from a kit.Untested!! I never made up the proper cables to check for proper reception.It bench tested ok as per the instructions! Requires cables and power supply to complete.Lost interest in the project,purchased scanner with full
800 MHZ.
$50.00 plus shipping
To all who replied, the buyer i had backed out so it is still for sale. I lost your e mail addresses so if your still interested email me again and let me know you had contacted me before.Sorry about this.

E-mail me with all inquires
Robert
DeForger@aol.com

3600. Re: Two antennas to one receiver - how?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrw39@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033006250401.BAA21176@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165232
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>I am looking for a device called a Duplexer Antenna Combiner. It is used
>to

>hook two antennas up to a single receiver. Does anyone know where to

>purchase one or an alternative way to hook up a shortwave and a discone

>antenna to one receiver?

If it's a BNC connector, try either radio shack or a computer store (used for networking connections) for a tee connector

3601. USED POLICE RADAR GUNS WANTED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: hartmans@inlink.com
Message-ID: <6fnde1$3ke$5@news1.inlink.com>
Source record: 165233
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.marketplace.funky-stuff.forsale,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,niagara.police

I would like to buy used police radar guns. I prefer hand held models but will consider all. I buy non working units also, including parts. Please reply by E Mail for a prompt reply.

3602. Re: FS: Bearcat 3000 $225.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Schwerdtman <Bob9000@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <351F3ED5.147D@concentric.net>
Source record: 165234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Bob Schwerdtman wrote:
>
> Bearcat 3000xlt handheld scanner. Excellent condition with box, manual,
> and all accessories including case $225.00 including insured shipping in
> USA Terms: U.S. Postal money order in advance. Thanks.
> Bob
> 847-356-5665

Radio is back on the market. Buyer backed out. E-mail or call if
interested.
P.S. will consider trade for Bearcat trunktracker base model.

3603. Hawaii-TruckTracker;data

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: tadt@lava.net
Message-ID: <6fni21$dd0@mochi.lava.net>
Source record: 165235

Does anyone know the data channel for HPD (Honolulu Police Dept.) system;

I'm not even sure that the system is Motorola; I've been able to find about 3 dozen freqs, all 876-869, but programming into 235 in TT mode the data channel doesn't identify any as the control/data freq.

thanks,
Tad

3604. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <351f46ec.341729633@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165236

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org> wrote:

> Yupi would have to adjust an entire line to not pick up certain ranges
> (cell) and that would be a waste because not as many people would consider
> it so marvelous.

Nahhhh, I don't think that is the case. "Certain ranges"
are firmware matters, not hardware. Firmware and
software being much the same thing, except firmware
is cheaper, means there's a one-time cost to add in
a bit of code.... and in this case, it could be done
overnight.

Literally.

Yupi just isn't excited about the US market; else
they'd be here. Could be that they know Unidense
would kick their butts from here to next Tuesday
if they came in. Unidense doesn't like competition
at all. In fact, Unidense barely tolerates AOR and
lets them be here solely by virtue that AOR had
a "deal" with Regency way back before Unidense bought
Regency's scanner division.

Lest you wonder why Unidense tolerates GRE-Japan, that's
because Radio Schloque would kick their arses from here
to Thursday if Unidense didn't like it. Radio Schloque's
scanner business is a lot bigger than Unidense's, see.
And Radio Schloque probably peddles as many Unidense-made
scanners as Unidense does on its own.

So Undense will sit back and "like" GRE and AOR, but
any new guys coming around will have to "pay".

It's been like that for the last dozen years or so.
Unidense bought out Regency and Electra Bearcat way back
when.....and acquired more or less a monopoly by virtue
of dozens of scanner patents and existing markets.

So Yupiteru probably sees itself as having to compete
with AOR and Trident, neither of which are doing much

more than holding their own....if that.

Bascially Radio Schloque "owns" the USA scanner market,
but "lets" Unidense play in the corner of the sandbox that
the neighborhood cats use. Radio Schloque gets to be
the "good guys" and Unidense gets to be the "muscle".
Between those two, nobody else gets much of a chance
to play, and certainly no new guys.

This is good for the two big boys on the market,
but it sucks for us end-users.

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3605. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35204b97.342925049@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165237

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Bill Eitner <kd6tas@earthlink.net> wrote:

> Bill Cheek is one of my mentors. His comments have standing
> in my opinion. However, as a contraband Yupi owner I feel
> my comments have standing as well. Here are my opinions:

And I don't argue them..... :-)

> The MVT-7100 is a FINE Multi-Band receiver.
>
> In my opinion it's RF performance BEATS the AOR-8000.
>
> It's reliability is LEGENDARY (in my opinion).
>
> Perhaps the fact that I'm the RF tech for two scanner houses
> in my area will lend enough credibility to withstand the
> inevitable attacks that Bill Cheek will lay upon me for the
> apparent sacrilege that I've commited.

No sacrilege at all. I don't give a hoot on any
personal level at all. Tech specs aside, there are
a number of factors to weigh into the decision of
whether to buy a Yupi or a Poopy or whatever.....

My primary "con" is the lack of a technical support
foundation of the Yupi. I have yet to see a service
manual or even know anyone who has one. So all those
tech specs may be wonderful......but as it stands,
you better not crack the case of that hummer hoping
to make anything better or add anything new. You
booger it up and you lose. I just prefer some sort
of a technical support foundation for the products
I buy (and support).

Now down the list a ways in second place is my
dislike of fattening some Europie's retirement
fund. I don't mind spending bucks overseas so
long as it brings some benefit back to my turf.
But if Yupi doesn't see fit to set up an office
here, why should I fatten their Keough Plans?

In third place is the law. The matter is simple. If it's against the law and you flout it, the tax man is going to wake up and come around to collect. Anyone who buys a Yupi has got to be prepared to be the FIRST victim of US Customs' power to confiscate and stomp contraband. And the Yupi is most assuredly.....contraband. It is not legal to import with singular exception if you travel abroad and bring one back in for your own personal use - THAT *might* be legal.

But mail-ordering them is downright smuggling and clearly against the law. That means the more people hoot and holler and whoop it up, the sooner Johnny Law is going to wake up and do something about it.

Now my #1 - #3 "cons" are just me. I don't expect or even particularly hope others will buy in. But what I do kind of hope is that my expressed opinions find their way over to the Yupiteru Headshed and piss them off just enough to waltz in here and set up shop. Hey, if their scanners are all that hot, then I'd like to see them come in and frap Unidense, Radio Schloque, and AOR up side the chops and make 'em pay attention and take some notes.

Unidense and Radio Schloque haven't been doing us any favors of recent years, but they got the market all locked up so's the new kids who might do us some favors can't get in.

So anyway.....there's the facts as I see 'em. If you don't mind having little or no tech support for that Yupi and if you don't mind sending your hard earned cash geetas to some Europie's dinner plate, and if you don't mind Yupi not giving us the time of day.....then your decision is your business and none of mine.

Now if you tried to suggest that the Yupi could pick up SETI signals and translate Outer Slobovian into Pig Latin and had a computer interface on its battery terminals, then I might step up to check your credentials and inquire which shrink you use.

Bottom line is this: if Yupi is all that hot of a scanner to where people want it, then they deserve to know ALL the facts, and not just one or two. Furthermore, a good needling of it just might goad the Yupi Headshed into coming over here and setting up shop......which would shickle the tit out of all of us, right?

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3606. Re: UNBLOCK YOUR AR5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erik Evertz <evert-er@reze-1.rz.rwth-aachen.de>
Message-ID: <351F612A.E7BBFCF6@reze-1.rz.rwth-aachen.de>
Source record: 165238
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,de.alt.radio-scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Patrick wrote:
>
> site does not exist!
>
> The GB wrote in message ...
> >For details see:
> > >
> > >www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Horizon/9163/5000.htm

If you copy the link above to your browser, you get the message that the site is not available. So go to the root http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Horizon/9163 first and then select 'My AR5000 page'. Know you'll reach the page mentioned above.

Erik

3607. Brand New AOR 3000A - $650.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fnqtc$19p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

> >>>I have an absolutely BRAND NEW AOR 3000A. It does not have any
> >>>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoker and
> >>>the radio has never been used before - Unwanted xmas gift
> >>>
> >>>There is nothing wrong with this radio. The 3000A comes with the
> >>>following:
> >>>
> >>>* Software and computer cable
> >>>* AC adaptor
> >>>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
> >>>* Telescopic whip antenna
> >>>

A free discone thrown in if you are an active member of this newsgroup.

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3608. UNBLOCK YOUR AR5000 / 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Billy B <notused@usa.net>
Message-ID: <#OWXu97W9GA.348@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 165240
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,de.alt.radio-scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Sorry site must end with html instead of htm

www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Horizon/9163/5000.html

The GB wrote in message ...
>For details see:
>
>www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Horizon/9163/5000.htm
>
>
>Regards from The Netherlands...
>
>
>
>

3609. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <351f7c60.1762522@lews.det.ameritech.net>
Source record: 165241

On Sun, 29 Mar 1998 21:04:59 -0800, KA0SSF--John
<jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net> wrote:

>allsafe wrote:
>
>> Geez.....I ain't seen Bill posting around here for weeks. He made a point of
>> telling you this was the end. He stuck to it.
>
>Hardly, he posted TODAY trying to cause trouble! Bill is still posting,
>he is just going under a fake identity AGAIN! He is using a identity
>of "nemesis@parg.org". For your proof, I have copied one of the
>path statement of his posting, go look at it yourself
>to verif{ authenticity. Notice the end of the path is "cts.com"
>and the "X-CTS-Authuser: bcheek" (found at the botton). Again,
>if you don't believe me, then turn on full headers on your
>reader program & pull up the message for yourself.
>
I think the point made here is Bill is no longer replying to your
rubbish.
Of course, I wouldn't expect you to agree.

The Cb Guy

http://www.ameritech.net/users/thecbguy/cbradio.htm

3610. Mods & Info on Realistic (Radio Shack?) PRO-34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Chamings <scottc1@eisa.net.au>
Message-ID: <6fnuqi$ngc@news.eisa.net.au>
Source record: 165242

Hi

Has anyone got mods or info on the Realistic Handheld PRO 34 Scanner ?

I think in the US they are Radio Shack Brand - they are available at
Tandys..

Thanks

Scott

scott_chamings@bigfoot.com

3611. WACARS porblems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric van den Bosch <erboblex@wxs.nl>
Message-ID: <352005E3.6917@wxs.nl>
Source record: 165243
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.scanners,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi all,

Is there anyone out there who can help me with the following problem:

The WACARS 05 program does not work very good in combination with my soundcard, and as a matter of fact, I already needed my soundcard for another purpose; the Recall soundrecorder...

So what I would like to have done is to attach the WACARS-software to the HAMCOM-modem or the LOWE-acars interface....

Must be a rather easy job for a technician wich I am certainly NOT!!

All suggestions very welcome,

Thanx in adv,

CU Eric van den Bosch, Katwijk, The Netherlands

> Eric van den Bosch = Valkenburg Tower Scannerreport
> http://home.wxs.nl/~erboblex/ehvb.htm
> mailto:erboblex@wxs.nl

3612. Re: Looking for

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bob J." <bobwjohnson@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6fo3lo$o5a@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165244
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill wrote:
>
> Hi All,
>
> I'm looking for a product called RadioRest or Radio Rest or something
> similar...
>
> It's was a nice (very nice) holder/support for hand held 2mtr gear,
> portable scanners, etc. I saw them at a swap meet, didn't buy it at the
> time, and now I can't find them anywhere - the story of my life :)))
>
> I believe it's called RadioRest. Can anyone help me out?
>
> I just a new hand held trunk tracker and want to show it off in style :)
>
> Thanks for any assistance.

Hi Bill,

They're made out of oak, have felt backing, elastic holders built in,
etc., etc., etc.,...right? Handmade?

If so, I know exactly what you're looking for - I've got 4 of them right
here on my desk! Yep, they're called "RadioRest"'s, and the guy who
makes them is in the midwest somewhere (I think his name was John - I
met him when I bought my RadioRests at the Kansas City hamfest last
year).

I'll look around (I'm in Kansas City) and see if I can come up with an
address, phone number or something, and let you know - he had stickers
on the RadioRests I bought, but I took them off :(

See ya,

Bob

The adove address has been modified to prevent spamming - please post
any replies to the news group.

3613. Re: Looking for

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bob J." <bobwjohnson@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6fo46m$o5a@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill wrote:
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> Hi All,
>
> I'm looking for a product called RadioRest or Radio Rest or something
> similar...
>
> It's was a nice (very nice) holder/support for hand held 2mtr gear,
> portable scanners, etc. I saw them at a swap meet, didn't buy it at the
> time, and now I can't find them anywhere - the story of my life :)))
>
> I believe it's called RadioRest. Can anyone help me out?
>
> I just a new hand held trunk tracker and want to show it off in style :)
>
> Thanks for any assistance.
>
> Bill

Hey Bill,

If the support you're talking about is made out of oak, has felt
backing, and other little goodies, then I know which one you're talking
about...and yep, it's called radiorest.

I've got four of them sitting here on my desk holding my trunk tracker,
and 2 meter radios. Nice supports, and handmade too - not the cheap,
stamped out of plastic junk.

I'll look around and see if I can come up with the guys address or phone
number or something (I think his name was John). I met him at the
kansas City hamfest when I bought my radiorests. He had a sticker on
the units with his name, address, etc..., but I took it off :(

Will let you know.

Bob

The above address has been modified to prevent spamming - please reply
to news group - thanks.

3614. ICOM R10 Discone Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: TimSven@AOL.com
Message-ID: <6fo9ipcif1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165246

A Few Antenna Questions: I have purchased an ICOM R10 and a Diamond discone antenna after read so notes on the internet. I keep hearing that hooking-up external antennas overloads the handheld receivers, but the discone doesn't provide gain I thought. Will this antenna need some attenuator between the lead-in and receiver or not? Any recommendations? I will have 50' of coax leading from the antenna which will be mounted 10' above my roof line (total height 3'8-40'). Also, I keep hearing that the coax type is important. With only 50' of coax and considering I don't want to overload a handheld, why shouldn't I just use R58/U coax? I won't be transmitting on this antenna, so would a different coax like RG8 really make any difference? If I run a heavy gauge copper wire from the outer coax, where it enters the house, to my exterior electrical ground rod, will this work sufficently. I am assuming that the discone metal staft will need a seperate grounding (lighting) wire run to a seperate ground point. Tim TimSven@AOL.com

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3615. Re: Mods for SC150?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: n6766j@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980330133214401.IAA14622@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165346

>Are there any mods. for the Uniden SC150? Thanks for any help.

On another board (AOL?) I read that there was a mod to remote several of the functions (SCAN, LOCKOUT, etc) so updating the SC150 would be less risky when driving down the freeway at 65 MHP.

Tim

3616. Cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Squicquero <s0008871@cc.ysu.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.96.980330083050.53282C-100000@unix1.cc.ysu.edu>
Source record: 165347

Is there a way to enable a scanner to track a cell phone call?

3617. 900 mhz phone freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Squicquero <s0008871@cc.ysu.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.96.980330082849.53282B-100000@unix1.cc.ysu.edu>
Source record: 165348

Can someone please send me a listing of the 900 mhz phone freq's?

3618. Re: Brand New AOR 3000A - $650.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fo85j$bcs@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Gee, it must be bad when someone does not possess the english skills
to write his own ad, and have to resort to stealing someone else's ad
to sell his own radio. (For those interested in buying one - I am
selling the AOR-3000A below that Mr. Owodunni has stolen the words to)
Segun, it must be tough not be able to express yourself.

Pick up a book and read it. A mind is a terrible thing to waste. You
must really try to express yourself without the use of profanity in
personal e-mail messages to others. Remember, any idiot can use
profanity. Have a good day!

On Mon, 30 Mar 1998 04:10:20 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

>
>
>> >>>I have an absolutely BRAND NEW AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>> >>>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoker and
>> >>>the radio has never been used before - Unwanted xmas gift
>> >>>
>> >>>There is nothing wrong with this radio. The 3000A comes with the
>> >>>following:
>> >>>
>> >>>* Software and computer cable
>> >>>* AC adaptor
>> >>>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>> >>>* Telescopic whip antenna
>> >>>
>
>A free discone thrown in if you are an active member of this newsgroup.
>
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3619. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: gimmie@a.break
Message-ID: <35229cbd.5319488@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165350
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
>> > You've have used, and admitted using, over a dozen (actually
>> > seventeen) fictitious and illegal Internet addresses.
>
>How do you figure they are/were illegal Richard?
>
>
>> > anyplace@nowhere.mil no-place@anywhere.com
>> > No-place@anywhere.org nowhere@anyplace.net
>
>These are NOT legitimate addresses & I stated so at the
>time. It was necessary to use them for the Netscape reader
>because I DID NOT have an internet e-mail address at the time.

Of course you had one, you frigging liar. You lie so much, I bet you even
believe yourself!!

3620. Re: UNBLOCK YOUR AR5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-SdSVt1mbf5lN@slip-32-100-186-195.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 165351
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,de.alt.radio-scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Just add an "L" on the end of the URL to change from htm to html.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" in my address

3621. Des Moines, IA freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Winther <winther@u.washington.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95b.980330070440.59120A-100000@homer29.u.washington.edu>
Source record: 165352

I will be visiting Des Moines this coming weekend. I was wondering if anyone knew any police/fire/emergency frequencies to monitor or a link to find some. Thanks.

Brian Winther
Everett, WA

3622. Re: Looking for

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fof93hsd1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165353
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Come to think of it, this newsgroup is really nice, it could be better, if we ban the troublemakers and rude posters amongst us.

I'm just waiting for such a day, when we can bring control to this medium, and get rid of the bad apples.

In article <6fo3lo$o5a@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>, bobwjohnson@usa.net wrote:

> Bill wrote:
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> > similar...
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> on the RadioRests I bought, but I took them off :(
>
> See ya,
>
> Bob

>
> ---
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> any replies to the news group.
>

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3623. Adding Microphones to Headsets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rstevens@cols-compeople.com
Message-ID: <6foopeqbs1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165354
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Does anyone know how I can buy/build an microphone addition to my scanner setup? I have a uniden bc200xlt and two noise reduction headsets from racing radios that weus for race scanning. i'd like to add some kind of voice actuated
microphones that would allow us to talk to each other over (or interrupt) the racebroadcast and, when finished, switch back to the scanner broadcast. I'm SOOO
tired of either screaming or the shoulder-tap/earphone lift method of talking, but they want $400 for the proper setup. With detailed plans, i could build it if anyone can help!! thanks in advance

PS Please respond by emailing to my box, THX AGAIN!!!!!

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3624. Re: 900 mhz phone freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Tuttle <scuba@polarcomm.com>
Message-ID: <6fomi3oqf1@news.corpcomm.net>
Source record: 165355

http://www.dope.org/special-k/files/900mhz.htm
http://www.agt.net/public/gpnet/_-cordless.htm

Both these lists were published back in 95, and from my experience are not complete. But probably a good place to start your search.

Thomas Squicquero wrote in message ...
>Can someone please send me a listing of the 900 mhz phone freq's?
>
>
>

3625. ����� STORM CHASERS WANTED!!!! ����

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: storm@drx.com
Message-ID: <storm-3003981138550001@tuc-ns4-6.goodnet.com>
Source record: 165356

www.stormchaser.com/products.html

3626. Who Is This Mackey Character?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcrump@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6for6v$eum@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Who is this John Mackey guy? Is he a participant in some
new form of group therapy in which psychiatritic patients are
given Internet access? I sure hope he's not running loose
cause he sounds dangerous to me! Has he stalked anybody
besides Bill Cheek?

Jed

3627. Re: Bc 895XLT Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhouse007@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033020025001.PAA25509@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165358

the BC895XLT is triple conversion

from Scanner outlet
410 s Norfolk st
San Mateo Ca 94401
1-650-344-5012

3628. Freqs Need: Las Vegas Flamingo Hilton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Hall <randyh@shasta.gvg.tek.com>
Message-ID: <351FF682.4063@shasta.gvg.tek.com>
Source record: 165359
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Looking for all that you may have.

Thanks,

Randy

3629. Cellular Capable scanners FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eddie Kosloski <scanist@acmenet.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5c1a$e78fada0$6fb698ce@Pscanist>
Source record: 165360
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner

ALL of these scanners are cellular modified and recieve the
REAL cell band (869.975mhz - 869.000mhz)and are in excellent condition.
BC700A- has a xxxC date code -- $175.00
Pro-51- date code 12A3 -- $175.00
Pro-26 - has European CPU installed so the firmware version
is now 728EH EUr 0.11 - $400.00
European CPU for either Pro-2035 or the 2042 that opens up
the entire 800mhz band and also upgrades a 2035 to a 2042 -- $100.00
NO price whiners please (you know who you are !)
Reply to:
scanist@acmenet.net
518-357-9769

3630. Re: Two antennas to one receiver - how?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: obfd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033020424400.PAA03825@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165361

>>I am looking for a device called a Duplexer Antenna Combiner. It is used
>>to
>
>>hook two antennas up to a single receiver. Does anyone know where to
>
>>purchase one or an alternative way to hook up a shortwave and a discone
>
>>antenna to one receiver?
>
>If it's a BNC connector, try either radio shack or a computer store (used for
>networking connections) for a tee connector

Try your local (or not so local) HAM radio store. Keep in mind the units they sell will have a high freq port, low freq port, and combined input/output. These will work to EITHER combine two antennas to one radio, OR you may turn it around and use a wide band antenna with two radios.

Check it out, you'll usually pay $30 to $50

3631. Penna PennDot

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marty(smiley)" <martyrip@ptdprolog.net>
Message-ID: <352008EB.18B@ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 165362

-- Looking for PennDot PL tone for 47.160 to add into my Pa. State file.

@ @ N3PTU
^ 73's from Marty (Smiley)
___/ Email martyrip@ptdprolog.net

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CHANNEL MOBILE TX MOBILE RX PL TONE DISPLAY USE
01 154.755 154.755 186.2 PSP MOB. MOBILE/MOBILE
02 154.950 155.580 186.2 CH.A CH.A
03 155.910 155.670 186.2 CH.B CH.B
04 155.850 155.505 186.2 CH.C CH.C
05 158.910 154.665 186.2 CH.D CH.D
06 154.905 154.695 186.2 CH.E CH.E
07 154.830 154.920 186.2 CH.F CH.F
08 155.445 155.445 186.2 CH.G CH.G
09 155.475 155.475 C.Sq NEPF National Emerg.
10 154.755 159.210 186.2 RPTR1 Car Repeater
11 159.210 154.755 123.0 RPTR2 Base Repeater
12 155.460 155.460 186.2 TAC-1 Tactical 1
13 151.490 151.490 186.2 TAC-2 Tactical 2
14 154.950 154.950 186.2 MON A Ch.A Talk Around
15 155.910 155.910 186.2 MON B Ch.B Talk Around
16 155.850 155.850 186.2 MON C Ch.C Talk Around
17 158.910 158.910 186.2 MON D Ch.D Talk Around
18 154.905 154.905 186.2 MON E Ch.E Talk Around
19 154.830 154.830 186.2 MON F Ch.F Talk Around
20 156.015 158.760 151.4 ADMIN-1 With Phone
21 156.015 158.760 123.0 ADMIN-2 Without Phone
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23 156.195 159.045 179.9 RPT 1 3 Turnpike Rpt.ODD*
24 156.225 159.075 179.9 RPT 2 4 Turnpike Rpt.EVEN*
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Not Confirmed159.030 159.030 123.0 TAC DES Tactical Des**
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A3 Indiana 154.695B/154.905M E Indiana Co.
A4 Kiski Valley 155.580B/154.950M A Wesmoreland Co.
A6 Somerset 155.580B/154.950M A Somerset Co.

Troop B
B1 Washington (HQ) 154.665B/158.910M D Washington Co.
B2 Belle Vernon 154.695B/154.905M E Fayette Co.
B3 Findlay 155.670B/155.910M B Alleghney Co.
B4 Uniontown 155.670B/155.910M B Fayette Co.
B5 Waynesburg 155.505B/155.850M C Greene Co.
B6 Pittsburgh Barracks CLOSED 8/96) Alleghney Co.

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C3 Clearfield 155.670B/155.910M B Clearfield Co
C4 DuBois 155.505B/155.850M C Clearfield Co.
C5 Kane 155.670B/155.910M B McKean Co.
C6 Ridgeway 154.920B/154.830M F Elk Co.
C7 Tionesta 155.670B/155.910M B Forest Co.
C Mt. Jewell 155.670B/155.910M B McKean Co.

Troop D

D1 Butler (HQ) 154.665B/158.910M D Butler Co.
D2 Kittanning 155.505B/155.850M C Armstrong Co.
D3 Mercer 154.695B/154.905M E Mercer Co.
D4 Beaver 155.505B/155.850M C Beaver Co.
D6 New Castle 155.505B/155.850M C Lawrence Co.

Troop E
E1 Erie (HQ) 155.580B/154.950M A Erie Co.
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E3 Seneca 155.580B/154.950M A Venange Co.
E4 Girard 154.665B/158.910M D Erie Co.
E5 Meadville 155.670B/155.910M B Crawford Co.
E6 Warren 155.580B/154.950M A Warren Co.

Troop F
F1 Montoursville(HQ) 154.665B/158.910M D Lycoming Co.
F2 Coudersport 155.580B/154.950M A Potter Co.
F3 Emporium 154.665B/158.910M D Cameron Co.
F4 Lock Haven 155.580B/154.950M A Clinton Co.
F5 Mansfield 155.670B/155.910M B Tioga Co.
F6 Milton 155.580B/154.950M A Union Co.

F7 Selinsgrove 155.580B/154.950M A Snyder Co.
F8 Stonington 155.580B/154.950M A Northumbererland Co.

Troop G
G1 Holidaysburg (HQ) 154.695R/154.905M E Blair Co. (Rpt.)
G2 Bedford 155.505B/155.850M C Bedford Co.
G3 Hutningdon 154.665B/158.910M D Huntingdon Co.
G4 Lewistown 154.920B/154.830M F Mifflin Co.
G5 McConnellsburg 155.505B/155.850M C Fulton Co.
G7 Rockview 155.505B/155.850M C Center Co.
G8 Phillipsburg 155.505B/155.850M C Clearfield Co.
G Milesburg 154.665B/158.910M D Center Co.

Troop H
H1 Harrisburg (HQ) 155.670B/155.910M B Dauphin Co.
H2 Carlisle 154.665R/158.910M D Cumberland Co. (Rpt.)
H3 Chambersburg 155.670B/155.910M B Frankin Co.
H4 Lykens 155.580B/154.950M A Dauphin Co.
H5 Newport 155.445B/155.445M G Perry Co.
H6 Gettysburg 155.580B/154.950M A Adams Co.
H7 York 155.505B/155.850M C York Co.
H Hershey (Academy) 155.670B/155.910M B Dauphin Co.

Troop J
J1 Lancaster (HQ) 155.580B/154.950M A Lancaster Co.
J2 Avondale 155.670B/155.910M B Chester Co.
J3 Embreeville 155.445B/155.445M G Chester Co.
J5 Eprhata 155.670B/155.910M B Lancaster Co.

Troop K
K1 Philadelphia (HQ) 155.670B/155.910M B Philadelphia Co.
K2 Media 155.505B/155.850M C Delaware Co.
K3 Limerick 155.670B/155.910M B Montgomery Co.

Troop L
L1 Reading (HQ) 154.695R/154.905M E* Berks Co. (Rpt.)
L2 Jonestown 155.505B/155.850M C Lebanon Co.
L3 Frackville 155.505B/155.850M C Schuylkill Co.
L4 Hamburg 154.695R/154.905M E Berks Co. (Rpt.)
L7 Schuylkill Haven 155.505B/155.850M C Schuylkill Co.

Troop M
M1 Bethlehem (HQ) 155.580B/154.950M A Northampton Co.
M2 Dublin 155.505B/155.850M C Bucks Co.
M3 Trevose 155.580B/154.950M A Bucks Co.
M5 Fogelsville 155.670B/155.910M B Lehigh Co.
M6 Belfast 155.580B/154.950M A Northampton Co.

Troop N
N1 Hazleton (HQ) 155.670B/155.910M B Luzerne Co.
N2 Bloomsburg 155.670B/155.910M B Columbia Co.
N3 Fern Ridge 155.670B/155.910M B Monrose Co.

N4 Lehighton 155.505B/155.850M C Carbon Co.
N6 Swiftwater 155.670B/155.910M B Monror Co.

Troop P
P1 Wyoming (HQ) 155.505B/155.850M C Luzerne Co.
P2 Dushore 155.505B/155.850M C Sullivan Co.
P4 Shickshinny 155.505B/155.850M C Luzerne Co.
P5 Towanda 155.505B/155.850M C Brandford Co.
P6 Tunkhannock 155.505B/155.850M C Wyoming Co.

Troop R
R1 Dunmore (HQ) 155.445B/155.445M G Lackawanna Co.
R3 Honesdale 155.505B/155.850M C Wayne Co.
R4 Blooming Grove 155.580B/154.950M A Pike Co.
R5 Gibson 155.580B/154.950M A Susquehanna Co.

Note: Rpt. denotes that the channel is operated in REPEATER mode versus the normal full duplex.

Troop S - Interstate Patrols

Eliminated 5/17/97

All Interstate/Highway patrols are now operated by the barracks in the area.

Troop T (See Turnpike)

PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE TEN CODE LIST
10-1 SIGNAL WEAK 10-26 ESTIMATED ARRIVAL TIME
10-2 SIGNAL GOOD 10-27 LICENSE/PERMIT INFORMATION
10-3 STOP TRNSMITTING 10-28 OWNERSHIP INFORMATION
10-4 AFFIRMATIVE (OK) 10-29 RECORDS CHECK
10-5 RELAY TO_____ 10-30 DANGER/CAUTION
10-6 BUSY 10-31 PICK-UP
10-7 OUT OF SERVICE AT HOME 10-32 ____UNITS REQUESTE
10-8 IN SERVICE 10-34 TIME CHECK
10-9 REPEAT YOUR MESSAGE 10-37 INTOXICATED PERSON
10-10 NEGATIVE 10-40 ADVISE IF______AVAILABLE FOR CALL
10-11 ____ON DUTY 10-42 DOES NOT CONFORM TO REGULATIONS
10-12 STAND-BY 10-43 ADVISE OF ROAD/WEATHER CONDITIONS
10-13 EXISTING CONDITIONS 10-44 ACKNOWLEDGE
10-14 MESSAGE/INFORMATION 10-45 VEHICLE ACCIDENT
10-15 MESSAGE DELIVERED 10-46 DETAINING SUBJECT
10-16 REPLY TO MWSSAGE 10-47 NEED AMBULANCE
10-17 EN ROUTE *10-71 IBM SERVICE REQUESTED
10-18 URGENT *10-72 ELECTRICAL SERVICE REQUESTER
10-19 IN CONTACT *10-73 PLUMBING SERVICE REQUESTER
10-20 LOCATION *10-74 RESERVATIONS REQUESTED
10-21 TELEPHONE______IMMEDIATELY 10-88 HAVE PACKAGE FOR_______
10-22 DISREGARD 10-89 ____IS CALLING YOU
10-23 ARRIVED AT SCENE 10-97 RADIO CHECK
10-24 ASSIGNMENT SIGNAL 33 HELP ME QUICK

10-25 RETURN TO_____
10-99 EMERGENCY AT THIS STATION-ALL UNITS COPY-INTERFERING STATIONS STAND-BY
* NOT USE BY NON-TURNPIKE UNITS

PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE STATUTE CODES
601 DRIVING WITHOUT LICENSE 3731 DRUNK DRIVING
2501 CRIMINAL HOMICIDE 3732 HOMICIDE BY VEHICLE
2502 MURDER 3925 RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY
2701 SIMPLE ASSAULT 3926 THEFT OF SERVICES
2702 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT 4101 FORGERY
2705 RECKLESSLY ENDANGERING 4105 BAD CHECKS
2706 TERRORISTIC THREATS 4106 FORGED CREDIT CARDS
2709 HARASSMENT 4304 ENDANGERING WELFARE OF CHILDREN
2901 KIDNAPPING 4905 FILING FALSE POLICE REPORT
3121 RAPE 4912 IMPERSONATING A POLICE OFFICER
3122 STATUTORY RAPE 5104 RESISTING ARREST
3125 CORRUPTION OF MINORS 5121 ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY
3126 INDECENT ASSAULT 5501 RIOT
3127 INDECENT EXPOSURE 5503 DISORDERLY CONDUCT
3301 ARSON 5504 HARASSMENT BY COMMUNICATIONS
3304 CRIMINAL MISCHIEF 5505 PUBLIC DRUNKENNESS
3306 OPENING FIRE HYDRANTS 5506 LOITERING OR PROWLING AT NIGHT
3502 BURGLARY 5513 LIIEGAL GAMBLING
3503 CRIMINAL TRESPASS 5902 PROSTITUTION
3701 ROBBERY 6308 UNDERAGE DRINKING
3714 RECKLESS DRIVING 6501 LITTERING
(STATUTE CODES SELDOM USED)

Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission

PL on INPUT/NO PL on output.

159.045/156.195 179.9 MP 0-109.9, 201.3-298.0 & NW Ext. MP A10.3-A110.3
159.075/156.225 179.9 MP 109.9-201.3 & 298.0-359.0
159.000 Mobile to Mobile, Radar, Aircraft
154.755 Mobile to Mobile, Radar, Aircraft
155.460 PSP Tac 1
151.490 PSP Tac 2
453.150/458.150 Tunnels
453.300/458.300 Tunnels

PA. TURNPIKE UNITS
150-series are Ambulances 200-series are tow trucks
300-series are State Police 2000-series are highway maintenace

Police & Maint/Work Crews use same channels on.
PSP Troop T handles patrols on the turnpike. ALL Troop T dispatch
is done from Harrisburg. System is linked via microwave.

Pennsylvania Attorney General's Office

154.950 (F-1) -Drug Enforcement Mobile-to Mobile
155.445R/ (F-2) -Drug Enforcement Dispatch
155.490 (F-3) -Drug Enforcement Regional (CLEAN)
156.090 (F-4) -Drug Enforcement Special Operations
460.200/465.200 179.9 Department of Justice North Repeaters (F1)
460.475/465.475 179.9 Department of Justice South Repeaters (F2)

Use depends on if one of the channels has been assigned to local agencies.
Western PA is primarily 460.475

Pennsylvania State Police Liquor Control Board Detail>

158.7600R/156.0150 151.4 F-1 (Phone Patch Capable)
158.7600R/156.0150 123.0 F-2 (No Phone Patch)
453.1375R/458.1375 Harrisburg
45.3000 Simplex Portables (Old System)

Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency (PEMA)

PEMA uses 5 channels:
453.525/458.525 Main Repeater
453.350/458.350 Mobile Repeater
453.525 Simplex
453.350 Simplex
158.835 VHF
45.300 (Old System)
PEMA uses DIFFERING CTCSS (PL) tones for various counties main
repeater as follows:

Allegheny Co. 210.7
Armstrong Co. 103.5
Carbon Co. 136.5
Clearfield Co. 179.9
Fayette Co. 118.8
Indiana Co. 136.5
Lawrence Co. 156.7
Washington Co. 156.7
Schuylkill Co. 210.7 rpt. tx 179.9 Input
Somerset Co. 136.5

PL is NOT used on 453.350 the mobile repeater or simplex.

169.425 PEMA Rain Gauges
169.500 PEMA Rain Gauges
169.525 PEMA Rain Gauges
170.275 PEMA Rain Gauges
171.025 PEMA Rain Gauges
171.085 PEMA Rain Gauges
171.125 PEMA Rain Gauges
171.875 PEMA Rain Gauges
412.625 PEMA Rain Gauges

Rain Gauges are scattered throughout the state, and transmit
data on the above
frequency back to the local EMA office. At that point it's
collected on a
computer using IFLOWS software, and relayed to PEMA HQ in HBG via
Ku band VSAT
satellite system.

PEMA also utilizes the Ku band satellite system known as SEVAN
to send
messages to local EMA offices regarding events around the state,
and weather
information from the NOAA Weather Wire.

SEVAN also provides for a voice channel to all EMA agencies,
and a video
channel from PEMA HQ.

Pennsylvania State Capitol Police
453.300R/458.300 PL192.8 Ch.1
453.100R/458.100 PL192.8 Ch.2

Pennsylvania State Senate Secuity
453.550R/458.550 PL156.7

Pennsylvania State Prisons
45.160 PL203.5 Statewide
453.300R/458.300 PL203.5 Mahanoy Twp. Schuylkill Co. Pa.
453.300R/458.300 PL203.5 Somerset, Somerset Co. Pa.
453.325R/458.325 PL203.5 Bellefonte, Centre Co. Pa.
453.325R/458.325 PL203.5 Camp Hill, Cumberland Co. Pa.
453.325R/458.325 PL203.5 Dallas, Luzerne Co. Pa.
453.325R/458.325 PL203.5 Frackville, Schuylkill Co. Pa.
453.325R/458.325 PL203.5 Graterford Montgomery Co. Pa.
453.325R/458.325 PL203.5 Pittsburgh-Western Pennitentary
453.450R/458.450 PL203.5 Camp Hill, Cumblerland Co. Pa.
453.450R/458.450 PL203.5 Cresson Cambria Co. Pa.
453.500R/458.500 PL203.5 Somerset, Somerset Co. Pa.
453.600R/458.600 PL203.5 Bellefonte, Centre Co. Pa.
453.625R/458.625 PL203.5 Graterford Montgomery Co. Pa.
453.625R/458.625 PL203.5 Mahanoy Twp. Schuylkill Co. Pa.
453.725R/458.725 PL203.5 Albion Erie Co. Pa.
453.825R/458.825 PL203.5 Coal Shamokin Northumberland Co. Pa.
453.825R/458.825 PL203.5 Frackville, Schuylkill Co. Pa.
453.875R/458.875 PL203.5 Camp Hill, Cumblerland Co. Pa.
453.875R/458.875 PL203.5 Coal Shamokin Northumberland Co. Pa.

PA. DEPARTMENT OF ENIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (DEP) and
PA. DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES (DCNR)
151.175 SIMPLEX F-1 PL103.5
151.295 SIMPLEX F-2 PL103.5
151.385 SIMPLEX F-3 PL103.5

151.400 SIMPLEX F-4 PL103.5
151.160 SIMPLEX F-5 PL103.5
151.445 SIMPLEX F-6 PL103.5
159.285 SIMPLEX F-7 PL103.5
159.330 SIMPLEX F-8 PL103.5
151.175/159.225 F-9 Dist. 1,2,7,9,10,11
151.295/159.360 F-10 Dist. 6,13,12,15,20
151.385/159.420 F-11 Dist. 4,16,17,18,19
151.400/159.345 F-12 Dist. 3,5,8,14

DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES (DCNR) RADIO IDENTIFIERS
DIST. IDENTIFIER BASE DIST. IDENTIFIER BASE
1 ALPHA FAYETTEVILLE 11 LIMA SCRANTON
2 BRAVO MCCONNELLSBURG 12 MIKE SOUTH WILLIAMSPORT
3 CHARLIE BLAIN 13 NOVEMBER EMPORIUM
4 DELTA LIGONIER 14 PAPA WARREN
5 ECHO HUNTINGDON 15 ROMEO COUDERSPORT
6 FOXTROT EBENSBURG 16 SIERRA WELLSBORO
7 GOLF MIFFINBURG 17 TANGO BUCKTOWN
8 HOTEL CLARION 18 VICTOR CRESSONA
9 JULIETTE CLEARFIELD 19 WHISKEY STROUDSBURG
10 KILO RENOVO 20 XRAY BLOOMSBURG

PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF ENIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (DEP)
Mobile Relay Frequency Data Mach 1, 1987
TX.FREQ RX.FREQ TX.PL RX.PL CALL SIGN SITE COUNTY
151.175R/159.255 103.5/141.3 KWI669 BIG FLAT CUMBERLAND
151.175R/159.255 114.8/114.8 KVN571 RATTLESNAKE CENTRE
151.175R/159.255 114.8/103.5 KDY285 ROCKTON CLEARFIELD
151.175R/159.255 114.8/127.3 KQN935 TAMARACK CLINTON
151.175R/159.255 114.8/156.7 KQN936 RAINSARES CLINTON
151.175R/159.255 156.7/88.5 KFZ745 ELK MT. SUSQUEHANNA
151.175R/159.255 156.7/173.8 KUO922 FREELAND LUZERNE
151.175R/159.255 103.5/110.9 KLS512 TUSCARORA FULTON
151.175R/159.255 103.5/136.5 KWI698 KINTON KNOB BEDFORD
151.175R/159.255 114.8/192.8 KZF969 BEAVER SNYER

151.295R/159.360 141.3/141.3 KVN570 BLUE KNOB BEDFORD
151.295R/159.360 141.3/156.7 KFO902 LOWER YODER CAMBRIA
151.295R/159.360 114.3/94.8 KVN642 HEMINGWAY LYCOMING
151.295R/159.360 173.8/173.8 KTI717 BOOT JACK ELK
151.295R/159.360 173.8/192.8 KUJ546 BROOKS CAMERON
151.295R/159.360 173.8/136.5 KUJ548 PROSPECT McKEAN
151.295R/159.360 114.8/110.9 KNDV312 SOLAR MT.
151.295R/159.360 173.8/88.5 KVN641 TAMARACK CLINTON
151.295R/159.360 114.8/103.5 KDX454 FREELAND LUZERNE
151.295R/159.360 114.8/114.8 KDX455 NORTH MT. SULLIVAN
151.295R/159.360 114.8/127.3 KDX453 BOYERS NORHTUMBERLAND
151.295R/159.360 141.3/186.2 WQD459 PINE CLEARFIELD

151.385R/159.420 127.3/103.5 KQO251 BEAR CAVE WESTMORELAND
151.385R/159.420 127.3/127.3 KQO253 PONDFIELD FAYETTE
151.385R/159.420 127.3/156.7 KQO252 NEGRO MT. SUMERSET
151.385R/159.420 88.5/110.9 KVV850 HEMINGWAY LYCOMING
151.385R/159.420 103.5/88.5 KLU444 WELSH HILL LANCASTER
151.385R/159.420 103.5/94.8 KQL752 FLINT HILL LEHIGH
151.385R/159.420 103.5/173.8 KFX266 ELLENDALE DAUPHIN
151.385R/159.420 103.5/114.8 KNHM323 BEAR'S HEAD SCHUYLKILL
151.385R/159.420 103.5/156.7 KDX447 HIGH KNOB PINE
151.385R/159.420 103.5/103.5 KFI584 POHOPOCO MONROE
151.385R/159.420 88.5/88.5 WNBJ427 QUARRY
151.385R/159.420 88.5/100.0 KNDV312 CEDAR MT.
151.385R/159.420 88.5/136.5 KZF970 KELLOGG BRADFORD
151.385R/159.420 103.5/186.2 KNBT576 WEXFORD ALLEGHENY
151.385R/159.420 127.3/141.3 WQD460 BALD KNOB SOMERSET
151.385R/159.420 103.5/192.8 WQD458 PHILADELPHIA PHILADELPHIA
151.385R/159.420 103.5/186.2 WHN497 BLACK EDDY

151.400R/159.345 156.7/156.7 KQU276 BIG KNOB PERRY
151.400R/159.345 156.7/192.8 KTU287 LITTLE FLAT CENTER
151.400R/159.345 156.7/94.8 KTU258 JACKS MT. HUNTINGTON
151.400R/159.345 103.5/103.5 KSQ442 FRYBURG CLARION
151.400R/159.345 103.5/114.8 KWV591 GIBBS HILL McKEAN
151.400R/159.345 103.5/127.3 KSZ840 TOWNVILLE CRAWFORD
151.400R/159.345 103.5/156.7 KXA325 NEW CASTLE LAWRENCE
151.400R/159.345 103.5/136.5 WQD462 WATERFORD ERIE
151.400R/159.345 103.5/173.8 WQD461 PENN VIEW INDIANA
151.400R/159.345 103.5/141.3 WNHA827 ERIE ERIE

Pennsylvania Fish Commission

45.040 PL 136.5 F-1 Admin
44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5 F-2
44.840 PL 141.3 F-3 Common Channel
44.700 PL 136.5 F-4
45.440 PL 136.5
45.000 PL 136.5
45.300/
42.600 PL 136.5 F-10

On All Repeater outputs PL are 136.5 Fish Commission uses DIFFERING input
CTCSS (PL) tones for various area F-2 repeater
as follows:
44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5/141.3 KNIS318 MOUNT PENN BERKS
44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5/136.5 WNJB200 BOWMANS HILL BUCKS
44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5/186.2 KNIH869 PETERS MOUNTAIN DAUPHIN
44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5/167.9? KNIS319 CLARKS KNOB FRANKLIN
44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5/141.3 WNKE680 KITTANNING JEFFERSON
44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5/218.1 WNBV865 HOLT WOOD LANCASTER
44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5/156.7 WNKE680 LITTLE GAP LEHIGH
44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5/173.8 KNIH867 PENOBSCOT MOUNTAIN LUZERNE

44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5/192.8 WNAG965 SHAFFERS PATH LYCOMING
44.960R/45.300 PL 136.5/???.? WNAG966 HIGH KNOB PIKE

Southwestern Region

F27 Supervisor F36 Armstrong
F28 Asst. Supervisor F37 Indiana
F29 Reserved F38 Westmoreland
F30 Beaver F39 Fayette
F31 Washington F40 Cambria
F32 Greene F41 Somerset
F33 Allegheny, South F42 Three Rivers
F34 Allegheny, North
F35 Allegheny, East

Southcentral Region

F56 Supervisor F63 Juniata / Mifflin
F57 Asst. Supervisor F64 Perry
F58 Reserved F65 Cumberland
F59 Blair F66 Adams
F60 Bedford F67 York
F61 Huntingdon F85 Daulphin
F62 Franklin / Fulton F86 Lebanon
Southeastern Region
F89 Supervisor???
F90 Berks

Pennsylvania Game Commission

44.640 PL 141.3 F-1 Northeast District Dallas
44.840 PL 141.3 F-2 Common Channel
44.880 PL 141.3 F-3 Mob. to Mob.
44.920 PL 141.3 F-4 Southcentral District Huntington
44.760 PL 141.3 F-5 Southeast District Reading
45.000 PL 141.3 F-6 Southwest District Ligonier
44.680 PL 141.3 F-? Northcentral District Avis
44.720 PL 141.3 F-? Mob. to Mob.
44.800 PL 141.3 F-? Northwest District Frankin
151.370/159.360
100-serice Northwest Region P.O. Box 31, Franklin 16323 Venango Co. Pa
1-800-533-6764 Howard Harshaw, Director
Counties Served

1?? Butler 1?? Jefferson
1?? Clarion 1?? Lawrence
1?? Crawford 1?? Mercer
1?? Erie 1?? Venango
1?? Forest 1?? Warren

200-serice Southwest Region P.O. Box A, Ligonier 15658 Westmoreland Co. Pa.
1-800-243-8519 Harry Richards, Director

Counties Served
215 Allegheny 226 Indiana
216 Allegheny 227 Indiana
217 Armstrong 228 Somerset North
218 Armstrong 229 Somerset Central
219 Beaver 230 Somerset South
220 Cambria North 231 Washington
221 Cambria South 232 Washington
222 Fayette 233 Westmoreland
223 Fayette 234 Westmoreland
224 Greene 235 Westmoreland
225 Greene

300-serice Northcentral Region Avis,P.O. Box 5038, Jersey Shore 17740 Clinton Co. Pa.
1-800-422-7551 Henry Stankewich, Director
Counties Served

3?? Cameron 3?? Lycoming
3?? Centre 3?? McKean
3?? Clearfield 3?? Potter
3?? Clinton 3?? Tioga
3?? Elk 3?? Union

400-serice Southcentral Region P.O. Box 537,Huntingdon 16652 Huntington Co. Pa.
1-800-422-7554 Willis Sneath, Director
Counties Served

4?? Adams 4?? Huntingdon
4?? Bedford 4?? Juniata
4?? Blair 4?? Mifflin
4?? Cumberland 4?? Perry
4?? Franklin 4?? Snyder
4?? Fulton

500-serice Northeast Region P.O. Box 220, Dallas 18612 Luzerne Co. Pa.
1-800-228-0789 Barry Warner, Director
Counties Served

5?? Bradford 5?? Northumberland
5?? Carbon 5?? Pike
5?? Columbia 5?? Sullivan
5?? Lackawanna 5?? Susquehanna
5?? Luzerne 5?? Wayne
5?? Monroe 5?? Wyoming
5?? Montour

600-serice Southeast Region RD 2, Box 2584, Reading 19605 Berks Co.
1-800-228-0791 Barry Moore, Director 610-926-3136
Counties Served

6?? Berks 6?? Lehigh
6?? Bucks 6?? Montgomery
6?? Chester 6?? Northampton

6?? Dauphin 6?? Philadelphia
6?? Delaware 6?? Schuylkill
6?? Lancaster 6?? York
6?? Lebanon

Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT)

PennDOT used an old half-duplex (base/mobile) system similar to PSP, but recently acquired several new frequencies and seems to be using simplex on them. The list below represents all frequencies assigned to PennDOT.

Listed below is the old system plan. An

47.300B/47.380M 146.2 F-1 Dist. 1,3,6,7,9,11
47.040B/47.200M 136.5 F-? Dist. 2,5,12
47.060B/47.080M 156.7 F-? Dist. 4,8,10
47.280 Simplex 167.9 F-2 Eastern Dist.3,4,5,6,7 & 8
47.140 Simplex 167.9 F-2 Western Dist.1,2,9,10,11 & 12
47.160 Simplex F-?
47.180 Simplex 127.3 F-?

151.010 Simplex 110.9 Penn DOT Motor Carrier Enforcement
151.100
159.195

PennDOT Districts

1 - Crawford, Erie, Forest, Mercer, Venago, Warren
2 - Cameron, Centre, Clearfield, Clinton, Elk, Juniata, Potter, Mckean,Mifflin
3 - Bradford, Columbia, Lycoming, Montour, Northumberland, Snyder, Sullivan,Tioga, Union
4 - Lackawanna, Luzerne, Susquehanna, Wayne, Wyoming
5 - Berks, Carbon, Lehigh, Pike, Schuylkill
6 - Bucks, Chester, Deleware, Montgomery
7 - Philadelphia
8 - Adams, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Lancaster, Lebanon, Perry, York
9 - Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Fulton, Huntingdon, Somerset
10 - Armstrong, Butler, Clarion, Indiana, Jefferson
11 - Allegheny, Beaver, Lawrence
12 - Fayette, Greene, Washington, Westmoreland

Send addition or changes
To martyrip@ptdprolog.net
OR
N3PTU@WB3FYL.EPA.PA.USA.NA

3632. policescanner chat room

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken81145@rockisland.com
Message-ID: <6fp3rp$4vd$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165363

What happened to the policescanner chat room. Its been off for four days.
Does any one now when they will be back on.

ken81145@rockisland.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3633. Re: WACARS porblems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOSPAM remove XX to reamail <telecom@deal-maker.comXX>
Message-ID: <3520070E.6AB7@deal-maker.comXX>
Source record: 165364
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.scanners,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hallo,

Nu, dit voorstel doe ik al vanaf versie 03 aan Mike,
maar hij gaat niet overstag.
Misschien als hij massaal, en van iedereen email ontvangt met dit
verzoek
,dat hij wel gaat ?

Het prog werkt via modem 200%,nu dus niet, en tevens komt het prog beter
tot zijn recht.

email adres auteur,

Mike@mcmail.com

> Hi all,
>
> Is there anyone out there who can help me with the following problem:
>
> The WACARS 05 program does not work very good in combination with my
> soundcard, and as a matter of fact, I already needed my soundcard for
> another purpose; the Recall soundrecorder...
>
> So what I would like to have done is to attach the WACARS-software to
> the HAMCOM-modem or the LOWE-acars interface....
>
> Must be a rather easy job for a technician wich I am certainly NOT!!
>
> All suggestions very welcome,
>
> Thanx in adv,
>
> CU Eric van den Bosch, Katwijk, The Netherlands
>
> > Eric van den Bosch = Valkenburg Tower Scannerreport
> > http://home.wxs.nl/~erboblex/ehvb.htm
> > mailto:erboblex@wxs.nl

3634. Re: Vandenberg Launch Alert

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Neuschaefer <neuschaefer_rich@tandem.com>
Message-ID: <351FF2DF.5D00@tandem.com>
Source record: 165365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.astro.amateur,sci.space.tech

Hi Brian,

Several of us were star partying at Fremont Pead and saw the launch.

I was watching the rocket through my binoculars and was noticed as
the first stage rockets fell away every few seconds they would burn
briefly almost at the same time. This while the second stage was
well away.

Why this periodic burning of the first stage rockets well after
they had separated from the second stage?

Thanks,
Rich

3635. Re: Why does "Abner Boyd" pilfer other people's signatures?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: grubekg@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6fou64faf1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 165366

H. Quimby, KC7RAX wrote:
>
> Just when I thought that I'd seen/heard the limit (low) of human
> nature. Up pops another no-class, garbage-mouth.

I completely agree. But I fear this ain't the best some of the guys around here can give. Maybe they'll never reach the ground. Anyway, just ignore them.

Good thing I know that average Americans ain't like these guys. Other people from abrooad might do so....

Mike

3636. Re: 10 Codes vs Plain Language

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: tron <tron@juno.com>
Message-ID: <35200FC9.89E62324@juno.com>
Source record: 165367

A great place to ask is: alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

WB5SXK wrote:
> Has anyone seen any case studies concerning the use of 10 codes vs plain
> language in Public Safety Communications? I interested in Agencies/Departments
> which have mandated Plain Text over 10 Codes.
>
> Thanks
>
> Bill Ford, WB5SXK
> Systems Administrator
> City of Vicksburg (MS) Radio System
> Phone (601) 631-2995 Fax (601) 634-4565
> Email: wb5sxk@amsat.org

3637. Any BC235XLT Modifications?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raymond Hudson <email.raymond@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fp59o$51a@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165368

I read that most newer scanners (after 1995) cannot be modified for cellular fequencies. Does that apply to the BC235XLT?

If not, are there any other modifications possible?

3638. FS: Regency Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe B <joeb@succeed.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5c20$8e39bf60$0c35abce@default>
Source record: 165369

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3639. PRO 2026 Mod sought!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcs4.NOSPAM@psu.edu
Message-ID: <dcs4.NOSPAM-ya023580003003981752460001@news.psu.edu>
Source record: 165370

I recently adopted a used PRO 2026 100-channel mobile programmable scanner.
I really like this little guy, nice features but very compact.

One drawback I've noted is the very short memory back-up for programmed
channels. The unit was intended to be mounted in a vechile and the memory
would have had constant power. I'm using it in the house with an adapter,
but if it loses power to the memory back-up system for longer than a few
minutes (if I leave it unplugged overnight or move it from home to the
office, etc.), it forgets everything that was programmed.

Is there a known modification to extend the memory life? Could I replace
the "stock" capacitor/battery with a better one? Other ideas?

Thanks!

- Dave

==
David C. Shaffer mailto:dcs4@psu.edu
==

"Through the gateway, off the repeater,
over the backbone, nothing but net!"

3640. Re: Freq's for NYS police helicopter's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6fp7m6$1512$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 165371

Aaron Ceraldi wrote in message <6fmtlr$q6s$1@news.monmouth.com>...
>looking for any freq's for NYS police choppers.
>Thanks,
>Aaron Ceraldi

Same as the cars - depends on where you are. Check the NF2G Scannist
Pages (www.ggw.org/nf2g) for details on NYSP freqs.

3641. PRO-41 Scanner Service Data

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: hughes@cleveland.cc.nc.us
Message-ID: <6fpeq6$f13$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165372

My nephew dropped his Radio Shack PRO-41 Scanner. He broke what appears to be a small choke (coil?) with F106 stamped on it. This is located on the logic PCB near the Nicad Case. The local Radio Shack gave him a parts list, but no PCB layout.

Now the scanner receives below 150MHZ, but not above 150MHz. The squelch does not work.

Anyone have any ideas? Thanks.

Mark Hughes WB4UHI

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3642. Re: Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Aronskys <4penpals@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fp840$o92@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
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Now that is very lucky listening to a celebrity or something. I would think it was Mariah Carrey but I am not sure she has a deal with Warner Brothers.

Rory Aronsky

3643. Re: FS: RARE Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robin Birch <robin@falstaf.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <HiNGYBALtBI1Eweb@falstaf.demon.co.uk>
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In article <351EFA5A.73FA@frontiernet.net>, will Herzog
<herzog@frontiernet.net> writes
>An easy answer is to put a dropping resistor in series next time you
>replace the bulb. 100 ohm or so.
>This helps the life by limiting the inrush.
>
Another answer is to get in touch with your local classic car spares
company. MGs (60s and 70s vintage) Used 14v bulbs in their dashboard
switches. These are small screw in ones about 3/8ths long and 1/8th
diam and are still available.

>Tim, K8TJ wrote:
>>
>> Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12
>> volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount
>> of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually
>> forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find.
>> Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again
>> in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all
>> the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you.
>> Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want
>> to play the auction bidding game.
>> --
>> Tim, K8TJ
>>
>
Cheers

Robin
Robin Birch robin@falstaf.demon.co.uk

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3644. Repair Tips for Radio Shack Scanner Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6fp8m2$5ja@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
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Introduction

Radio Shack has been selling scanners and monitor receivers
under the Realistic and Radio Shack labels for over 30
years. Most of them were manufactured by General Research
Electronics of Tokyo, though many newer models are
manufactured by Uniden.

The date of manufacture is usually printed on a gummed
label on the scanner as well as the cardboard box. A code
of 12A5, means the scanner was made in the 12th month of
1975, 1985, or 1995, for example.

There's another way to date Radio Shack scanners
manufactured by Uniden. The first digit of the long serial
number is usually the last digit of the year of
manufacture.

Another way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine
the 4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most
recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

Service manuals for most Radio Shack scanners sold through mid-1997 may be ordered through your local Radio Shack store.

If Radio Shack doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

Parts lists for recent and many older models are available on line at: http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/2849.html. Parts may be ordered through Tandy National Parts, telephone (800)442-2425 or (817)870-5600, or through your local Radio Shack store

G & G Communications (telephone (716)768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts for several older models, especially Electra/Bearcat and Regency brands, but they don't sell manuals or schematics. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

GRE-Built Base Models: Dim Backlight

The backlight in many base models, including the PRO-2022, PRO-2004, and PRO-2005/6 is implemented by an electroluminescent panel, which grows dim with use.

The EL panel used in the PRO-2005 and PRO-2006 is designated EL-501, and is identified by Radio Shack part #10800050. A new EL panel can be ordered through your Tandy National parts (see above) or local Radio Shack store and sent to your home. Radio Shack no longer sells replacement EL panels for the PRO-2004.

Replacing the backlight is an operation which requires care and patience. Purchase a service manual, and study the exploded parts diagrams as you read the following steps.

Top and bottom cabinet pieces must be removed, then the speaker unplugged from the main board. The front panel assembly must be removed from the chassis by removing 4 flat head screws, 2 on each side. You need not disconnect all the wiring harnesses, though you might have to unplug one so it won't get in the way of a hot soldering iron.

Unsolder the bare ground wire soldered to a large shield on the back of the front panel, located near the back of the squelch control. Two ground braids must be temporarily disconnected by removing the screws which fasten them to the chassis. After removing the volume and squelch knobs, you must remove 8 small screws which fasten the plastic

front panel to the diplay board.

The old EL panel is fastened by a bead of glue and two foil type leads soldered to the display board. It's easier to cut the two leads from the old EL panel before unsoldering. A sharp knife should be used cut away the glue. The old EL panel can then be slid gently out from behind the LCD display.

The new EL panel can be installed by reversing the process, though I found that it is not necessary to glue the new panel. The two foil leads must be soldered using a minimum of heat. Reassemble the pieces in reverse order of disassembly.

GRE-Built Portables: Worn Out Keypads

The keypad on late model GRE-made Radio Shack portables, e.g., PRO-39 and PRO-43, can become unreliable after prolonged use. The best repair is to replace the rubber keypad instead of trying to restore contacts using chemicals. A replacement rubber keypad may be ordered inexpensively through Tandy National Parts or your local Radio Shack Store.

PRO-43: Loss of Audio

Early PRO-43s were built with a 200 mW speaker (mfr's part #EAS-3P123A). The voice coils in some of these speakers have opened, resulting in lack of audio output, though audio is still available from the earphone jack. A more capable 500 mW speaker is available through Tandy as replacement (EAS-3P127).

PRO-43: Freezup

If you attempt to lock out all 20 channels in a memory bank, then scan only that bank, your PRO-43 will freeze up and be placed into a catatonic state. Use the procedure documented in the PRO-43 user manual to fully reset the scanner. This will "break the trance," but all the memory channels will be cleared.

PRO-2004: Dead

If your PRO-2004 is completely dead, check R235, a 1 ohm, 1 watt resistor mounted vertically on the main board.

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3645. FAQ - Scanner Radio Review Briefs

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Abstract

This article contains product review summaries for more than
70 old and new scanner radios and monitor receivers.

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for
Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor
receivers of various brands in my collection. This article
describes a few of the FM receivers in my collection, and
other models I've tested. It is not meant to be complete.

For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, May 1995.

I have published full length reviews and modifications of
these scanner models in Monitoring Times magazine:

Mar 1986 - Uniden/Bearcat BC800XLT
Mar 1987 - Radio Shack PRO-2004

Oct 1990 - Radio Shack PRO-2006
Jan 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-2035 vs. Radio Shack PRO-2006
Feb 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-62 Portable
Mar 1995 - Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT
Apr 1995 - Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT Portable
May 1995 - Uniden/Bearcat BC860XLT
Jun 1995 - Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT & Radio Shack PRO-2036
Jul 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-2037
Aug 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT
Sep 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-60 Portable
Oct 1995 - AOR AR-2700 Portable
Nov 1995 - selected AOR AR-8000 measurements
Dec 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-2040
Feb 1996 - Radio Shack PRO-2042
Apr 1996 - Uniden/Bearcat BC220XLT, BC230XLT Portable
Jun 1996 - modifications & tips for the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT
Jul 1996 - Uniden/Bearcat BCT-10 mobile
Oct 1996 - Radio Shack PRO-2046 mobile
Dec 1996 - AOR AR5000
Jan 1997 - ICOM R8500
Feb 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-2045
Mar 1997 - ICOM IC-R10
Apr 1997 - RELM HS-200 portable
May 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BCT7 virtual downconversion mod.
Jul 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BC235XLT portable Trunktracker
Aug 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-64 portable
Sep 1997 - Stridsberg Engineering receiver multicoupler,
G/Wiz board for EDACS trunked scanning
Oct 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-67
Nov 1997 - Sporty's JD-100 Air Scan
Dec 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BC895XLT Trunktracker
Mar 1997 - RELM MS-200 mobile
Apr 1997 - RCA RP-6150 portable

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AOR

AR2700: 1995 vintage. 500 channel portable covering 500 kHz to 1300 MHz. Lots of good features, e.g., 10 linkable search banks, lighted keypad, per-channel attenuator, S-meter, battery meter, optional voice recorder and speech inversion descrambler. Global rescan and pause delays, but no auto store, data skip, nor battery saver. Internally generated noise results in broad birdies on AR2700 tested. Insensitive carrier operated (vs. noise operated) squelch stays closed on signals unless they are moderately strong,

causing scanner to skip transmissions of interest. IFs are 287.55/749.25, 58.05, 10.7/0.455 MHz. See "The AOR AR-2700 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October and November 1995.

AR5000: 1996 vintage. approx. 30 kHz - 2600 MHz coverage super receiver. Good sensitivity throughout. AM, SSB, CW, FM detectors. Frequency readout to 1 Hz. More features than any other radio. DTMF reader and RS-232 interface included. Multiple settings for IF and AF selectivity, attenuator, AGC, deemphasis, etc. DB9 RS232C connector. Negatives include low contrast LCD display and difficult user interface. NFM squelch closes slowly, causing noise burst at end of each NFM transmission. Electromechanical relays click at various frequency boundaries, including 400 MHz, producing a clickety-clack noise -- annoying while scanning banks of mixed band frequencies. Great radio, otherwise. See "AOR's AR5000 All-in-One Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, December 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

ICOM

R-10: late 1996 vintage (serial number 01048 tested). Shirt pocket size multimode is powered by 4 AA penlight cells. Covers 0.5 to 1300 MHz (minus cellular). NFM, WFM, USB, LSB, AM, and CW detectors included. IF bandwidths are fixed. No 30 kHz bandwidth for satellite or FM military monitoring. Battery saver circuit, with selectable duty cycle. Single VFO and 1000 memory channels. There are 900 memory channels divided into 18 banks of 50 channels each. Another bank of 100 channels used to hold unique frequencies found during an auto store operation. 20 pairs of search limits. Up to 100 frequencies may be locked out during a search and stored in a final bank of 100 channels which is cleared before subsequent auto store searches. Each channel can be programmed with the detector mode (e.g., AM, USB), a tuning step size, an attenuator enable flag, and an 8 character label. CI-V computer interface requires extra cost hardware. 7 segment S-meter. Noise blanker. Good sensitivity. Lighted keypad and display, but keystroke sequences are cumbersome.

Good radio hardware in a handy sized package, but scanning performance unimpressive. Very slow memory scanning at only 6 channels/second. Searches at about 16 steps/second, with little or no worthwhile improvement using the "Signal Navigator" feature in the R10 I tested. Rescan delay cannot be disabled. Can only scan one memory bank or all banks, not a combination of banks. No squelch for SSB or CW modes. See "ICOM IC-R10 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring

Times, March 1997, for review which includes quantitative test results.

R-7000: 1986 vintage. At about $1000, this was once the top VHF/UHF receiver. 99 channel, multi mode coverage from 25-2000 MHz with a small gap at 1000-1025 MHz. Memory can be expanded to 198 channels by adding simple switch to pin 19 of memory IC8. Tuning knob lets you tune through parts of the spectrum much easier than using the SEARCH mode on conventional scanners. Selectable USB/LSB allows reception of new amplitude compandored sideband (ACSB) stations. S-meter doubles as discriminator meter to aid tuning. Useful search and store feature, reminiscent of the the Bearcat 250, searches between 2 limits and automatically stores new frequencies into channels 80-99. Audio and control interface for tape recorder. Noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Searches and scans slowly but can be sped up to about 12 cps by adding a resistor. Too big for permanent mobile use, but too nice to leave alone in the car. If you don't want to spend $1000, get a Radio Shack PRO-2004/5/6 instead.

R-7100: 1992 vintage. At about $1300, this is the Cadillac of VHF/UHF receivers. 900 channel, multi mode continuous coverage from 25-2000 MHz. The radio RF/IF/AF portions of the R7100 are similar to the older R7000, but the R7100 is constructed using surface mount parts. Both the R7000 and R7100 are much more immune to intermod than the Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT and the portable PRO-43. The firmware in the R7100 is much more sophisticated. 9 banks of 100 channels. Further, you can associate each channel with 1 of 10 groups. Many possible ways to scan. 10 pairs of search limits. Search and store ("memory write") scan mode lets you store 100 frequencies instead of the 20 in R7000. Another R7100 improvement is that you can program up to 100 channels for the R7100 to skip while searching. R7100 has 2 VFOs ("windows"). Both the R7000 and R7100 scan slowly compared with PRO-2004 and PRO-2006, and that's a drawback. Both the R7100 and R7000 employ a noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Scanning a mixture of VHF and UHF frequencies serenades the ICOM user with a very annoying clickety-clack, clickety-clack! For Baseband Audio out, I mounted an RCA jack on the back of the R7100A and connected it via shielded cable to the junction of resistors R228 and R230 on the Main Unit. This point is located in the vicinity of IC15 and X3 on the schematic.

R8500: 1996 vintage. 100 kHz - 2000 MHz coverage. 20 banks of 40 channels although bank sizes can be changed. 100 Auto store and 100 Skip memories but that can be increased by

reallocating channels from the conventional scan banks. Fixed and programmable step sizes. Relays clickey-clack while scanning across band boundaries. Triple conversion, First IF is 48.8, 778.7, or 266.7 MHz, depending on band. Second and third IFs are 10.7 and 0.455 MHz. Weak to moderate cellular images starting near 1106 MHz. Rugged construction. External power supply. DB25 RS232C connector. Audio peak filter. Ok scanning and great searching performance. See "ICOM R8500 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, January 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

UNIDEN/Bearcat and Electra/Bearcat

Bearcat III (Electra): 1976 vintage. 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Requires optional front-end circuit board for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands, but only 2 boards can be installed within the radio at the same time. Two crystal filters. No aircraft band coverage nor rescan delay. Front mount speaker sounds good. Strong local oscillator radiation often causes interference with other scanners in the same house.

Bearcat IV (Electra): 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Newer version of Bearcat III but contains front-end circuitry for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. Better selectivity than Bearcat III or 12 due to having three instead of two 10.8 MHz IF filters. No aircraft band coverage. Front mount speaker sounds good. No rescan delay.

Bearcat 5 (Electra): 1979 vintage. Eight channel economy base model covering VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. No track tuning. Black plastic cabinet.

Bearcat 6 (Electra): Six channel VHF-low and VHF-high bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 8 (Electra): Eight channel VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 12 (Electra): 1979 vintage. One of the last decent crystal controlled scanners. 10 channels. Variable scan speed up to 20 ch/sec. Single delay on/off switch. Front mount speaker sounds good. Manual contains schematic. Single conversion, 10.8 MHz IF. Selectivity is poorer than programmable models, like the 300, allowing adjacent channel interference. Covers VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands but no aircraft band coverage. Crystal positions must be arranged by band.

Bearcat 15 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Actually made for Electra by competitor GRE (General Research Electronics). The only Bearcat crystal controlled base/mobile scanner offering 118 - 136 MHz AM aircraft band. 10 channels.

BC101 (Electra): 1975 vintage. First Bearcat synthesized unit. 16 channels, no priority. Frequency programmed in binary by setting toggle switches on front panel after looking up code in code book. No frequency readout. Uses custom IC for CPU, now discontinued, so factory authorized service is no longer available. I have four of these units. DC operation requires optional mobile power supply.

BC100 (Electra): First programmable portable scanner. Be prepared for at least one repair in the first year. Early units, with threaded antenna connector, have high frequency of repair, particularly LCD readout, keyboard, and battery holder. No battery backup. Poor case design in early units caused battery to disconnect from radio, resetting microprocessor and clearing memories. No priority channel or aircraft band. Some people swear by the BC100, others swear at them.

BC210 (Electra): 1979 vintage. First Bearcat scanner with a keyboard and numeric display. LED readout. See US patents 4,092,594, granted 5/30/78 and 4,114,103, granted 9/12/78 for further insight.

BC220 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 20 channels. Reasonable number of features but 20 channels doesn't seem enough. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC20/20 (Electra): 1981 vintage. Similar to BC220 but with 40 channels and different CPU circuitry. A maximum of 20 channels can be scanned at one time. Reasonable number of features. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC250 (Electra): 1976 vintage. 50 channel model, rich in features, but lacks aircraft band and 144-146 MHz. Search and Store feature extremely useful for finding federal frequencies. Clock. High frequency of repair. Power transistors not heat sinked adequately, causing heat damage to surrounding components and circuit board. Failure of Q204 on the feature board known to cause odd display readings. Digital circuitry very sensitive to glitches caused by static and AC line spikes. Avoid 1978 or earlier vintage units. All BC250s use custom ICs (e.g., IC6, a divider chip, mfd. by Exar), which are now discontinued, so factory service is no longer available from Uniden.

BC260 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Super heavy duty metal cabinetry and lit controls, aimed at mobile use for firemen, police, etc. Few frills, only 16 channels, no aircraft, but generous coverage of federal bands omitted in the older Bearcat scanners. Good sensitivity. Lots of audio. Good internal construction. Backlit keyboard allows operation in the dark, but the keyboards on some units require high pressure to operate. Brightness control for display and keyboard, but multiplexor circuitry for vacuum fluorescent display produces audible whine which may be annoying in a quiet room. Backlighting may fail in some units due to poor contact on connector used to fasten light panel to front circuit board. 9 volt regulator transistor Q28 (TIP29) may fail, causing blank display while leaving audio intact. Method of connecting an external speaker is awkward.

BC300 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 50 channel top of the line scanner. Service Search feature contains 11 ROM banks of preprogrammed channels See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. Switching power supply failure noted in early units due to insufficient capacitance - component value was changed in newer units. Schematics show at least 100 components changed between earliest and later units. Preset squelch pot, mounted internally on circuit board, misadjusted in new units - adjustment usually required after burn-in period. Good sensitivity. Built in clock. I leave it on 24 hours a day. This is a favorite. See US patent 4,409,688, granted 11/11/83 for further insight.

BC350 (Electra): 1981 vintage. 50 channels in 5 banks. Includes aircraft. Used to be Bearcat's top of the line, overpriced scanner but never very popular. Dual use keyboard and display allowed 8 text characters to be associated with each channel, a feature clumsily implemented, and awkward to use. Units plagued with various hardware problems including bad memory ICs and short life power transformers. Firmware bugs without cures. The BC300 is a much better scanner than the BC350, and at a lower price.

BC760XLT (Uniden): Also sold as BC950XLT through Scanner World. Small, mobile scanner supplied with mounting bracket and wall wart AC power supply. Some of the keys are backlit. 100 channels in 5 banks. Service search. Earlier version has Motorola type antenna jack and AA battery backup. Later version has BNC antenna jack and internal lithium battery. Can be fitted with optional CTCSS decoder. Hyper sensitive and easily overloaded by strong signals, especially when used with outdoor antenna in base applications. Conventional 10.8 MHz IF prone to images. Television audio heard in some places.

BC800XLT (Uniden): 1985 vintage. 40 channels in two banks. Covers 806-912 MHz, as well as of vhf, uhf, and aircraft bands. Receives 10 meter fm and all of 6 meters, as well as federal portions of vhf and uhf bands. Fewer birdies on vhf-lo band than other scanners. Scans and searches very fast. Clean, robust audio output. Extremely sensitive, but very prone to overload by strong signals when connected to outdoor antenna. Too much play (hysteresis) in squelch adjustment - can be improved by changing one resistor. Positive terminal in memory backup battery holder installed backwards in early units, allowing memory loss when scanner unplugged from AC outlet. Tunes in increments of 12.5 KHz on 800 MHz band, whereas cellular telephones are on 30 KHz channels. See "The Bearcat 800XLT ... an Owner's Report," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1986.

BC860XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. 100 channel table top unit. Can lock out 10 channels during search. Good performer except for images. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC860XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, May 1995.

BC890XLT (Uniden): Same as Radio Shack PRO-2036. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Scans and searches fast. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IF -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod, especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

BC895XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Base with 300 channels in 10 banks. Covers military air band, but other frequency coverage is limited compared with the BC9000XLT. Predetermined AM and NFM modes not selectable. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. Weather alert siren. Built-in CTCSS decoder and tone finder. A query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Test unit scans 85 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Triple conversion, 380.8 or 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz IFs. 800 MHz images in commercial and military air bands attenuated over 35 dB. For technical test results and a review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC895XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1997.

BC9000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. High quality base using up-conversion. 500 channels in twenty banks. Up to 250 channels can be programmed with alpha labels. Tuning knob.

Selectable AM, NFM, WFM modes. Optional CTCSS decoder. Very fast scan and search. Can lock out 50 channels during search. Delay and attenuator independently programmable for each channel. Effective Auto Store feature stores unique frequencies. Good RF section, but not as robust as PRO-2004/5/6. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, 0.455 MHz. One urban user, located within a couple of blocks of several high power transmitters, reports severe desense problems. For a full review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC9000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1995. For tips and modification information, see my column in June 1996 Monitoring Times. See US patents 4,947,456, granted 8/7/90, 5,163,161, granted 11/10/92 and 5,212,817, granted 5/18/93 for further insights into fast scanning and searching implementation.

BC100XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Very good 100 channel portable with 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Generous coverage of conventional bands, including commercial aircraft, but no 800 MHz. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on 550 mAH NiCd battery pack.

BC200XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Also sold as BC205XLT through Scanner World. Very good 200 channel version of BC100XLT portable scanner but includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on NiCd battery pack.

BC220XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Very good 200 portable scanner which is a smaller successor to the BC200XLT. Includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Service Search, including WX. Up to 10 frequencies can be locked out during conventional search, 20 frequencies from Service Search. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs, with images 21.6 MHz away. 4 cell BP-120 internal NiCd battery pack. Marketed as BC230XLT with two BP-120 battery packs and CRX-120 dual charger. See "The BC220XLT/BC230XLT Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1996.

BC230XLT (Uniden): See BC220XLT.

BC235XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Portable with 300 channels in 10 banks. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. A query feature

identifies duplicate memory channels. Very fast scan and search rates. Scans 64 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Service search. Data skip. Triple conversion, 254.4, 10.85, 0.45 MHz IFs. Excellent image rejection and intermod immunity. Fairly good audio. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC235XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, July 1997 or an on-line version at http://www.grove- | ent.com for a review which includes quantitative test results.

BC2500XLT (Uniden): 400 channel portable with tuning knob. Plagued by intermod and images. Early units drained batteries quickly even while turned off.

BC3000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Excellent 400 channel portable with 20 banks. Up conversion. Very fast scan, search, and intelligent Auto Store. Mode, attenuator, and delay settings programmable for each channel. 50 frequencies can be locked out during search. Larger speaker than PRO-26 produces better, crisper audio. NiCd pack provides about 5 hours between charges. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1995 and "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

Regency

TMR series: First generation crystal scanners. Come in all varieties of band coverage. Models with both UHF and VHF bands must use separate antennas for each band (disadvantage in mobile installations, but can be overcome by connecting two front ends via a capacitor). Not sensitive enough to cover the entire 30 - 50 MHz range in a single model. There three versions of VHF-low band coverage depending on the part of the 30 - 50 MHz band covered (LL, LM. and LH). TMR scanners use unsocketed incandescent bulbs for channel indicators which require periodic replacement. Easy to crystal: Radio Shack crystals work well. TMRs usually $2 and up at hamfests, often in poor condition. Don't pay more than $50, even if mint. Front ends must be tuned for selected portions within the bands for best sensitivity. Wide IF selectivity troublesome in urban/suburban areas. Primitive digital scanning circuitry may become confused at times. but power off/on restores sanity. Replace aging capacitors in the scanning circuits. You can find a TMR8H eight channel high band unit most often.

TME series: The base versions of the TMR models. Both the TME and TMR models share many common circuits but the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common TME model is the TME8 H/LM eight channel dual

band scanner in a metal cabinet with wood coloring.

ACTR series: Replaced the Regency TMR units. By the time Regency made the ACTR units, they no longer offered different models for different parts of the 30 - 50 MHz band. Look for the later ACT series, e.g., ACTR-106 (10 channel tri band) or ACTR20/6 (20 channel tri band), used light emitting diodes for channel indicators instead of incandescent bulbs. Available in 1 to 20 channel models - most are multi band receivers. Somewhat wide selectivity. Not all that bad a deal if cheap.

ACTE series: The base versions of the ACTR series. The ACTE and ACTR circuitry is similar, although the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common ACTE model is the ACTE8 H/L eight channel dual band scanner in a black metal cabinet.

WHAMO-10: Regency's first synthesized scanner. Appearance more like a crystal scanner, with a single LED per channel. User has to break off teeth on a metal 'comb' for each channel according to a code book. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. External frequency control unit DFS-5K optional. UHF VCO reference oscillator drifts on some units. Soldered sheet metal shields around some circuitry make access to some components difficult for servicing. Comb sockets prone to bad connections after moderate use. Not recommended due to maintenance difficulties.

K500: Nice wood-like cabinet. 40 channel model with every feature Regency could dream of in one scanner, except aircraft band. Idle tone bypass feature for mobile phone stations works about 50% of the time. Weather alert feature. Service Search in several banks. Search and Store facility not implemented as well as BC250, but better than none. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Can be programmed out of band. Reasonable performance, but sensitivity could be better. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

K100: Bare bones version of the K500. 10 channels, no priority feature. Same wood-like cabinet and reasonable performance as K500. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

M400: 30 channel replacement for K500. Service Search, but no aircraft. Easily programmable out of band. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Backlit keyboard good for night viewing and mobile use but generates RFI into nearby SW receivers. A favorite.

MX3000: 30 channel replacement for M400, but basic features only. Nice lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers. Easily programmable out of band, but no aircraft. All 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Good first scanner.

M100: 10 channel unit. Same as MX3000 except different color and fewer channels. Nicely lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers.

HX1000: Good, fairly rugged, 30 channel handheld synthesized unit. Generous out of band coverage but no AM aircraft coverage. Built by Azden. Very sensitive on UHF, but annoying audio hiss leaks through speaker when squelched. Belt clip chintzy, but can be directly replaced with better clip from Kenwood TR2600A. Like the MX3000, all 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Low discount price makes this best choice for programmable portable.

HX650/H604: 6 channel crystal portable. Likely made by Sanyo. Same as Fannon and Bearcat Thin Scan units, (except that Bearcat has 10.8 MHz IF frequency, and is harder to get crystals for), but scans faster. Small size and common crystals (available at Radio Shack), make this 1st choice for bare bones portable scanner.

Z60: base/mobile sporting 60 channels, but 10 of them are for FM broadcast only. Built in alarm clock, priority, and memory which requires no battery backup. Covers 30 - 50, 88 -108, 118-136, 144-174, 440-512 MHz. Notice that it's not spec'd to cover some important federal bands: 136 - 144 and 406 - 440.

RCA

RP-6150: 1997 vintage. No frills, good performing portable. 200 channels in 10 banks. No military aircraft frequency coverage. Triple conversion and a flexible battery arrangement. Lacks duplicate channel detection, search skip, and empty channel lockout features of newer designs. Our sample isn't super sensitive at 470 - 512 MHz and has some intermod around the VHF railroad channels but is generally more resistant to image problems than the BC230XLT. For technical test results and a review, see "The RCA RP-6150 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1998.

RELM

HS200: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel portable. 10 banks. Built-in CTCSS and DCS decoder. Lighted keypad. Duplicate channel detection. 100 frequencies can be locked

out from search. Very good audio and strong front end. Excellent internal shielding. Global rescan delay. Covers CB. Fixed modes and step sizes. IFs are 280.2 and 0.45 MHz, and perhaps one in between. See "The RELM HS-200 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

MS200: 1998 vintage. Made in USA. 200 channel mobile with alpha labels. CTCSS and DCS decoding squelch. Programmable via PC using supplied software. Low contrast, LCD display. Keypad backlit for night programming. Rear panel tape audio jack. Test unit had lots of intermod on VHF-high band. IFs are 280 and 0.45 MHz. See "The RELM MS-200 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1998, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

Radio Shack

PRO-2004: 1986 vintage. Top of the line, wide band scanner for 1987. After a diode is cut, enjoy continuous coverage from 25-520 and 760-1300 MHz, AM, NBFM, and WBFM. Has 300 channels in 10 banks of 30, backed up by conventional 9 volt alkaline battery. Any channel can be designated the priority channel. Scans and searches fast. Lots of well designed features, like 10 pairs of search limits, Lockout Review, default search increment and emission mode. Sound Squelch allows skipping dead carriers during search or scan. Metal cabinet, good internal construction and shielding, but no mobile mounting bracket or DC power cord. Soft touch membrane keyboard. Good sensitivity and selectivity. Very good radio. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2004 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, February 1987, and Monitoring Times, March 1987.

PRO-2005: 1989 vintage. Essentially a size reduced PRO-2004 with surface mount components and 400 channels. Some people think the small knobs, smaller display, and plastic cabinet are a setback from the 2004. The smaller size, real rubber keyboard, and vertical front panel make it easer to use mobile, although the keyboard is not backlit. More sensitive than the PRO-2004 but 800 MHz signals leak through into the commercial aero band. Highly recommended. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2005 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, June 1989, and RCMA Journal, August 1989.

PRO-2006: 1990 vintage. Essentially the same as PRO-2005 but scans faster. Probably the best scanner made to date. Highly recommended. See "The Realistic PRO-2006," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1990.

PRO-2035: 1995 vintage wide coverage base made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Poor dynamic range. 10 linkable search banks. Dumb Auto Store feature stores the same frequencies over and over. Wastes time scanning empty channels. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2035 - How Does It Compare With the PRO-2006?," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, January 1995.

PRO-2040: late 1995 vintage 100 channel base made by Uniden. Fair performance, but minimal image rejection. Local oscillator harmonics account for spurious responses, e.g., reception of cellular telephone calls in the 460 MHz UHF-high band. Scans over 40 channels/sec. Can lock out up to 50 channels from search. "Soft" on/off power switching via keypad. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2040," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1995.

PRO-2042: 1996 version of the wide coverage PRO-2035 base with improved firmware and amber display. Made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. NFM selectivity is still a problem but improved over PRO-2035. 10 linkable search banks. Smart Auto Store feature stores the unique frequencies. Can lock out up to 200 frequencies from search. Query facility indicates if and in what channel a frequency is programmed. Scan skips over empty channels automatically. Can sort memories by frequency within a given bank. IFs are 609 - 612, 58.05, and 10.7/0.455 MHz. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Overall, a top grade scanner and second only to Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2042," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1996.

PRO-2045: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel base/mobile made for Radio Shack by Uniden. Tuning/channel selector knob. 10 banks, selectable attenuator, and rescan delay. CTCSS-capable with optional board. Great Auto Store. Weather alert. Scans and searches fast. Can lock out 50 frequencies during search. Step sizes fixed but AM and NFM modes are selectable. IFs are 380.7, 10.7, and 0.455 MHz. Images on VHF-high band despite high 1st IF. Some intermod on review unit. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2045," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2046: 1996 vintage 100 channel mobile made by Uniden with fairly good performance. Descendent of the BC760XLT but no CTCSS option available. Ten banks of ten channels. Scans memory at about 34 channels/sec. Service search, direct search, and band search. Preset search limits by band and user cannot program the search limits. Image rejection is minimal, as one would expect from a scanner

with IFs of 10.85 and 0.450 MHz. 10 Monitor memory channels. Can lock out up to 20 channels from a search. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2046," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-34: Portable scanner with 200 channels and 800 MHz coverage. Ten "monitor" channels. Operates from AA cells. Slow scanning, low audio output, and chintzy plastic case detract from an otherwise good performance. No decent leather case available from Radio Shack. If you need a portable with 800 MHz, get a Bearcat 200XLT. If you can't get a 200XLT, get a PRO-34.

PRO-2021: Base/mobile scanner. 200 channels in 10 banks, LCD display and raised rubber keys. Lots of memory but scans too slowly and lacks 800 MHz. Ten "monitor" channels. Radio Shack seemed to have an overstock of 2021s as they were on sale for such a long time. Close out price dipped to about $200, which made it a nice scanner for beginners.

PRO-2022: Base/mobile scanner. Like the PRO-2021 but includes the 800 MHz band. Somewhat prone to intermod in the 460 MHz range. Cellular images throughout the 847.6 - 869 MHz range. See September 1996 Monitoring Times for modifications.

PRO-2036: Same as Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Scans and searches fast. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod, especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2037: 1994 vintage. Triple conversion all plastic base scanner made by GRE. Home version of the PRO-62 portable but with more intermod. 200 channels in 10 banks, one search bank, selectable AM and FM. Uses up conversion circuitry but inadequate front end filtering still allows images, though not as bad as in 10.7 or 10.8 MHz IF circuits. Crisp, respectable audio given the top mounted speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2037," by Bob Parnass, in July 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2001: Early, single bank 16 channel programmable. Reasonable coverage of the 3 traditional bands, minus aircraft band. LED digital display as well as an LED per channel. Mechanical lockout switch for each channel. Delay is either on or off for all channels at a time. High synthesizer noise level. Troublesome plated through holes

on digital board in some units renders radio virtually unfixable. Could never get mine to work more than a few days in a row; always another bad connection. Some owners have no trouble.

PRO-52: 8 channel VHF-Lo/Hi base unit. No UHF band or provision for mobile operation. Good little scanner despite limited frequency coverage and Spartan lack of frills. Crisp squelch action and good audio, helped by a front mounted, vertical speaker.

PRO-2003: Radio Shack's 1986 top of line. 50 channels + 10 FM commercial broadcast band channels. Includes aircraft. Good frequency coverage and functionality, but at a high price. Poor human engineering: difficult to read keyboard makes the PRO-2003 hard to operate unless in a well lit room. Keyboard label coloring improved on newer units. Rather slow scan rate and high price. Although there are provisions for 12VDC operation, the cabinet shape and lack of mounting bracket makes mobile operation impractical. Scan rate only 8 channels/sec vs. 15/sec in Regency and Bearcat. Causes RFI: Plastic case permits scanner to radiate signals into nearby receivers.

PRO-43: Very good portable made by GRE. First Radio Shack portable with up conversion, and 222 MHz ham and 225 - 400 MHz military air band coverage. 200 channels, single search range. Small, convenient size. Muffled audio. Speakers in early units known to fail and more powerful speakers were used in later units. 800 MHz band coverage fully restorable in early units by removing diode. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range.

PRO-60: 1995 vintage. Very good portable made by GRE. 200 channels, single search range. Similar features and same IFs as the PRO-43 it replaced but the PRO-60 has wider frequency coverage and crisper audio. Covers 75 MHz and commercial FM broadcast bands. Improved Direct search can be stepped manually in single steps. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Railfans take note -- the PRO-60 and PRO-43 are subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range. Draws 100 mA while scanning. See "The Radio Shack PRO-60 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, September 1995.

PRO-26: 1995 vintage. (Not to be confused with a simple 1985 crystal controlled portable bearing the same model number.) Very good portable made by for Radio Shack by Uniden. 200 channels, very fast scan/search. Good display. Covers all TV channels, but spectrum adjacent to cellular phone band is censored which prevents monitoring parts of some trunked

systems (e.g., IL State Police district 4). Up to 50 frequencies can be skipped during search. Limited image rejection causes 929 MHz paging interference in 170 MHz range. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, and 5.5/0.455 MHz. Audio suffers from small speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

PRO-62: 1994 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Similar to PRO-43 but no military air band, different upper frequency limit, and slightly different IFs. Selectable AM/NFM modes. Better intermod immunity than PRO-43. See "The Radio Shack PRO-62," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1995.

PRO-64: 1997 vintage. Good portable 400 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-62 and has many more features. Selectable AM/NFM modes but fixed step sizes. 10 search banks which can be cascaded. Auto store saves unique frequencies found during a search. Frequencies can be loaded using a computer but optional interface kit not yet available. Can recharge Radio Shack's optional, monolithic NiCd pack, but not AA cells within the scanner. IFs are 257.5, 21.4, and 0.455 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-64," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-67: 1997 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-51 and has better image rejection and super fast scanning. Service Search lacks police frequencies. Fixed AM/NFM modes and step sizes. Can lock out up to 20 frequencies during a search. Can recharge AA cells within the scanner. Frequencies adjacent to the cellular phone bands censored so our PRO-67 will not receive 868.9625 or 823.9625 MHz. Intermediate Frequencies are 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-67," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-30: 16 channel programmable portable with aircraft band. Good frequency coverage. Extra controls on top allow control of SCAN, MANUAL, and PRIORITY functions while worn on belt. Good belt clip. Low audio output. Plastic case prone to break at BNC antenna connector under severe use, vs. metal frame in Regency HX1000. High price, no discounts or sales yet. I had 6 or 7 PRO30s, having to return them several times during the 1 year warranty, although other owners have had little or no trouble. Troubles included oscillation in IF stage, no UHF band reception, case broken around base of antenna connector, etc.

PRO-24: 1983 vintage. Only 4 channels in this crystal controlled portable. Covers the three basic bands, but no aircraft. Easy to obtain batteries and crystals. Characteristic Radio Shack squelch problem, fixable by changing one resistor. All-plastic case larger than Bearcat Thin Scan and clones. See "The Radio Shack PRO-24 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, excerpted in the "Technical Topics" column, RCMA Newsletter, February 1984.

SPORTYS

JD-100: 1997 vintage. Limited 20 channel scanner which covers civil and military air bands only. Good audio. Large display shows frequency only out to 2 digits. Slow scanning and odd keystroke sequences. No key press confirmation beep. Cannot lock out channels from memory scan. Powered by AA batteries. Battery saver circuit. See "Sportys JD-100 Air Scan," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, November 1997.

Craig (division of Pioneer)

4530: Japanese 10 channel crystal controlled 3 band unit. Also available under Plectron name but in different cabinet. No aircraft band. Deluxe features like priority, trimmer capacitors for netting each channel, front panel speaker, and rugged metal cabinet make this unit a winner. Channel lockout slide switches have finite life. Replacing burned out incandescent channel lamps not fun. Grab a 4530 if you find one in good condition.

Sonar

Sonar made several crystal controlled scanners and channelized monitor receivers which shared the same RF circuitry. Each radio was housed in the same size metal case and worked on both 120 VAC and 12 VDC. The models differed in the number of channels, the band coverage, and whether individual channels could be locked out.

Although they used a 10.7 MHz first IF, Sonar radios require parallel resonant crystals different from the common series resonant crystals used in Regency and Radio Shack scanners. Some Radio Shack crystals will work in Sonar units, but more often they oscillate a few kHz off frequency and are unsuitable unless changes are made to the oscillator circuitry. Therefore, beginners should avoid these radios. Typical Sonar squelch has long time constant causing a long noise burst at the end of each transmission.

FR-104, FR-105: 6 channel monitor receivers covering 25 - 50 MHz or 150 - 175 MHz. Manual channel selection, i.e., no scanning. Early models are identified by an 11 pin connector on the rear and they could be used with an

optional NiCd battery pack and charger which bolted to the rear panel. Later models used Cinch Jones connectors with flat contacts. Optional tone decoder board.

FR-2512, FR-2513: 24 channel versions of the FR-104 and FR-105 monitor receivers. Manual channel selection, i.e., no scanning.

FR-2514, FR-2515: 8 channel scanners. Channel 1 priority. Recommend you avoid these models as there is no way to lockout a channel from the scan sequence.

FR-2526, FR-2526, FR-2528: 10 channel scanners covering various combinations of 3 bands. Each channel could be locked out. Channel 1 priority.

Sonar Model	#chan-nels	VHF low	VHF high	UHF scans?	lock-outs?
FR104	6	X		no	
FR105	6	X		no	
FR2512	24	X		no	
FR2513	24	X		no	
FR2514	8	X		yes	no
FR2515	8	X		yes	no
FR2516	10	X		yes	yes
FR2517	10	X		yes	yes
FR2525	10	X		yes	yes
FR2526	10	X	X	yes	yes
FR2527	10	X	X	yes	yes
FR2528	10	X	X	yes	yes

Table 1. Summary of Sonar base/mobile monitor and scanner receivers

Tennelec

Manufactured the first synthesized scanners. See US patents 3,961,261 and 3,962,644, granted 6/1/76 and 6/8/76 respectively. Company went out of business several years ago. Schematics and parts difficult to obtain. Radios reputed to be poor performers. Got my MS-2 and MCP-1 basket cases for free and sometimes regret taking them. Not worth fixing unless you have access to DTL/RTL chips and circuit diagrams.

Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their transistor Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by portable pagers, and are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough

condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola Alert crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. These radios are fixed channel units and do not scan. They can be powered form 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord.

The audio quality on a Plectron P1 or 700 series is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity and intermod immunity is outstanding if aligned properly. Better image rejection than most scanners (see article by Bob Parnass in Monitoring Times, January 1996 for comparison). The Plectron 500 series is less desirable. The Motorola Alert monitors are pretty good, although the audio lacks bass.

No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, and there were versions optimized for each portion of the band. There were different "split" models to cover segments of VHF-hi band, too. Although UHF versions were made, they are somewhat rare.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency. Too, the P1 and R700 require different crystals.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

Some replacement parts are currently available from Federal Signal in University Park, IL, phone (800)524-3021. For more information, see "Add a Crystal Receiver to Your Arsenal," by Bob Parnass, January 1996 Monitoring Times.

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This introduction is intended for people new to the
scanning hobby and is oriented to scanning in the USA.
High level overviews of the following topics are presented:

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Is Scanning Legal?
What Scanner Should I Buy?
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How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?
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Why Scanning?

Every day and night, scanner hobbyists are entertained by
what they overhear on their radios. Police cars, fire
engines, ambulances, airplanes, armored cars, trains,

taxis, and buses are all equipped with radios and you can listen to them. You can monitor the local sheriff and fire departments to hear about events "as they happen," before the news reporters hear about them. Hostage dramas, bank robberies, car crashes, chemical spills, neighbor and domestic disputes, tornado sightings are all fair game. In a single afternoon, you can hear a high speed police chase, Drug Enforcement agents on a sting operation, and undercover FBI agents as they stakeout a suspect.

How about listening to a presidential candidate discuss strategy with his advisor from a 415 MHz radiophone in Air Force 1, or a team of G-men protect him while transmitting in the 167 MHz range?

Baby monitor intercoms are actually transmitters and you can hear them between 49.67 and 49.99 MHz.

Stay ahead of road conditions by listening to highway road crews, snow plows, and traffic helicopter pilots. Many midwesterners monitor the state police and and county sheriff to learn of approaching tornados long before warnings are broadcast on TV and commercial radio. Take your scanner to sporting events and listen to race car drivers, football coaches, etc., in the 151, 154, and 468 MHz ranges.

Monitor the everyday hustle and bustle of businesses, from cable TV repair crews tracking down pirate descrambler boxes, to security guards at your nuclear power plant or mall security guards chasing a shoplifter.

Is Scanning Legal?

In the United States, scanning from your home or at work is perfectly legal in most situations. The Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986 made it illegal to listen to mobile phones, common carrier paging, and a few other types of communication. Public law 103-414, signed Oct. 25, 1994, amended the law (Title 18 USC, Part I, chapter 119, sections 25110 and 2511) and outlaws listening to cordless phones, too, but many scanners cover these frequencies.

It is illegal for companies to sell or import into the USA recently manufactured scanners which cover or can be easily modified to cover the cellular phone frequencies, but sales by private individuals will still be allowed.

The rules define "readily altered by the user" as "clipping the leads of, or installing, a simple component such as a diode, resistor and/or jumper wire; replacing a plug-in semiconductor chip; or programming a semiconductor chip

using special access codes or an external device, such as a personal computer."

Speaking of privacy, federal law also requires you to keep what you hear to yourself and not use the information you hear on your scanner for personal gain.

Be aware that several states have laws pertaining to scanning while in your car. Indiana restricts some portable scanners. A few states have enacted their own laws against listening to cordless phones. You can find out about these restrictions in a paperback book, Listeners Lawbook, compiled by Frank Terranella, Esq. available for $9.95 + shipping from Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902.

What Scanner Should I Buy?

Radio Shack and Uniden (maker of Bearcat, Regency, and Cobra brands) offer a wide choice of scanners. Radio Shack scanners are actually manufactured by both GRE (General Research Electronics) and by Uniden. Personally, I don't recommend Trident nor many of the AOR brand scanners, although the AR8000 and AR3000 have good reputations and the AR5000 works well.

Programmable (synthesized) units have replaced crystal controlled models as they don't require crystals and usually have a keypad that permits you to store frequencies into channels. Programmables are now so cheap it doesn't make sense to buy a crystal unit as your main scanner unless you get it for under $45 or so.

You can get a battery operated hand held scanner, a bigger "base" scanner which is powered from an AC outlet, or a mobile scanner which connects to your auto's electrical system. There are tradeoffs -- base and mobile scanners have larger displays and almost always provide more audio than portables, and some portables are more prone to interference when connected to outdoor antennas than base models. But when severe weather knocks out the power in your home, there's nothing like having a battery operated scanner to monitor the power utility and police frequencies!

Make sure your first scanner has a "search" feature, which allows it to search all the frequencies between two frequency limits of your choosing. Beware of low cost programmables which can't search. Some of the newer models, like the Uniden SportCat and Radio Shack PRO-2046, allow searching between limits, but the limits are factory programmed and cannot be altered.

Get a model which covers the 800 MHz band. Usage of the 800 - 950 MHz band is growing fast and you will miss out on the action unless your scanner covers this band.

If you're not sure whether you'll like scanning, don't want to spend much money, a 50 channel scanner will do. In general, the more channels and banks, the better.

Most of the action takes place on frequencies between 30 and 1000 MHz, so don't be misled by scanner models boasting coverage from 3 to 2000 MHz. There's currently not much to monitor in the 1000 - 2000 MHz range.

If you are interested in receiving short wave, that is, signals in the 3 - 30 MHz range, it's best to get a short wave radio specifically designed for that purpose. Although some scanners receive the short wave band, their performance in that range is often second rate. The $2000 Icom R8500 and AOR AR5000 models are exceptions.

Deluxe scanners can be controlled and/or downloaded by a personal computer, a feature which appeals to a small but growing number of scanner owners.

Almost all low and mid-priced scanners are prone to receiving images -- receiving the same signal erroneously on two or more frequencies. With a few exceptions, images are unwelcome due to the interference they cause, e.g., hearing aircraft transmissions while the scanner is tuned to the local police frequency. Premium quality scanners use "up conversion" circuitry, a scheme which greatly reduces, but does not eliminate, image reception.

Currently, the more popular scanners include the discontinued Radio Shack PRO-2006 base/mobiles, the Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT (a/k/a BC205XLT), BC220XLT, BC230XLT, and Radio Shack PRO-43 and PRO-60 portables. A number of owners report problems with the Icom R1 portable and the older Uniden/Bearcat 8500XLT base and 2500XLT portable. The Uniden BC9000XLT base and BC3000XLT portable work very well and are my current favorites.

Looking for value? At $180 discount price, the 100 channel Uniden/Bearcat BC860XLT base is a good value and available at most Wal-Mart stores. The RELM HS200 portable performs very well is an excellent value at its $250 street price.

Considered by many as the best scanner ever made, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2006 was replaced by the 1000 channel PRO-2035, which was replaced by the PRO-2042. The portable Radio Shack PRO-64 and PRO-60 are good performers. All five models employ up conversion and are made for Radio Shack by GRE (General Research Electronics).

CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature

Upscale scanners can be optioned with a subaudible tone decoding squelch circuit. There are two types: CTCSS (Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System) and DCS (Digital Coded Squelch). In simple terms, this feature lets your scanner ignore signals you don't want to hear.

Most land mobile two way radios, except trunked systems, transmit either CTCSS or DCS signals subaudibly along with the voice information. U.S. military field radios employ wider deviation and a 150 Hz CTCSS tone, not supported by most scanners or CTCSS decoders.

There are over 40 different CTCSS codes and you can program a specific CTCSS or DCS code into each memory channel. Using a CTCSS or DCS decoder permits your scanner to open the squelch only if the transmission has a code which matches the code you program.

CTCSS and DCS decoding offers several advantages:

1. Ignore unwanted signals on shared frequencies: It is common for several users to share the same frequency, e.g., my county sheriff uses the same frequency as Chicago Police, located about 60 miles away. I want to hear my sheriff's transmissions but don't want the scanner to stop on or listen to Chicago Police transmissions. This is especially a problem when radio propagation is good, e.g., during a "band opening," when reception range is temporarily increased.

2. Combat intermodulation interference: Helps keep out intermod and image interference from strong pagers and other signals which are not transmitted with a matching code.

3. Ignore scrambled transmissions: Many federal law enforcement agencies (FBI, Secret Service, etc) and some local police agencies employ digital voice scrambling, which sounds like white noise and is annoying to hear. The CTCSS or DCS code is sent only when the station is transmitting unscrambled, or "in the clear." You can program federal frequencies along with the proper code into your decoder-equipped scanner so you won't have to listen to the scrambled mess and only hear their transmissions when they are unscrambled.

CTCSS also goes by various tradenames: Motorola's PL (Private Line), GE's Channel Guard, and RCA's Quiet Channel. Motorola uses the tradename DPL (Digital Private Line) for its digital coded squelch.

How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?

There are a few ways to determine the CTCSS or DCS code transmitted by a station:

1. Use an outboard CTCSS/DCS reader which must be attached to the discriminator output circuitry inside the scanner. The reader has an LCD or LED display which indicates the code when a station transmits. I use a CSI model CD-1 Communications Decoder Unit, an an excellent reader which sells new for about $200. (Connect Systems Inc., Ventura, CA, 800-545-1349, www.connectsystems.com).
2. Many of the ScannerMaster guides, as well as scanner club newsletters, print the CTCSS codes used by transmitting stations.
3. On some scanners equipped with the CTCSS squelch, you can program into memory the frequency of interest. Then you "tune" slowly through all the different CTCSS and/or DCS codes until the squelch opens and you hear the dispatcher talking. This is a slow process and the station has to keep transmitting during it.
4. A slow, brute force method is to program the same frequency but a different CTCSS code into several channels and see where your scanner stops.
5. In some cases, I've actually examined the walkie-talkies I want to monitor and found the CTCSS code printed on a label on or inside the radio.

Scanner Antennas

All scanners come with a built in antenna, permitting reception up to about 20 miles or so.

Portable scanners are supplied with a helical (spring shaped) antenna, covered by rubber. The rubberized antennas furnished with current models are too stiff and place stress on the antenna jack. Older scanners to be supplied with more flexible antennas. I prefer these alternative antennas for use with portable scanners:

1. The Icom FA-1433B dual band flex antenna, a thin and very flexible rubber antenna, is slightly longer than a stock heliflex but provides better performance.
2. The Austin Condor is a 12" long rubberized antenna available for about $30. While considerably longer than the stock antenna and the FA-1443B, the Condor is very flexible and provides VHF-high band reception superior to both. It is not designed to cover the VHF-low band, but will allow reception there at least as good as shorter antennas.
3. The "Thin-Stick" is an 18 inch telescoping antenna for extended range. It is made in USA by Smiley Antenna

Co., Inc. and is designed to cover both the 2 meter and 220 MHz bands, but its variable length means it can be adjusted for optimum performance on other bands. What makes the Thin-Stick different from an ordinary telescoping antenna is the spring between the antenna and the connector portions. The spring absorbs most of the impact if the antenna collides with an object. The street price is about $17 and it is available from Amateur Electronic Supply, Milwaukee and other retailers.

Outdoor antennas, like the Channel Master 5094A or Antenna Specialists AV-801 (recently discontinued), can extend reliable reception to 50 miles or more, depending on terrain. If you do use an outdoor antenna, be sure to disconnect and ground it during storms and when not in use to avoid a lightning hazard. Discone and ground plane type antennas can be more prone to cause scanner damage due to static charge buildup because they are not at "DC ground."

Coaxial Cable Feedlines

If your antenna installation requires more than 50 feet of feedline, use RG213/U or high quality RG8/U coaxial cable. RG213/U, e.g., Belden type 8267, has a non-contaminating jacket and will last longer. Each has an outer diameter of about 13/32". Similarly sized Belden 9913 cable and clones have lower attenuation but are difficult to bend, require special connectors, and can accumulate moisture inside because they are hollow.

If you must use a small diameter cable for long runs, use RG6/U. Avoid RG58/U (7/32" OD) due to its losses at high frequencies. RG8/X (1/4" OD) is suitable for short patch cords.

Where Can I Buy A Scanner?

Almost every community has at least one Radio Shack store, and you can find scanners there. Be sure it is on sale, as Radio Shack list prices are high and their scanners are offered at reduced prices by mail order discounters.

Discount chain stores like Wal-Mart, Best Buy, K-Mart, Service Merchandise, and Circuit City sell scanners, but carry just a few models. Department stores, like Sears Roebuck and Montgomery Wards, sometimes offer low end scanners, although at high prices.

The best buys on new scanners are from reputable mail order radio dealers, for example:

- Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (704)837-9200. Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155. Web page is | http://www.grove-ent.com

- National Electronics (formerly National Tower Company), PO Box 15417, Shawnee Mission, KS 66215. Telephone (800)762-5049, (913)888-8864. Web page is www.sound.net/~ne/

- The Ham Station, 220 N. Fulton Ave., Evansville, IN 47719-0522. Telephone (800)729-4373, (812)422-0231.

- Scanner World (Albany, NY). Telephone (518)436-9606.

- Amateur Electronics Supply (Milwaukee, WI). Telephone (800)558-0411. Web page is www.aesham.com

Beware of inflated "shipping and handling" charges and be sure to include these when comparison shopping.

Used scanners may be found at hamfests, flea markets, garage sales, or listed in the classified advertisement section of your newspaper.

Modifying Your Scanner

The term "mod" is often used as shorthand for "modification." If you are handy with a soldering iron, you may be interested in modifying ("modding") your scanner to add features or enhance its performance. Be warned this usually voids your warranty and current models are difficult to service due to the small, delicate surface mount components. By federal regulation, new scanner models cannot be easily modified to tune the cellular phone bands.

The term "mod" has been narrowly used by some people to mean a change which permits a scanner to receive cellular phone frequencies. This definition is far too restrictive as there are several ways one could modify a scanner, e.g., changes to improve audio quality, adding an S-meter, expanding the number of channels, changing the earphone jack to accept stereo headphones, etc.

Modification article files can be copied from several ftp sites including the /pub/hamradio/mods directory at:

garfield.catt.ncsu.edu
oak.oakland.edu (IP address 141.210.10.117)

Modification articles posted on Usenet seem to have a life of their own. Frequently, they are plagiarized from the Internet and compiled by book, CDROM, and magazine publishers, sometimes reworded, then sold. Hobbyists then

copy the modifications from the books, CDROMs, and magazines back onto the Internet or BBSs (bulletin board systems)!

Grove Enterprises and other companies advertise a warranted, modification for fee service.

For information on "virtual downconverter" modifications, see Steve Donnell's article in January 1995 RCMA Scanner Journal or February 1996 Monitoring Times. Reprints of articles from Monitoring Times are available for $3.00 each plus a self-addressed stamped envelope from:

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Scanner Repair Shops

Is your scanner broken? Aside from sending the scanner back to the manufacturer for repair, here is one company which repairs scanners:

- G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) - (www.iinc.com/ggcomm or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com) This family owned company repairs scanners and pagers and stocks parts for several older models. G & G cannot usually repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. G & G sells and sometimes buys old scanners and parts, too. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482.

Repair tips for Bearcat and Radio Shack scanners are discussed in two other FAQ articles.

Where Can I Obtain Frequency Information?

To avoid chaos, the FCC licenses two-way radio users and assigns them specific frequencies. Groups of frequencies are allocated to specific types of users, so you won't usually find fire departments using the same frequencies as taxi drivers, for example.

Scanner enthusiasts can obtain frequency information from several sources, including books, government microfiche records, or other listeners.

Books: The most convenient source of fire, police, and local government frequencies is Gene Hughes' Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional volumes by Hollins

Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and larger book stores. The newest editions contain abbreviated business listings, too, although callsigns and other details are listed only for local government and public safety licensees.

I also recommend the book, Monitor America, published by SMB Publishing (now known as Scanner Master Publishing), and available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. A 1100 page 3rd edition is now available. Monitor America contains several pages of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, federal government, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. It contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Uniden has published several regional directories using the "Betty Bearcat" name, although there are much better directories available from Scanner Master (Newton Highlands, MA, tel. (508)655-6300) for some regions.

The most readily available source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Commercial Magazines: Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times (tel. 704-837-9200, www.grove.net) and the sensationalistic Popular Communications, (tel. 516-681-2922). National Scanning (NatScan) is a national scanner magazine published bimonthly and is affiliated with Uniden's Bearcat Radio Club. Early issues disappointed experienced scanner hobbyists, but it now has a good column on scanner modifications and has greatly improved its coverage of east coast frequencies since merging with NESN (North East Scanner News). The best scanner frequency

lists are often found in club publications, not commercial magazines, and are discussed later.

Government Records: Every year, the US Government sells FCC * license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS). The high cost of buying government records limits their appeal to hardcore enthusiasts. You can write for a catalog of FCC Master Frequency Database items to the NTIS, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161.

The FCC has an agreement with PerCon (tel. 716-386-6015), a private company, to sell FCC license information to the public on CDROMs. You can buy the full license information for a multi state region or a less detailed license database covering the the entire USA on CDROM for about $100. The PerCon Spectrum CDROM sells for $29 and contains a handful of fields for every FCC license in the US. The Spring 1995 edition works in DOS, Windows, and Mac environments.

Grove enterprises sells FCC license information on CDROM for $100. In the 1995 edition, fields are different than PerCon's Spectrum CDROM but the data appears to be of the same vintage. The licensee name and licensee city are used instead of the DBA (doing business as) name and transmitter city which makes query results confusing.

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Do Your Own Frequency Detective Work

When you try listening to a frequency for the first time, you'll want to know who you're hearing.

Although FCC rules require radio systems to identify their operations with their assigned call letters either automatically or verbally, most ignore the regulation. This often makes it difficult to know who is transmitting. Moreover, many radios are now being placed in service illegally, without first obtaining the required FCC license.

There is a challenge in deriving new spectrum usage information on your own. Sometimes it requires several days of listening, taping, and compiling fragments of information. Other times, the frequency information is there for the taking - without hassle.

You can approach from two directions:

1. Listen first: Monitor a frequency or frequencies, and try to determine who's transmitting and what purpose the channel serves. Once you identify the user, log the information.

2. Compile first: Take advantage of opportunities, such as examining the frequency label on a guard's radio, or reading the FCC license hanging on the "radio room" wall, to compile frequency lists, then monitor the listed frequencies to confirm that they are really in use. Readers are urged to abide by the rules of good taste and local laws in the quest for frequency information. Don't trespass, wait for an invitation.

Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

You can examine the FCC license on premise. I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the mall security office or company guard shack. You can examine the labels on radio equipment. Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret. Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement, however.

How Can I Use Equipment
to Uncover New Frequencies?

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. A few models, like the ICOM R7000/R7100, and R1, and older Bearcat 250 and Regency K500, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

To find the frequency of a hotel communications system, one fellow installed his Bearcat 250 in his car and parked in the hotel lot, leaving the scanner in the "search and store" mode. He left the antenna disconnected so the

scanner would only respond to a transmitter in the immediate vicinity.

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy, a Radio Shack CTR-82 will do. It's best to use a shielded, attenuating cable to feed the scanner audio into the recorder rather than relying on the recorder's internal microphone.

VOX recorders allow one to compress a whole day's worth of monitoring onto a single tape. I often leave a recorder "armed" and connected to a scanner at home while I am at the office or doing something else. When call letters are mumbled, I can play and replay the tape until I hear and understand them.

Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

Are There Any Scanner Clubs or Mailing List?

One of the best parts of the hobby is sharing it with other radio buffs. Trading information with other hobbyists about frequencies, communication systems, and receiving equipment is more valuable than any pile of magazines.

Peter Laws administers an electronic mail list read by over 700 hobbyists devoted to scanners and scanning. It's called "scan-l" and for more information, read:

http://www.wildstar.net/~plaws/scan/scan-l.txt

Clay Irving <clay@panix.com> administers a scanner electronic mailing list, called "scanning." To subscribe, send an Email message to: majordomo@lists.panix.com

In the body of the Email message, put: subscribe scanning

All Ohio Scanner Club

A smaller club is the All Ohio Scanner Club. Its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio and the Northeastern states, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of good product reviews and scanning tips.

Annual dues are $18.50 and more information is available from:

Dave Marshall, Managing Editor
All Ohio Scanner Club,
50 Villa Road,
Springfield, OH 45503.

Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association

The Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA) is the foremost club for scanner radio hobbyists in the northern Illinois area. CARMA was formed from the Chicago chapter of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), and we have been meeting since the early 1980s.

Many CARMA members are active in ham radio and GMRS, but the club is devoted to scanning and scanners.

Meetings are held on Saturdays, many at area restaurants, about 6 times a year. Although lunch starts at noon, the meetings begin officially at 1 PM and often run until about 4 PM. You must purchase a lunch since we get the room for free. Meetings consist of a quick review of club business, sometimes a special presentation, and a "round table" discussion/question & answer session. Large quantities of information and frequency lists are often distributed in the form of free handouts. Members often sell radio equipment at the meetings, too.

In addition to regular meetings, there are two CARMA picnic/field days during which members meet at a park, erect antennas, eat, and operate scanners from battery power. CARMA members take organized tours of various communications facilities in the area.

Club meeting dates and times are published in the CARMA newsletter, published 6 times a year. You can obtain an electronic subscription to the CARMA Newsletter. For more info, see:

http://www.TheRamp.net/shabec/carma.htm

The club's mailing address is:

CARMA
P.O. Box 2681
Glenview, IL 60025

Some CARMA members participate on the CARMA computer bulletin board, run by Will Sperling. There is a $15 fee for 200 hours use of the BBS. If you have a modem and terminal or computer, you can reach the CARMA BBS by calling (630)852-1292.

All meetings are held on Saturdays at locations announced in advance. Meetings are usually held at:

- the Destiny Restaurant, on Rand Road, in Des Plaines,

- Philly's in the shopping center at the corner Rt. 83
and 53rd St. in Willowbrook,

- The Great Escape, on Irving Park Road, Schiller Park

and at other restaurants.

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April 5 (Sun): Madison, WI. Madison Area Repeater Association. Info: Jeremy Charles, N9VHT, PO Box 8890, Madison, WI 53708-8890. tel. 608-245-8890. http://www.cs.wisc.edu/~jeremyc/mara/swapfest/

April 19 (Sun) : Stickney, IL. Dupage Amateur Radio Club, Hawthone Race Course. Hours 8 AM - 2 PM. Setup 6 AM. Info Ed Weinstein, WD9AYR. 7511 Walnut Ave, Woodridge Ill 60517 (630) 985-9256 or check the DARC homepage at: http://homepage.interaccess.com/~geirh/ Talk in 145.250. VE testing at 9 AM. Hourly door prizes. All indoor space reserved with a special table pricing offer that ends March 1st. Tickets: $4 in advance, $5 at the gate. Tailgating, weather permitting. Outdoor flea market spaces free.

MAY 1998

May 2 (Sat), Cedarburg, WI - Ozaukee Radio Club Swapfest, For Information Contact O.R.C. Swapfest Committee, W58 N985 Essex Dr, Cedarburg, WI 53012-1439 or call Gabe at 414-377-2784 between 6:00 and 8:00 PM.

May 3 (Sun), Sandwich, IL - Kishwaukee Amateur Radio Club Hamfest, Sandwich Fairgrounds. Admission $6. Ends at 2 PM. Talk-in 146.73 MHz. Info: Bob Yurs W9ICU, phone 815-895-3219, email: N9ZNA@AOL.COM. see http://tbcnet.com/~jleonard/hamfest.htm (Nice mid-sized hamfest out in country. Lots of tailgating. Few commercial exhibitors. Always a good time. Fairly good restroom facilities - AJ9S).

May 15 - 17 (Fri - Sun), Dayton, OH - Dayton HamVention

JUNE 1998

Jun 7 (Sun), Princeton, IL - Starved Rock RC. info: Debbie Burton, N9DRU, 1153 Union St., Marseilles, IL 61341. tel. 815-795-2201 (Usually an excellent hamfest. Unlimited space outdoor flea market, some indoor space, though few big name commercial vendors. Crude restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

Jun 14 (Sun), Wheaton, IL - Six Meter Club of Chicago. info: Joseph Gutwein, WA9RIJ, 7109 Blackburn Ave., Downers Grove, IL 60516-3925. tel. 630-963-4922

JULY 1998

Jul 12 (Sun), Peotone, IL. Kankakee Area Radio Society. Will County fairgrounds. info: Don Kerouac, K9NR, 6311 East Flora St., Kankakee, IL 60901. tel. 815-939-7548, E-mail: k9nr@juno.com.

Jul 19 (Sun), Sugar Grove, IL. Fox River Radio League. Waubonsee Community College. For tables, tickets, and information: contact N9UZC James E. Von Olnhausen, n9uzc@amsat.org, (630)-879-3042, FRRL, Box 673, Batavia, IL 60510-0673. (good, small to midsized hamfest. Modern rest-room facilities. - AJ9S)

AUGUST 1998

Aug 2 (Sun), Peotone, IL. Hamfesters Radio Club. Will County fairgrounds. info: Dave Brasel, NF9N, 6933 West 110th St., Worth, IL 60482. tel. 708-448-0580 (Usually an excellent hamfest - AJ9S).

Aug 23 (Sun), Woodstock, IL. Tri-County Radio Group. McHenry County fairgrounds. info: Bob Grosse, N9KXG, PO Box 3107, Skokie, IL 60077-6107 tel. 708-944-0500. E-mail: tcrg@hotmail.com, http://quality-enterprises.com/tcrg/ (fairly good, small to mid sized hamfest - AJ9S).

SEPTEMBER 1998

Sep 19, 20 (Sat & Sun), Peoria, IL. Peoria Area ARC. info: Jim Williams, N9HHU, Box 3508, Peoria, IL 61612-3508. tel. 309-692-3378. Fax: 309-698-8643. E-mail: jimeoc@worldnet.att.net, http://www.w9uvi.org

Sept 26, 27 (Sat & Sun), Grayslake, IL Chicago FM Club. Lake County fairgrounds. info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Ave., Norridge, IL 60656-3245. tel. 708-457-0966 (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

OCTOBER 1998

NOVEMBER 1998

NOTES - Computer Central and Giant Computer shows

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5 admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am - 3:00 pm.

Giant Computer shows are usually held at the Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or at the DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester Rds., Wheaton, IL. Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM - 3 PM. To get on the mailing list or get more information, call (847)974-3123. See http://www.gicancomputershow.com

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the 700 and R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

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25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

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25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

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30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

The best source for crystals is:

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

You need not bother with calculating the crystal fundamental frequency. Merely supply International with the exact receiver model number, printed on the rear label, and the frequency you want to monitor. They will perform the necessary calculations.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760
email: weber@citizen.infi.net

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model	UHF	VHF-high	VHF-low
SM-301	X	X	X
SM-302	X	X	
SM-303	X	X	
SM-304	X	X	

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) / 10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant

max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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IMPROVE THE SQUELCH IN YOUR MONITOR RECEIVER

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The squelch control in some FM monitor receivers is difficult to use because of too much hysteresis. The American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language defines hysteresis as the:

o "Failure of a property changed by an external agent to return to its original value when the cause of the change is removed."

It's like having play in a car's steering wheel, or backlash in a gear set. Too much hysteresis in a squelch circuit forces one to keep the squelch at a tighter setting, missing weaker signals when scanning or searching. The squelch hysteresis problem was first addressed in a 1984 article about the Radio Shack PRO-24 crystal controlled scanner.

Why do engineers design these circuits with any hysteresis? Basically, hysteresis prevents weak signals from "popping" the squelch open and closed rapidly, which would be very annoying to the listener. A squelch circuit with hysteresis requires a stronger signal to open the squelch than it does to keep it open.

Models cursed with too much hysteresis include the Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT and 760XLT, Radio Shack PRO-2003, PRO-2004, and others. Don't despair, the fix is simple for most radios. I've successfully reduced the squelch hysteresis by replacing a single resistor.

Hysteresis is usually implemented by providing feedback from the squelch gate input to output, through a resistor. The higher the resistor value, the less feedback there is, and less hysteresis. My modification involves replacing the "stock" resistor with a higher value resistor, as identified in the table below.

This technique does not apply to some of the newer Uniden models, because the squelch hysteresis is partially determined by firmware inside the processor IC.

This article cannot provide step-by-step instructions for each radio. I always encourage radio hobbyists to purchase the service manuals for their equipment. The most useful sections of the manual are the schematics and printed circuit diagrams. Good manuals will also describe the theory of operation and alignment procedures, and contain a complete parts list.

If your radio has too much hysteresis, and is not listed in the table, study the service manual. Motorola MC3357, MC3359, and MC3361 integrated circuits, which contain IF and squelch circuitry, are popular in scanners. In these receivers, look for the hysteresis resistor to be connected to these ICs.

Notes

1. The author cannot furnish modification information for other radios.

2. Don't attempt this, or any other internal modification, unless you are skilled in electronic servicing.

3. Make sure your receiver is disconnected from any power source before opening the cabinet.

Table 1. Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers

Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers		
Receiver Model No.	Res-istor Value	Stock Comments
Radio Shack PRO-24	R35	33K replace with 220K. Located between pins 12 and 14 of MC3357 (IC1)
Radio Shack PRO-2002	R197	47K try 220K.
Radio Shack PRO-2004	R148	47K remove R148 or replace with 220K.

	On linear board,
	between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC2)
Radio Shack PRO-2006	R152 33K try 100K or higher.
Radio Shack PRO-2022	R91 33K replace 33K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	on IC-1 MC3361
Radio Shack PRO-2035	100K replace 100K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC-2)
Electra/Bearcat 220	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 20/20	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 250	R66 2.2M may be ok as is
Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT	R58 22K replace with 6.8K
	or other value.
	(select value for
	the particular radio.)
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT	R91 860K replace with 2.2M.
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Plectron P1	R81 180K may be ok as is
Plectron 700	R96 180K replace with 560K
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References

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BUYING A USED SCANNER RADIO

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Abstract

This article discusses the purchase of used scanner radios
and includes these topics:

1. Motivation for buying a used scanner
2. A used scanner may be a broken scanner - where to get
it fixed
3. Evolution of the scanner
4. Obtaining crystals
5. Keyboard programmable scanners

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for
Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

Anybody with enough money can buy a brand new scanner, but
you can save lots of money if you get a good deal on a used
scanner. Hamfests are probably the best place to find used
radios, but you must be familiar with the equipment.
Hamfests are repleat with older radios you won't see in
today's catalogs.

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor
receivers of various brands in my collection. I purchase
most of my receivers at hamfests or horsetrade with other

radio hobbyists.

A Used Scanner May be a Broken Scanner

Getting a bargain is not without some risk. I have had sellers look me square in the eye and tell me their radio worked fine -- when it really didn't.

Buying a used portable scanner is riskier than buying a mobile or base model. Portable scanners are subject to more physical abuse and many have been dropped. If a radio has been dropped, the laws of probability dictate that the first point of impact was probably a corner, so be sure to examine each corner for evidence of trauma.

Scanners used in mobile service are subject to vibration, dust, and temperature extremes. This shouldn't dissuade you from buying a used mobile scanner, but be aware of possible complications.

You should have some recourse if the radio you buy turns out to be defective. For hints on fixing older Bearcat base scanners, see "Tips for Fixing Bearcat Scanners," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in March 1996 Monitoring Times magazine.

If you can't fix the radio yourself, you can pay to have the manufacturer or a service clinic repair it for you. Radio Shack repairs scanners, and Uniden can repair newer Bearcat models but often refuses to service older models, claiming they are "unrepairable" and carving the letter "U" on the cabinet.

G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts and crystals for several older models. They usually don't repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation, (317)326-4419, is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 251 N. 300 W. Greenfield, IN 46140-8496.

Evolution of the Scanner

It helps to understand some scanner history before shopping for a used scanner. You will likely see radios from many vintages at a hamfest, and should avoid buying early units unless you are a scanner collector.

One of the earliest ancestors to the scanner was the converter. Manufactured by Tompkins (Tuneaverter), Petersen, Bearcat (Lil Tiger), Midland, and others, converters were made to operate in conjunction with AM radios. Then came wide band monitor receivers, in both tunable and crystal control models, like the Radio Shack PRO-2B. Truthfully, converters and tuneable FM receivers are interesting but don't work well by today's standards.

While tuneable receivers were in vogue, solid state technologies supplanted tubes. Better performing, narrow band crystal controlled units, like the Sonar FR-105, followed. These units did not scan, rather channel selection was accomplished using a simple rotary switch. Sonar even made a 24 channel unit, model FR-2513, in which crystals were held in a rotary "turret."

The earliest scanners, like the 1968 vintage Bearcat BCH, BCL, and BCU models, did not provide individual channel lockout capability. Electra didn't use the term "scanner" and instead called these innovative radios "business receivers." Other models, like the SBE Sentinel, employed a "Channel 1 Bypass" switch so a user could lockout channel 1.

The first scanners came in single band models, followed by multiband models. As two-way radio users started to populate the 450 - 470 MHz band, consumers were forced to pay a premium for UHF scanner coverage. Some multiband scanners, like the Electra's Bearcat III, required an optional circuit board for each band.

There were scanner mutations, designs which never evolved -- odd combinations of AM broadcast receivers with VHF-FM receive capability, like the flamboyant turquoise Sonar Sentry FR-103 portables, Electra's Jolly Roger, and GE's Surveyor series (see US patent 4,011,515, granted 3/8/77). Lafayette Radio Electronics offered a few CB transceivers with VHF receiver capability. These poor performers didn't interest consumers of that era and you should avoid these models unless you are a scanner collector.

The first programmable (crystal-less) scanners were difficult to program. Users had to look up frequencies in a code book and tediously program the information into the scanner in binary form. Some models, like the Tennelec MCP-1 (see US patent 3,961,261, granted 6/1/76), Bearcat BC-101 (see US patent 4,179,662, granted 8/4/78), and Radio Shack COMP 100, resembled Altair or PDP-8 computers, with a row of 16 or so toggle switches. Instead of toggle switches, the Regency WHAMO-10 was programmed by breaking teeth from metal combs. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. The GRE-manufactured SBE Optiscan (and its Sears clone) required poking or covering a series of holes in

plastic cards which were then inserted into a slot on the front panel.

Keyboard Programmable Scanners

Both Bearcat and Regency, as well as Radio Shack offer some good models. I would avoid the Bearcat 100, and older scanners made by AOR, JIL, Fox, Tennelec, and Robyn.

Scanner features often differ not only by model but by manufacturer. For instance, most Radio Shack and Bearcat programmables allow enable/disable of the delay function on a per-channel basis. Older Regency units permit the delay to be enabled/disabled only globally, that is, for all the channels at one time.

All the older Radio Shack scanners were made by General Research Electronics (GRE). Uniden began making scanner models for Radio Shack in the late 1980s, and now supplies about half the Radio Shack scanners. The older GRE-made models scan a bit slowly and have a higher level of synthesizer noise. Most have too much hysteresis in the operation of the squelch control, but this can be fixed completely by replacing one resistor. Good, detailed shop manuals are available for Radio Shack units for $5 - $12.

In the name of cost cutting, some models have done away with the concept of a "channel bank", i.e. the ability to select/deselect a group of channels at a time. The bank concept was a good one. It may be inconvenient to operate a 30 channel scanner without banks (e.g. Regency MX3000, HX1000) if you operate the way many scanner hobbyists do.

If you want to buy an American-made scanner, you will have to buy an old model. Until the mid 1980s, rivals Regency and Electra (Bearcat) built most of the scanners in their Indiana and Puerto Rican factories. Uniden, a large Japanese electronics company, purchased the scanner product lines of both competitors and moved production to Asia.

My favorite VHF/UHF receivers are the the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2005 and PRO-2006, and the ICOM R7000, R7100, and R8500. The ICOM models are more "communications receiver" than a conventional scanner.

For portable use, I prefer Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT and older Radio Shack PRO-43.

Obtaining Crystals

If you do purchase a crystal controlled scanner or monitor receiver, you will probably want to buy more crystals to

cover local frequencies.

Scanner crystals may be ordered from your local Radio Shack store or from one of the companies below. Be sure to specify the operating frequency you want and the brand and model of scanner.

Some companies may ask you to send a schematic of the scanner or require more detailed information, like series or parallel resonance, load capacitance, etc.

Electra Corporation stocks crystals for the Bearcat scanners:

Electra Corporation
11915 E. Washington St.
Cumberland, IN 46229
Phone 317-894-3229

Crystals for Bearcat and other models are available from:

American Crystal Co.
1623 Central Ave.
Kansas City, KS 66102
tel. 913-342-5493

Bomar Crystal Company
201 Blackford Ave.
Middlesex, NJ 08846
tel. 908-356-7787

Cal Crystal Lab Inc.
1142 N. Gilbert St.
Anaheim, CA 92801
tel. 714-991-1580

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

G & G Communications
9247 Glenwood Drive
LeRoy, NY 14482.
tel. 716-768-8151

Jan Crystals
Box #-6017
Fort Myers, FL 33911
tel. 813-936-2397

Monitor Crystal Svc
124 W Walnut St Watseka, IL 60970
tel. 815-432-5296

Short product summaries for over 70 scanner models appear in
a separate article, entitled "Scanner Radio Review Briefs."
For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass,
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REPAIR TIPS: BEARCAT SCANNER RADIOS

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Introduction

The original Bearcat scanner line was manufactured by
Electra Company, a division of Masco Corp of Indiana. In
the mid 1980s, Uniden, a Japanese company, bought out the
Bearcat scanner line and Uniden's first Bearcat scanner was
the BC800XLT model.

Most of the models discussed in this article are
base/mobile units made by Electra during the 1970s and
1980s although some of the capacitor failures occur in the
Uniden BC800XLT, too.

Electra stamped all of its scanners with a manufacturing
date code on the rear of the cabinet. The code is comprised
of a single character (C = Cumberland, Indiana, P = Puerto
Rico), followed by four digits denoting year and week the
radio was built. For example, "P8422" denotes the radio was
made in the Puerto Rico factory during the 22nd week of
1984.

One way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine the
4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most

recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 11915 E. Washington St., Cumberland, IN 46229. Phone 317-894-3229.

To order a user manual for an Electra/Bearcat scanner from Uniden, call (800)235-3874 extension 2553.

Some schematic diagrams may be obtained from Uniden/Bearcat's parts department, (800)297-1023. Uniden currently charges a flat rate of $54 for scanner repairs. They will repair and return "out of warranty" items without an estimate unless the repair charges exceed the flat rate charges.

The phone number for repair is (800)297-1023, too. I recommend you call repair before sending the broken scanner. Items for repair via UPS (include receipt if still under warranty) are usually sent to:

Uniden America Corp.
4700 Amon Carter Blvd.
P.O. Box 95002
Fort Worth, TX 76155

If Uniden doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

G & G Communications (telephone (716)768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts for several older models, especially Electra/Bearcat and Regency brands, but they don't sell manuals or schematics. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

Common Construction

Most of the classic, metal-cased Bearcat base/mobile models were built using two printed circuit boards:

1. a "radio board" containing the synthesizer, RF, IF, and audio stages, and
2. a "feature board" containing the microprocessor controller and memory circuitry which gave each model its own personality.

Although there are various vintage radios boards, they all have similar circuitry.

Bad Solder Joints Common

Before addressing specific symptoms, circuit boards in the malfunctioning scanner should be inspected for poor solder joints.

The Electra/Bearcat BC350, BC300, BC250, BC220, BC20/20, BC211, BC210, and BC210XL models were hand assembled, and every one I've serviced had several connections that were either soldered poorly, or not soldered at all.

Resoldering joints on the ribbon cable connecting the RF and keyboard logic circuit boards in a BC250 attenuated the microprocessor/synthesizer hash noise noticeably.

A Bearcat 20/20 was experiencing periodic loss of memory on some, but not all channels. When the problem occurred, the frequencies on some channels would be completely changed. On other channels, the frequency would still be intact, but the channel would be locked out, and the delay toggled from "on" to "off". Some channels were not affected.

The 2 "AA" memory backup batteries, and their holder, tested good. Much time was spent tracing logic, heating and cooling components, and making voltage measurements.

One of the secondary leads from the power transformer was connected to the main circuit board through a hole drilled through foil traces on both the top and bottom sides of the board. A close examination revealed that this lead had been soldered only on the top of the board - the bottom side had never been soldered.

Soldering the lead on both sides of the board solved the memory loss problem.

Symptom: Blank Display

The BC300 scanner, and several other Bearcat models, employ a switching type power supply stage to generate plus and minus voltages in excess of 20 volts DC. When this switcher fails to function, the display goes blank, but the squelch control appears to work, and white noise can be heard in the speaker.

In almost a dozen of the BC300 and BC800XLT scanners I've fixed, C98, a capacitor in series with the primary of the switching transformer failed, causing the output of the supply to drop below the level needed to power the display. The switching transformer is mounted on the RF circuit board, and is much, much smaller than the main power transformer, which is usually fastened to the metal

chassis. The 22uF/16V capacitor used for C98 in early BC300s was marginal, and was replaced with a 47uF/25V capacitor in later units.

Jim Craig replaced a 22uF/35V C98 capacitor to repair his BC210XW.

Paul Grohe replaced a failed C98 with a low ESR (equivalent series resistance), high frequency, switching regulator grade capacitor, e.g. a Panasonic HF series capacitor. He also recommends adding a 0.1 ceramic capacitor in parallel with C98.

I replaced the 22 uF capacitor in the switching power supply stage of a BC210XL which caused the same symptom. Other capacitors in the switcher stage have failed. C114, a 4.7 uF/35V tantalum capacitor failed in at least one BC250, causing the display to blank.

A more sinister problem affects the switcher in earlier models. The switching supply stage in the BC250 and original BC210 is driven by a clock signal derived from a custom Exar NC57902 divider integrated circuit (designated IC6 in the BC250 scanner). I've seen this divider IC fail in several BC250s, causing a blank display (except for a decimal point in the BC250's rightmost digit). This custom IC is no longer available from Uniden.

Failure of IC9, the 9 volt NJM78M09A regulator in a BC800XLT is another cause of a blank display.

Symptom: Invalid Frequency Displayed

A common Bearcat 250 malady is manifested by an invalid frequency displayed on the readout. This condition is temporarily "cured" by unplugging the AC line cord from the wall, then replugging it. This condition is symptomatic of a power supply problem in which Q204, a Texas Instruments TIP-29 located on the feature circuit board, fails.

A Philips ECG291 will work as a substitute for the TIP-29. Don't try a Radio Shack substitute, it hasn't worked. See Martin Toomajian's article, "Bearcat 250 Erratic Display Cure", in January 1987 Monitoring Times.

A similar problem in the Bearcat 20/20 was discussed previously in the section on bad solder joints.

Symptom: Squelch Won't Eliminate White Noise

Most Uniden/Bearcat base/mobile scanners feature an AUTO squelch position, actuated by rotating the squelch knob fully counter clockwise. The BC350 used a separate pushbutton switch for this purpose. These scanners use a

flimsy potentiometer (designated R81 in BC300s) internally mounted on the RF circuit board, to set the level of signal required to open the squelch when in the AUTO position. This pot also has an effect on the squelch action in the non-AUTO mode, and determines at which point the squelch knob must be positioned in order to silence the radio.

Although the potentiometer is adjusted at the factory, changes in component values due to aging often necessitate readjustment of this internal pot. Misadjustment of this pot has been the cause of "no squelch" complaints in two BC300s and a BC250 I fixed.

Another squelch failure is due to a blown transistor that acts as the electronic switch in the squelch circuit. I replaced this transistor in only one BC300, so I don't know if this is a common problem.

Symptom: Scanner Completely Dead

In Bearcat scanners using an internal power supply (e.g., BC350, BC250, etc.), the main power transformer is connected directly to the AC line. Since the on/off switch is on the secondary side of the transformer, current flows in the primary as long as the AC line cord is plugged into an active AC outlet. These transformers contain an internal circuit breaker, not visible without unwinding (destroying) the transformer. The internal breaker is known to fail prematurely in a batch of Bearcat power transformers.

If your scanner is completely dead, check the primary of this transformer for an open circuit condition.

Symptom: Keyboard Bounce

After much use, the Chromerics keyboards in Bearcat scanners start to wear out. The first sign of trouble is usually keyboard bounce on the most frequently used key, e.g., the MANUAL key. Replacement keyboards are usually available from UNIDEN, but replacement requires dexterity, as one must take care not to tear the flat, flexible strip connecting the keyboard to the logic board.

Symptom: Keyboard Completely Unresponsive

The keyboard matrix is "scanned" by the microprocessor. Another problem is when none of the keys seems to function; the receiver just keeps scanning in spite of key depressions. I found this condition in a BC210XL scanner owned by a heavy smoker. Perhaps nicotine smoke was to blame, as the resistance between two input port pins on the microprocessor was down to about 1000 ohms, fooling the

microprocessor into believing that a key was stuck in the "down" position. Scraping the circuit board between the two pins with an X-Acto knife fixed the problem.

Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT Portable
Loss of Audio and Dial Lamp

If you can program frequencies into your BC200XLT but there is no audio and the green backlight no longer functions, a tiny transistor may have failed.

Check for a defective PNP surface mount transistor, Q201 (2SB815B6-YDY). Q201 is used as a switch to furnish 8 VDC to several stages of the BC200XLT. Its main purpose is to switch off power hungry stages of the BC200XLT when the CPU thinks the NiCd voltage has fallen below a threshhold. That's an attempt to limit the current drain on weak NiCds to avoid permanent damage.

Q201 is located on the foil side of the "Micom" board, adjacent to the black multi-pin connector which mates the Micom and main boards together.

Q201 can be destroyed by a few different causes, primarily, by something in the scanner drawing too much current through it. In one case, capacitor C36 shorted. It's a 220 uF 10v electrolytic, located on the component side of the main board, connected from pin 8 of the audio IC (IC2 NJM386SL) to ground. Capacitor C55 shorted in another BC200XLT. In a pinch you bypass Q201 by soldering a short piece of bare wire between the collector and emitter, but you must first fix the component which caused Q201 to fail.

BC9000XLT: Loss of Sensitivity

John Ward has fixed two BC9000XLTs which suffered from "low sensitivity." He fixed the solder joint where the antenna jack connects to the circuit board. In both cases the tab from the board was on the opposite side of the jack from where the little blob of solder applied at the factory was located.

It was an intermittent problem that depended upon the position of the antenna cable - if the weight of the cable placed tension on the jack in one direction contact was made and the radio worked fine. If the cable placed tension on the jack in the opposite direction contact was lost and so was reception. The gap was barely noticeable.

Other Problems

Complaints of low audio output and occasional microphonics in three Uniden/Bearcat 800XLTs were caused by a bad 47 ufd

electrolytic capacitor in series between the external speaker jack and audio amplifier.

Andy Domonkos reports he often uses a tape recorder connected to a Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. RL-1, the carrier activated relay inside the BC890XLT wore out. Andy found the identical relay sold at Radio Shack (part #275-232) and says the BC9000XLT uses the same relay, too.

Replacement Bulbs for BC760XLT

The Uniden BC760XLT's SCAN, MAN, PRI, and HOLD buttons are illuminated by "grain of wheat" type incandescent bulbs. Gary Saffer reports that the bulbs and buttons are located on a small printed circuit board which sits behind the radio's face plate. Gary unsoldered the burned out bulbs in his radio and replaced them with 12 volt Radio Shack bulbs (#272-1092c). They should last a long time when powered by the 8 VDC supplied by the BC760XLT.

Open Resistor in BC140

Robert Casey fixed his deaf, 16 channel Bearcat BC140 scanner. A 10 ohm resistor had opened that fed a circuit that generates 22V for the varactor diode tuner circuits. Without the 22V, there was no tuning of the local oscillator and front end, and no reception. What he did was compare voltages to a second working BC140.

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HOW DO YOU FIND THESE SCANNER FREQUENCIES?

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I am often asked, "How do you find these frequencies?"
This article answers the question in various sections:

Books
Magazines
Government Records
Web Sites
Federal Radio Stations
Radio Clubs
Do Your Own Sleuthing
What Makes Station Identification Difficult?
Examine the FCC License on Premise
Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment
Examine the Antenna to Determine Frequency Band
Equipment to Determine Frequency Usage
How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example
Summary
Addresses

Books

The most convenient source of fire and police frequencies is the Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional volumes by Hollins Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and

larger book stores for under $13. Police Call Plus is basically a computer printout of FCC license information in the fire, police, local government, and conservation services in two lists: by licensee name within state, and by frequency. A few pages of local airport and nonsensitive federal government frequencies are included. Selected business frequencies are listed, too, but without callsigns and other details.

I highly recommend Richard Barnett's 1992 book, Monitor America, published by Scanner Master Corp. A 3rd edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. It is crammed full of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, national park, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. The information was compiled mainly from members of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now defunt. Monitor America contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call Plus, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Scanner Master also publishes regional frequency guides for Illinois, Florida, Virginia, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and other states.

Aeronautical frequencies are covered in the Aeronautical Frequency Directory, written by Bob Coburn, W1JJO. Although most of the information is about civilian aviation, Bob included sections on military mid-air refueling and CAP. The 401 page third edition is available from Official Scanner Guides (P.O. Box 525-NS, Londonderry, NH 03053). The same publisher sells the Maritime Frequency Directory and frequency guides for several New England states. Some of these books are available through Radio Shack, too.

The longstanding source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range. Since the US government no longer offers frequency information for its own stations, and has never published sensitive frequencies, most of the information in Kneitel's book has been collected from listeners over the years. It

is certainly not complete, nor 100% accurate, but is a good book for this difficult to obtain information.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Magazines

Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times and the sensationalistic Popular Communications magazines.

Government Records

Every year, the US Government sells FCC license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS).

These lists contain license information for the industrial (e.g. Illinois Armored Car, Pinkerton's Security, Joe's Towing, etc.), highway maintenance, commercial broadcast, aviation, common carrier, and maritime services, as well as for police and fire. For more info call NTIS at 703-487-4630.

Back in "the good old days," Grove Enterprises sold copies of some FCC microfiche files, and this was much cheaper than buying directly from NTIS. Grove no longer sells microfiche, but sells information on CDROM for $49 instead.

The FCC has an agreement with PerCon (tel. 716-386-6015), a private company, to sell FCC license information to the public on both floppy disks and CDROMs. You can buy the full license information for a multi state region or a less detailed license database covering the the entire USA on CDROM for about $100.

The PerCon Spectrum CDROM sells for under $30 and contains a handful of fields for every FCC license in the US. However, Public Safety license information contained in the Winter 1996 Spectrum doesn't appear as up to date as in the 1997 Police Call Plus.

Spectrum works in DOS, Windows, and Mac environments. One can try restricted sample searches of the Spectrum CD for free via PerCon's web page at

http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm .

Companies have appeared which are "plugged into" the FCC licensing system and they sell computer time allowing on-line file access. They also sell paper copies of FCC information. Washington Radio Reports is one example. A monthly publication, it lists license applications made to the FCC. A few members of my scanner club subscribe and share the information with me.

As I have already done for hundreds of radio enthusiasts, companies, government agencies, and organizations across the country, I will locate FCC licensed and selected FAA and CAP transmitter sites in an area of your choice, in any state, and produce a custom RadioMap(TM) report, including a beautiful 8-1/2" by 11" scaled color map, protected by plastic. The map is marked with transmitter sites, cities, highways, airports, military installations, national parks, etc.

RadioMap has been advertised monthly in Monitoring Times magazine since 1995. The graphical nature of RadioMap allows you to identify antenna sites and visualize the transmitter locations in your neighborhood, near your office, and other places of interest -- from VLF through microwave. The report lists frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names. RadioMap covers police, fire, local government, TV, business, industry, common carrier, railroad, trucking, and many more types of transmitter sites, excluding ham radio stations. Wireline and nonwireline cellular phone and AM/FM broadcast transmitter sites are clearly marked using unique color icons.

Industrial customers use RadioMap reports to survey the "radio environment" prior to installation of radios and wireless microphones at customer sites. RadioMap is used by the maritime and broadcast industries, as well as ham radio operators to solve intermod interference problems, and has been very favorably reviewed in RCMA Scanner Journal, American Scannergram, and USSN.

The RadioMap processes and software are unique and proprietary. Unlike "more tame" maps, RadioMap shows the locations of military bases, ammunition plants, arsenals, weapons factories, and other military installations.

For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

suburbs: 5 mile range (100 sq. mi. area)
rural areas: 10 or more miles (400 sq. mi. area)
dense urban area: 1 - 2 mile range

Longer ranges for additional charge - call for pricing.

A custom RadioMap report costs $24.95 plus $5.00 shipping and handling. For an additional $5.00, I will include a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area. Send check or money order payable to Bob Parnass for $29.95 for standard or $34.95 for deluxe RadioMap report with histogram. Include your name, address, and telephone number, along with center location (nearest intersection of 2 streets, or latitude & longitude) and mail to: Bob Parnass, 2350 Douglas Road, Oswego, IL 60543. tel. (630)554-3839 6-10 PM central time. For a brochure, send SASE.

Web Sites

If you have access to the World Wide Web, you can visit dozens of sites with local frequency lists. You can look up civilian aero frequencies for specific airports at: http://www.airnav.com/airports/.

Federal Radio Stations - Not Licensed by FCC

Since federal government radio stations are not licensed by the FCC, they are not listed in FCC microfiche. In 1981, a group of 60 radio hobbyists split a $1300 fee, and obtained 80 microfiche cards of 'sanitized' information about federal government radio stations under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). (See "The Government Giveth, the Government Taketh Away", by Richard Prelinger, in Monitoring Times, July 1982.)

Only 12 of the 21 information fields for each station were furnished. Fields like "Remarks", which indicate the exact usage of a channel (e.g. "Sky Marshall's Net"), and "Bureau", indicating agency subdivision (e.g. TAC within the USAF), were withheld. These 80 pages of microfiche were sold by Grove Enterprises for $25, but are no longer available from that source. Private entrepreneurs have been known to ask $125 or more for a set! In a step backward, the US Government insists it will no longer release this type of information - it is now 'classified'. (See "AFIO and the FOIA", by Bob Grove, in Monitoring Times, September 1982.)

For a reason unknown to this author, the government released a 1984 vintage set of frequencies allocated to the FAA. Perhaps this was a mistake, because the information is marked 'unclassified', but all fields are furnished, including some which indicate security related usage. Grove sold this set of 33 microfiche cards for about $13.

Two way radio equipment formerly used by the armed forces often appears for sale at hamfests. Less often, Secret Service and FBI radios appear there from time to time, too. When you see such equipment, look over the radio for a frequency label and write down the frequencies stamped on the crystals or channel elements. Make note of any service or property tags which specify the agency or military base which used the equipment.

Radio Clubs

One of the best parts of the hobby is sharing it with other radio buffs. Trading information with other hobbyists about frequencies, communication systems, and receiving equipment is more valuable than a pile of magazines.

Since the early 1960s, I had been an amateur radio operator, and belonged to amateur radio clubs, but I never realized there were any scanner clubs! In 1983, I joined the world's largest scanner club, the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now out of business. There are several regional scanner clubs, spun off from the former RCMA, which hold regular meetings.

Another club which prints sensitive federal frequencies is the All Ohio Scanner Club. I enjoy its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, which is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of product reviews and scanning tips.

More information is available on the WWW page http://aosc.rpmdp.com and from:

All Ohio Scanner Club
50 Villa Road
Springfield, OH 45503

Do Your Own Sleuthing

There is a challenge in deriving new spectrum usage information on your own. Sometimes it requires several days of listening, taping, and compiling fragments of information. Other times, the frequency information is there for the taking - without hassle.

You can approach from two directions:

1. Listen first: Monitor a frequency or frequencies, and determine who's transmitting and what purpose the channel serves. Once you identify the user, log the information.

2. Compile first: Take advantage of opportunities, such as examining the frequency label on a guard's radio,

or reading the FCC license hanging on the "radio room" wall, to compile frequency lists, then monitor the listed frequencies to confirm that they are really in use. Readers are urged to abide by the rules of good taste and local laws in the quest for frequency information. Don't trespass, wait for an invitation.

Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

What Makes Station Identification Difficult?

In most instances, FCC rules require radio users to identify their operations with FCC assigned call letters. Police and fire departments, especially those with trained radio dispatchers, seem particularly conscientious about station identification. Like commercial broadcasters, many of these stations identify on the hour and the half hour.

Some repeater stations have Morse code identification circuits which transmit call letters on a periodic basis, insuring compliance with FCC rules.

On the other hand, over 75% the industrial radio stations monitored within the last year ignore the FCC regulation, making it difficult for a listener to identify a station. Some stations may operate for years using the nondescriptive "base to mobile 2" or "Joe to base" protocol. One rung up the hierarchy are stations that identify using something like "Acme base to 107", giving the listener a clue for his log. If call letters are given, they are often rendered unintelligible by operators who fail to enunciate. The failure to identify is more likely due to sloppiness, rather than any attempt to hide station identity.

While not regulated by the FCC, federal government radio stations vary in the extent to which they identify their transmissions. Some federal stations do not have call letters. A nearby paging transmitter periodically transmits a voice recording announcing, "This is the Army Joliet Ammunition Plant." What more could a listener ask for?

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy. I use two modified Radio Shack CTR-75 recorders, a discontinued model.

VOX recorders allow one to compress a whole day's worth of monitoring onto a single tape. I often leave a recorder "armed" and connected to a scanner at home while I am at

the office or doing something else. When call letters are mumbled, I can play and replay the tape until I hear and understand them.

If you don't have a VOX recorder, consider a device like the NiteLogger II tape recorder controller, made by Benjamin Michael Industries. It connects simply between scanner and recorder and contains sound activation circuitry to trigger the recorder.

The following examples illustrate techniques I've used to derive new frequency information.

Examine the FCC License on Premise

I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the Bell Labs security office and the guard shack at Waste Management's Greene Valley Landfill in Naperville.

Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment

Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find Dymo or P-Touch tape labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret.

- At the annual Glenview Naval Air Station open house, I examined a military manpack radio being used by dispensary paramedics. The radio's tuning dial was set at 34.15 MHz.

- The Illinois Army National Guard displayed two armored personnel carriers at the local county fair, each equipped with VHF-FM and HF-SSB transceivers.

In addition to a tuning control (VFO), the VHF-FM radio had a set of channel select pushbuttons, much like those in a car radio. I asked a guardsman a few questions about the radio, and he demonstrated the channel preset feature. A panel above the channel pushbuttons was labeled with the frequencies: 32.055, 34.45, 35.35, 40.55, and 40.60 MHz.

- An Army National Guard UH1 helicopter was displayed at the Marseilles armory "open house". The public was

permitted to climb aboard, and observe the instrumentation and radio gear. A channel plate on the instrument cluster listed over a dozen frequencies.

Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement. In New Jersey, a radio technician/hobbyist called to service a transmitter in a county building, noticed a new unattended repeater installation in the same room. Being curious about what frequency this repeater was on, he opened the access door to copy the frequencies from the radio's crystals. It turns out that this radio belonged to the US Secret Service, and opening the access door could have activated a "tamper alarm"!

The tech was skating on thin ice. He had nobody's permission to tamper with that equipment.

Another source of frequency information is as close as your nearest Radio Shack store. Some Radio Shack stores make a local frequency list available to assist their scanner customers. Be sure to ask. Stores located in shopping malls almost always know the mall security frequencies. I often check the frequencies programmed into the floor model scanners, too.

Examine the Antenna to Determine Frequency Band

You can often determine a transmitter's frequency band by the size and type of antenna used.

The Police Call Plus book contains sketches of antennas. Antenna catalogs are crammed full with antenna pictures and specifications and they are usually free. Contact Antenna Specialists (216-349-8400), Cushcraft (603-627-7877), Tessco (800-472-7373), Maxrad, Larsen Electronics (800-426-1656), and other companies in the land mobile equipment business.

Equipment to Determine Frequency Usage

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. Some models, including the Radio Shack PRO-2035, ICOM R7000/R7100, Bearcat 2500XLT, and Bearcat 250, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

To find the frequency of a hotel communications system, one fellow installed his Bearcat 250 in his car and parked in the hotel lot, leaving the scanner in the "search and

store" mode. He left the antenna disconnected so the scanner would only respond to a transmitter in the immediate vicinity.

Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, another spectrum analyzer connected to a receiver IF stage, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example

While scanning the industrial frequencies in the 150 MHz range, a van driver was overheard communicating with "base" while driving around my town. The stations involved never used FCC call signs -- this would have made life a lot easier for me, and legal for them! (one may use FCC license microfiche, described earlier, to identify stations using call letters.) Transmissions were short and infrequent, so it was decided to tape record all transmissions on this frequency for several days to determine the station's identity.

During daylight hours, a modified Regency K500 scanner was left tuned to the target frequency, connected to a cheap tape recorder through a home built interface. Using a carrier operated relay, the tape interface supplied power to the recorder only during radio transmissions, so a day's worth of traffic could be compressed into a 45 minute tape.

Each day, the tape was played back and notes on names, locations, and activities mentioned during the day's transmissions were taken. The van driver appeared to be making daily stops at a local bank and two shopping malls. A Walgreen's store seemed to be the only stop at one mall. A few times, "base" ordered the van "back to the Training Center." There were frequent references to "guests checking out", "dropping a guest off", and "instructor[s] missing a class". At times, "base" spoke with "security", who must have been using a walkie-talkie as his signals weren't strong enough to hear.

Was this a hotel? Calls to the three local hotels revealed that none provides shuttle bus service to the shopping malls. A call to the Walgreen's, inquiring about bus service to the store, drew another blank. During my shopping trips, I began to pay closer attention to vans with antennas driving through the parking lots.

I was leaving the mall one day, when a week's effort paid off. A maroon and white van, equipped with a VHF-Hi

antenna, was dropping shoppers off at Walgreen's. A sign on the van's door read:

XYZ Central Training Center (XYZ is a pseudonym for the actual licensee name.)
Lisle, Illinois

I watched the driver pick up a microphone, and listened to him on my portable scanner checking back with his "base".

All the pieces fit: the "guests", the "classes", the "instructors". Mystery solved; I had been monitoring the customer training center for a large computer manufacturer. The training center has hotel rooms and dining facilities to accommodate students from out of state. As a convenience, shuttle van service is provided to local shopping malls.

Summary

Through books, government records, and radio clubs, scanner listeners can make use of frequency information compiled by others. Two-way radio users often fail to identify their transmissions properly, making it more difficult for listeners to know who they are monitoring. By examining radio equipment labeling, and monitoring and taping transmissions, scanner enthusiasts can unearth new information.

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Grove Enterprises
7540 Highway 64 West
Brasstown, NC 28902.
tel (704)837-9200
order line (800)438-8155

Official Scanner Guides
P.O. Box 525-NS
Londonderry, NH 03053.
tel (603)432-2615
order line (800)351-7226

Scan America
430 Garner Drive,
Suffield, OH 44260-1557

Scanner Master,
PO Box 428
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3653. Re: The John Mackey And Gumby Damnit Fan Club

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: gumby.d@ccsnetworks.com
Message-ID: <35202642.31511241@192.168.0.2>
Source record: 165384
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.john.mackey.triangle.bizarre,triangle.forsale,triangle.argument.alt.collecting.beanie-babies.alt.fan.sandy-duncan.eye-on-rmt.alt.clueless

So this is what it is like at alt.fan.john.mackey eh?

Is King Mackey really a liar. Could his new email address be sjohnm@bellsouth.net now?

Do you know if his best friend is Gumby Damnit?

Tell us more please. Feel free to email me.

On Fri, 16 Jan 1998 17:27:40 -0800, Fan of John Mackey <fan@john.mackey.org> wrote:

> Behold brothers and sisters, I bring you the profound story
> of how King Mackey the Great became so. It is an exciting
> tale filled with wonder, awe, and heroic deeds. Come closer,
> as I relate this grand history.
>
> In the land of Scannerdom, the county of Power Supply was
> plagued with a terrible injustice. The evil mercenary force
> from Capacitor held the people of Smoke prisoner. Repeater,
> the ruler in exile of Power Supply, offered a rare and unused
> Radio Shack battery card to anyone who could free the people
> of Smoke from their Capacitor prison. A young and fearless
> warrior stepped forward to take up the gauntlet. Repeater
> told him of the dangers but the young man was undaunted and
> resolutely set off to free them.
>
> When he arrived at the gate, Mackey was challenged by the
> fearsome guardians, Positive and Negative. So terrible were
> these mighty sentinels that even the renowned guardian Cerebus
> trembled when faced with Positive and Negative. Armed with
> his trusty screwdriver he didst battle with them. In the hands
> of a true warrior the screwdriver is no common weapon. Our
> hero, battle tested and proven in the labs and urinals of
> Technical School, was much more than a professional. He was
> a Grand Master of the Number Two Phillips Blade.
>
> The guards fired spinning hex nuts and sliced with the dreaded
> razor sharp quartertwenty threads. Again and again, using
> every feint, lunge, and parry the guardians had learned in
> centuries of defending the cabinet, but to no avail. Mackey
> maneuvered himself and with one swift strike, he ended it. He
> had touched both guardians in the only way to kill them. He
> bridged the gap between them in a move only a Master Bladesman

> could execute, the Short.
>
> The Capacitor force exploded from the cataclysm releasing the
> Smoke from their electrolytic bondage. Afterward, the Smoke
> rewarded Mackey with their highest honor, the Diddler of the
> Spark.
>
> Mackey, hoisted by his own petard, began the journey home. In
> the land of Recdotradiodotscanner, he was attacked by the
> Legions of Ennui. These were no ordinary warriors, but elite
> shock troops. Armed with the latest in Apathy, Disdain, and
> Contempt, they lay seige to our hero.
>
> For months, a battle of attrition was waged. One after another,
> mighty warriors all, they fell. Even I, your humble scribe was
> a soldier in the Legion of Ennui. Alas, I too, fell before the
> great Mackey. No one could understand how a single man could
> withstand such an onslaught as we heaped upon him. Then we
> learned the source of his great strength. He was the most
> favored disciple of the malevolent gods, Fraud and Liar. They
> had taught him the secret fighting languages of Turpitude,
> Innuendo, and the most deadly of them all, Obscenity. Under
> their smutty tutelage, he repeatedly repeled the attacks with
> adroit displays of oratorical onanism.
>
> There was a point in the war when we thought we were going to
> prevail. We had Mackey surrounded, he was in everybodys kill
> file, and his ISPs were terminating his accounts as fast as
> he could login. He had been beaten back to where he stood alone,
> armed only with a 300 baud modem and a Commodore 64.
>
> Sadly, we all were victim to his great strategy and now he sprang
> his most devastating weapon. Surrounding him with our keyboards
> poised for the final death blow, he hoisted his hands above him.
> Like Moses bestowing the Ten Commandments to the chosen people,
> in his hands his mail-order diploma proclaming him Master of
> Communication Technology smote us down.
>
> Cowered by the supreme Divinity before us, a hush fell upon the
> surrounding army. The only sound was a muffled cough from one of
> the younger soldiers. We lay prostrate on the ground before him,
> fearful of his wrath. Who were we to show the temerity to
> challenge his divine turgescence. We waited. Slowly, he walked
> through the defeated masses, and went home.
>
> Upon returning to Scannerdom, he found word of his great
> deeds had preceded him. He was declared Supreme Grand Master
> Fool of the Universe and the people clamored for his ordination
> as King. In response, the Church of Scanner Mods proclaimed him
> King and the great sage and visionary Pope Bcheek presided

> over the coronation. As he placed the Discone Crown upon his
> head, he spoke the sacred papal blessing, "This boy reeks."
>
> So there you have it, brothers and sisters. Behold the saga of
> his fetidness, King Mackey the Great, Ruler of Torpor, Supreme
> Grand Master Fool of the Universe, Grand Master of the Number
> Two Phillips Blade, holder of the Diddler of the Spark, Divine
> Master of Communication Technology, High Priest of the sect of
> Fraud and Liar, and Orational Master of Turpitude, Innuendo,
> and Obscenity.
>
> All hail King Mackey the Great Liar.
>
>

And if someone could just explain this bizarre little ditty for me I
would be eternally grateful. Thanks!!!!!

>Subject: Re: John Mackey - Now I understand
>From: yourvicki@aol.com (Yourvicki)
>Date: 1997/09/29
>Message-ID: <19970929175500.NAA08448@ladder02.news.aol.com>
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

>[Subscribe to rec.radio.scanner] <Picture: New!>
>[More Headers]

>Subject: S.John M = John Mackey His own special fan club! xxooxx
>Path:
>lobby01.news.aol.com!newstf02.news.aol.com!audrey02.news.aol.com!not-for-mail
>From: yourvicky@aol.com (Yourvicky)
>Newsgroups: alt.fan.john.mackey
>Date: 28 Sep 1997 06:42:49 GMT
>Lines: 295
>Message-ID: <19970928064201.CAA24363@ladder02.news.aol.com>
>NNTP-Posting-Host: ladder02.news.aol.com
>X-Admin: news@aol.com
>Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com
>SnewsLanguage: English

>Subject: Re: Eric Oyen, John Mackey, Barry O'Grady! First To Hit The Kill
>Filters!
>Path:
>lobby01.news.aol.com!newstf02.news.aol.com!portc02.blue.aol.com!howland.ero
>ls.net!newsfeed.internetmci.com!205.137.196.70!news.sprintisp.com!sprintis
>p!not-for-mail
>From: John Mackey--KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>Date: Thu, 25 Sep 1997 16:41:23 -0700
>Organization: Phantom's Amateur Radio Group International K7PDX-KC0AAT
>Lines: 10
>Message-ID: <342AF6A3.15BE@usa.net>

>References: <19970922104001.GAA21306@ladder01.news.aol.com>
><19970922113100.HAA27886@ladder02.news.aol.com> <34271EC6.68AA@usa.net>
><342909aa.6140731@news.fastlink.com.au> <34299EE9.6CB5@usa.net>
><342a5c4a.8602251@news.fastlink.com.au>
>Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
>NNTP-Posting-Host: sdn-ts-003orportp13.dialsprint.net
>Mime-Version: 1.0
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (Win16; I)

>What the HELL are YOU, a damm school teacher grammar expert??

>No one wants to hear your stupid technicalities so get the hell
>out of here you fool.

>Subject: Re: John Mackey
>From: s.john@juno.com (S John M)
>Date: 1997/04/16
>Message-Id: <3358188f.4738813@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
>Newsgroups: alt.fan.john.mackey

>In these excerpts from <John Mackey>.
>"Gumby Damnit!" <cn1877@coastalnet.com> wrote:

>> Is this the real John Mackey newsgroup?

>It's working. I'm just a guest here-- I don't know exactly *who* this
>group is *supposed* to be a "fan of" but it's here just the same.

>S. John
>.channel-2000

>Subject: Re: hello
>From: s.john@juno.com (S John M)
>Date: 1997/05/06
>Message-Id: <336f5f28.389741538@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
>Newsgroups: alt.fan.john.mackey

>In these excerpts from <hello>.
>me <who@where.com> wrote:

>> Hello to all my fans
>>
>> John Mackey, KA0SSF

>Me too.
><alt.tv.aaron-spelling> is up and running-- insist your news server to
>carry it.

>Subject: hello
>From: me <who@where.com>
>Date: 1997/04/30
>Message-Id: <3367A4B0.3294@where.com>

>Newsgroups: alt.fan.john.mackey

>Hello to all my fans

>John Mackey, KA0SSF
>
> Author: me <who@where.com>
>�599 unique articles posted. �Number of articles posted to individual
>newsgroups (slightly skewed by cross-postings): �59 alt.hackintosh �50
>alt.binaries.fetish.scat �46 alt.sex.enemas �38 alt.butts �26
>alt.sports.basketball.nba.chicago-bulls �25 alt.games.mtrek �25
>alt.warez.ibm-pc.games �22 alt.sex.anal �22 misc.fitness.weights �22
>misc.test �12 alt.music.nirvana �12 alt.pantyhose �11
>rec.sport.football.college �10 alt.mag.playboy �10 alt.test �8
>rec.arts.books.marketplace �7 alt.sex.swingers �4 alt.binaries.mac.games
> �4 alt.fan.howard-stern �4 alt.guitar.tab �4 alt.music.jimi.hendrix �4
>alt.music.led-zeppelin �4 comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware.chips �3
>alt.atari-jaguar.discussion �3 alt.iomega.zip.jazz �3 alt.sex.movies �3
>alt.sport.horse-racing �3 alt.sports.basketball.nba.hou-rockets �3
>alt.test.binaries �3 comp.infosystems.www.browsers.ms-windows �2
>alt.alt.test �2 alt.binaries.pictures.erotica.black.male �2
>alt.college.us �2 alt.comp.periphs.mainboard.asus �2 alt.cracks �2
>alt.drugs.pot �2 alt.irc �2 alt.mtv-sucks �2 alt.music.alternative �2
>alt.personals.fetish �2 alt.personals.spanking �2 alt.personals.teen �2
>alt.support.herpes �2 alt.this.sucks �2 alt.tv.mtv �2 comp.compression �
>2 comp.sys.amiga.marketplace �2 comp.sys.ibm.pc.games.action �2
>comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware.video �2 comp.sys.ibm.pc.soundcard.advocacy �2
>rec.aquaria.marine.misc �2 rec.gardens �2 rec.sport.pro-wrestling �2
>soc.culture.pakistan �2 talk.philosophy.misc �1 alt.2600.codez �1
>alt.2600.crackz �1 alt.2600.phreakz �1 alt.anything �1 alt.art �1
>alt.art.video �1 alt.bbs.wildcat �1 alt.beer �1
>alt.binaries.mac.applications �1 alt.business.insurance �1
>alt.business.multi-level �1 alt.cad �1 alt.cad.autocad �1
>alt.chinese.text �1 alt.christnet �1 alt.comp.periphs.mainboard.tyan �1
>alt.disney �1 alt.drugs.psychedelics �1 alt.drunken.bastards �1
>alt.dumpster �1 alt.earth.crisis �1 alt.education �1 alt.elvis.king �1
>alt.evil �1 alt.fan.jenny-mccarthy �1 alt.fan.john.mackey �1
>alt.fan.oj-simpson �1 alt.feminism �1 alt.fishing �1 alt.flame �1
>alt.food.fast-food �1 alt.games �1 alt.games.heretic �1 alt.gothic �1
>alt.hemp �1 alt.irc.questions �1 alt.jobs �1 alt.law-enforcement �1
>alt.life.sucks �1 alt.mac.games.binaries �1 alt.misc �1
>alt.music.depeche-mode �1 alt.non.sequitur �1 alt.online-service.genie �
>1 alt.personals.bi �1 alt.religion.christian �1 alt.sex.bestiality �1
>alt.sex.bondage �1 alt.sex.boys �1 alt.sex.fetish.wrestling �1
>alt.sex.gangbang �1 alt.sex.pedophilia.boys �1 alt.sex.prostitution �1
>alt.sex.wanted �1 alt.support.grief �1 alt.torture �1 alt.tv.babylon-5 �
>1 alt.tv.x-files �1 alt.unix.wizards �1 alt.visa.us �1 alt.windows95 �1
>aus.sex �1 ba.market.computers �1 bit.listserv.wpwin-l �1
>comp.databases.pick �1 comp.emulators.misc �1 comp.lang.basic.misc �1
>comp.os.linux.development.system �1 comp.os.linux.setup �1

>comp.sys.ibm.pc.soundcard.games ?1 comp.sys.intel ?1
>comp.sys.mac.hardware.video ?1 comp.sys.mac.portables ?1
>de.alt.binaries.pictures.female ?1 misc.consumers ?1
>misc.consumers.house ?1 misc.misc ?1 misc.wanted ?1
>news.admin.net-abuse.email ?1 news.newusers.questions ?1
>rec.autos.makers.chrysler ?1 rec.games.frp.dnd ?1
>rec.games.video.nintendo ?1 rec.games.video.sony ?1 rec.radio.cb ?1
>rec.radio.scanner ?1 rec.sport.baseball ?1 rec.sport.rugby.union ?1
>soc.culture.african.american ?1 soc.culture.magyar ?1 uk.test

>Subject: BELLY PUNCHING
>From: Jaster <who@where.com>
>Date: 1997/09/19
>Message-Id: <5vsia4$o90$1@gte1.gte.net>
>Newsgroups: alt.torture
>[More Headers]

>anybody out there want to chat about female belly punching. Trade
>stories,ideas,experiences,or whatever e-mail me at
>(spam proofed) GLIX at MAIL dot GTE dot NET

>Subject: 615-CLARKSVILLE, TN. DOM COUPLE SEEKING BI SUB M/F (0/2)
>From: WHO@WHERE.COM
>Date: 1996/12/21
>Message-Id: <59fvmg$o4n@juliana.sprynet.com>
>Newsgroups: alt.personals.teen
>[More Headers]

> DOM M/W/C, MID 30'S, VERY CLEAN AND DISCREET IS SEEKING:
>CLEAN DISCREET BI-SUB FEMALES: ANY AGE, RACE, SIZE AND EXPERIENCE LEVEL TO
>SERVE AS OUR WEEKEND TOY
>AND
>BI-SUB MALES: 20 AND UNDER "ONLY", ANY RACE, SIZE AND EXPERIENCE LEVEL
>YOUR LIMITS WILL BE RESPECTED AND SAFE WORDS USED! IF YOUR INTERESTED
>REPLY TO:
>DOMCPL@HOTMAIL.COM

>SERIOUS REPLIES ONLY, PLEASE!

>Subject: For Puppy14
>From: who@where.com (hornykid)
>Date: 1997/09/02
>Message-Id: <5uhooidji1@usenet88.supernews.com>
>Newsgroups: alt.sex.boys
>[More Headers]

>WHY????????

>Subject: any Black BOYS? not MEN
>From: who@where.com (hornykid)
>Date: 1997/08/14
>Message-Id: <5susul$9jr$1@usenet88.supernews.com>

>Newsgroups: alt.sex.boys
>[More Headers]

>looking for black boys

>Subject: Lets See Some "Real" Cum Shots....
>From: "Capt.Simian" <Who@Where.com>
>Date: 1996/12/01
>Message-Id: <32A21AFC.35B3@Where.com>
>Newsgroups: alt.sex.bestiality
>[More Headers]

>None of that fake stuff..

>Subject: Post more ASIAN and BLACK boys,,PLEASE.
>From: who@where.com (hornykid)
>Date: 1997/08/13
>Message-Id: <5sr0rsruv1@usenet88.supernews.com>
>Newsgroups: alt.sex.pedophilia.boys
>[More Headers]

>thanks

>Subject: Re: Attn: TDJ (Was: Anyone seen Matt)
>From: s.john@juno.com (S John M)
>Date: 1997/02/28
>Message-Id: <331f3ee4.166369332@news.clt.bellsouth.net>
>Newsgroups: alt.fan.john.mackey

>Subject: Re: Let's vote. Who thinks Phil Oliver is gay.
>From: s.john@juno.com (S John M)
>Date: 1997/08/18
>Message-Id: <340502e2.38826538@news.zippo.com>
>Newsgroups: alt.config
>[More Headers]

>In these excerpts from <Re: Let's vote. Who thinks Phil Oliver is
>gay.>. felony@DPTSPAMBLOCKbiosys.net (Phil Oliver) wrote:

>
>> Meanwhile, has anyone newgrouped alt.bonehead.phil-oliver or something
>> like that? I'm kind of surprised it hasn't happened yet.
>>
>> -Phil Oliver

>Well, let's see-- do I get to be the token gay guy here to get upset
>about the foundation of the original post? Naaaa-- I won't bother.
>Anyhow, if Phil is *indeed* gay. speaking as a gay man, I hope the
>bone's not in your *head* <EG>.

>Seriously though-- I find myself "intelligently" perturbed at Phil for
>some of his occasional statements... but it's usually because he
>substantiated them with facts contrary to what I'd previously assumed
>to be true... in other words, his contributions here generally have a

>"point' embedded int them somewhere where as quite a few of the
>"regulars" will frequently make categoric statements without somehow
>justifying them.

>S. John

>P.S. Oh, yeah... I almost forgot... ME TOO!!!

>Author: s.john@super.zippo.com (S John M)
> 185 unique articles posted.
> 102 alt.tv.bh90210
> 43 alt.tv.melrose-place
> 27 alt.fan.donnas-nipples
> 4 alt.config
> 2 alt.pets.rabbits
> 2 alt.tv.aaron-spelling
> 1 alt.pets.guinea-pigs
> 1 triangle.radio

>Getting alt.tv.aaron-spelling on YOUR server...If you need any further
>assistance dealing with your ISP, feel free to reference this
>web page or drop us an e-mail message at s.john@juno.com. In fact, we'd
>love tohear from you regardless; let us know you're up and running!!! :-)
>History of alt.tv.aaron-spelling

>The USENET newsgroup "alt.tv.aaron-spelling" ....

>The Original Control Message

> Path: news.atl.bellsouth.net!not-for-mail
> From: newsmaster@bellsouth.net
> Newsgroups: alt.tv.aaron-spelling,alt.config
> Subject: csmg newgroup alt.tv.aaron-spelling
> Control: newgroup alt.tv.aaron-spelling
> Followup-To: alt.config
> Date: 21 Apr 1997 13:38:37 GMT
> Organization: BellSouth.Net
> Lines: 21
> Approved: newsmaster@bellsouth.net
> Message-ID: <5jfqkt$5kb$2@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
>
> Reply-To: sjmackey@bellsouth.net

>
> ..... Charter... is an undiluted platform to discuss
> .... ---End of original message

>Subject: John Mackey
> Date: Sun, 21 Sep 1997 17:42:41 -0700
> From: "Mark S. Dunlop" <dunlop277@aol.com>
>Organization: PARG
> Newsgroups: alt.fan.john.mackey

>Hi everyone. I was just wondering why this newsgroup was not seeing
>much action in the last few months?
>Could it be that the infamous John Mackey (me@myself.com) is no longer
>active on the internet and on Usenet?
>Somebody please post a list of newsgroups that..

>Seems a lot of people agree with you. He's in major denial though Neil,
>on the alt.tv.bh90210 and alt.tv.melrose-place newsgroups

3654. Re: Freq's for NYS police helicopter's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman@localnet.com
Message-ID: <6fp9eu$lp2$1@usenet54.supernews.com>
Source record: 165385

Always listen to the inter-agency frequency(155.370). Often times the NYSP chopper is utilized to do something for a department that doesn't have an air unit and the inter-agency (or county net as we called it when before I retired). And of course as the other fellow pointed out, the normal NYSP frequencies for whatever troop area you are listening into.
Ray Miller N2NJK

"Aaron Ceraldi" <ceraldi@albany.net> wrote:

>looking for any freq's for NYS police choppers.
>Thanks,
>Aaron Ceraldi

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3655. Re: today's lesson for loudmouths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdfthr768@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033023401400.SAA02453@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165386

Alright here's for the children in the room-
First I am no Bible thumper. Second, why in hell should I go to a "moderated" room when I have a every right to be here and opine as I see fit?Isn't that your point?
Again, as I make a statement, people reply with insults and nastiness. I am not Christian, so what is your "alt.abortion.". etc, point, Jack?
My reply about "democracy" was in response to Cheek's OWN usage of the same word in his post.
>the minions of the moral majority
>censoring our posts and telling us which airwaves we can monitor?

Moral Majority? What the hell are you writing about? Did I ever say a word about "which freq's we can monitor"? You don't even stop to read the post before you respond.
Not a Moral Majority, but maybe a few people with actual decency and class, which are all too lacking in many groups.
Think what you will, be dead wrong. Hell, just be dead.
> narrow views of society and freedom.

Again, what the hell are you saying? It's a narrow view to expect grown-ups to act like grown-ups, to expect "professionals" to act professional? Mr. Cheek may have the "right " to do anything he wants, anywhere anytime, but does it always make it the right thing to do?
For all the crying about "staying on-topic", what does that even mean anymore? Going by your arguments, there ARE no topics except whatever anyone wishes, as it everyone's right!
>You are so typical of a fundy bible thumper.
Again, I have NO idea why this is mentioned. If you knew half of the struggles I've had trying to stop those REAL bible-thumpers from censoring books at school libraries in my city, and voting campaigns, etc., you would see that I am not what you think. I NEVER asked to censor a damn thing. I'm merely wondering what a guy like Cheek (and a few others I guess) are up to when they are shooting off at the mouth, insulting and otherwise disrupting what goes on in here.
Yes, we have the right to anything. But if we treat rights as privledges then perhaps those rights will last a little longer.
Mike

3656. FS:235XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Some Guy <1someguySPAM@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6fpa50$2pq$1@news.sunflower.com>
Source record: 165387

For Sale: 235 XLT (Trunktracker) handheld scanner. Includes 2 battery packs, antenna, wall and car chargers, and manual. In like new condition, still in original box. First $180 takes (includes shipping, ups ground). Not interested in trades. Must have cash up front. Personal refs available upon request.

-Tony
#beavis@sunflower.com
REMOVE # TO EMAIL

3657. Re: Two antennas to one receiver - how?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: john.fallows@shaw.wave.ca
Message-ID: <qyPT.57$no2.99799@read.cal.sfl.net>
Source record: 165388
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <6fmngg$mj0$1@winter.news.erols.com>, dstegner@erols.com says...
>
>I am looking for a device called a Duplexer Antenna Combiner. It is used to
>hook two antennas up to a single receiver. Does anyone know where to
>purchase one or an alternative way to hook up a shortwave and a discone
>antenna to one receiver? Thanks.

P.S.

Futher to my previous note, make sure you get a combiner where the two inputs are in the same phase (0 degrees). You do not want a 180 degree combiner, otherwise the signals from the two antennas will tend to cancel each other (not a good thing!)

73 John
--
ERGO Shortwave Listening Support Software for
AR7030 NRD535 NRD535D R8A R8B HF-1000
http://calgary.shaw.wave.ca/~jfallows/Ergo_1.htm

3658. Border Patrol information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randall Buxton <rbuxton@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6fpbk4$p9q@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 165389

Looking for Border Patrol unit numbering for the San Diego area.

3659. Re: Who Is This Mackey Character?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: pja <pja@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <3520309D.81B44870@pacifier.com>
Source record: 165390
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jed Crump wrote:

> Who is this John Mackey guy? Is he a participant in some
> new form of group therapy in which psychiatritic patients are
> given Internet access? I sure hope he's not running loose
> cause he sounds dangerous to me! Has he stalked anybody
> besides Bill Cheek?
>
> Jed

Just stay away from Mackey. He is nothing but a troublemaking
loser that deludes himself into believing he has some intelligence.
The guy obviously has no life outside of the internet judging by the
number of times he posts and e-mails people.

3660. Re: New AOR8000 unblocked $405

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033023571601.SAA05393@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165391

All,

A friend of mine who lives just around the corner from me has ordered several AR-8000s from Bandercom and they have arrived on time without any problems for $435.00 each, including shipping. (He sells them at hamfests for $550.00 and so far has sold every one very quickly.)

I'm not sure that Multicomm is including shipping in their $405.00 price. If they are then it's a really great buy.

John

3661. FS: Pro 24...best offer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa186@freenet.akron.oh.us
Message-ID: <Eqnp9s.2Au@freenet.akron.oh.us>
Source record: 165392

For Sale
Radio Shack Pro 24 handheld scanner

This unit has:
* 16 channels
* WX button
* 2 digit display (REVIEW function will identify each
channels frequency, one digit at a time).
* 800 Mhz reception (same ranges as other RS models....806-823, 851-868,
896-956)

This unit does NOT have:
* a SEARCH function, which makes it less fun. It only scans
the 16 preset freqs. you enter.

* Cell mod ability.....but it does appear to get images

Make me an offer.
I will cover shipping (via US Priority Mail).

Thanks.

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3662. FS. Pro-2006 $275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033023580700.SAA02875@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165393

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Great condition.
$275 to you're door.
COD U.S. Postal money order only
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Pursuant to U.S. Code, title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, §227,
"Any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address
is subject to a download and archival fee of $500.00 U.S."
E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

3663. Re: Phone call on 459.975?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <351FDE01.AEFC247B@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 165394
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

What you heard was the first airborne telephone system, designed by Wulfsberg systems formerly of Overland Park KS and recently of Prescott, AZ. Now it is owned by Allied Signal Corp. of Olathe Ks. It operates on several channels in the 454.xxx/459.xxx frequency band. The radio is called a Flite Phone. First introduced in the 1970's it is still popular due to its simplicity and ruggedness. I should know I worked as an Eng. for them for years and I have a complete set of airborne radios and an old ground station they make excellent ham 440 repeaters since they include a 10 watt pa (that can be retuned for 20 watts) a built in duplexer and controller board. Somer commercial jets and most private jets still have them installed and running after more than 20 years of service.

3664. Pro 90 case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "P. Langevin" <plangevin@kiwi.dep.anl.gov>
Message-ID: <352003B7.9BE@kiwi.dep.anl.gov>
Source record: 165395
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I wanted to buy a Deluxe leather case for my Pro 90, But there are no Radio shack stores at least in the south west suburbs of Chicago, that have them in stock. what gives?

3665. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <3521C308.7F8F@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165048

Why would I care if YOU believe me?

No one believes YOU, except Cheek & his other ass-kisser
hopefuls like Kendrick & the others.

Hawke wrote:
> Now, if you want us to believe you,

3666. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <3521BCC3.692B5045@netwit.com>
Source record: 165049

KA0SSF--John wrote:

> You OBVIOUSLY are not a ham so you have NO idea of what we are speaking?
>
> allsafe wrote:
> Bullshit deleted.

"NO idea of what we are speaking?" You moron.

Actually John, I've been following this thread. It's going like every other thread you're involved in. You're under attack for your credibility. A pretty familiar theme, don't you think?

3667. Re: About The John Mackey Issues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3521C8BD.494D@usa.net>
Source record: 165050

rickyd@ccsnetworks.com wrote:
> Please e-mail me with any information you have regarding claims
> against John Mackey and any sneaky tricks that people have claimed
> also.

OK!

Well lets see:

Richard Kendrick & Bill Cheek have canceled my messages!

Bill Cheek sent me a post card - I have attached it to the
end of this message.

Other people have forged my identity to post on this NG.

Richard Kendrick & Bill Cheek have made up stories about me
& posted them here.

Bill Cheek made up lies about me & told them to my
sysop when I was on Fidonet. Then Bill kicked me
off his fidonet echo (like an internet newsgroup).

Eric Oyen & Tim Tyler have complained to my organization www.parg.org)
about me. I can send you the e-mails they sent if you like.

Bill Cheek broke un-written rules of net manners & printed
my home phone number on this NG. (No big deal though, I am
listed in the phone book! - so it's public info!!!!)

Bill Cheek complained to a ham radio club which I am a
member about me, sending several e-mails to the club
president.

Several people claimed to have gotten me kicked off of USA.NET,
but that has never happened!

Do you want to know anything else?

3668. Re: I-Phone Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3521CA12.2854@usa.net>
Source record: 165051

For nearly all of them you need to go & get a program called
"Rprtlink". I don't have the web address at my finger tips right
now, but just do a search at http://www.yahoo.com for it. You
can down load it for free.

Once "rptrlink" is running, ir will take you to the ham radio
rooms of I-Phone.

I use rptrlink frequently, if I can be of more help feel free to
e-mail me!

Antho10359 wrote:
> I have installed a copy of Internet Phone 5.0 and through the Community Browser
> found the Ham Radio section. How do I find access to the various repeaters
> which allow I-phone patches? Is there a directory? How do I access the
> directory?

3669. Re: PLEASE TELL ME MORE ABOUT JOHN MACKEY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3521C8F4.58BA@usa.net>
Source record: 165052
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I was not aware that has happened!

The Originale Gumby D! wrote:
> I would like to here all I can about how people were misteriously
> kicked off the net. What type of trip was being used?

3670. Re: Good Price. Yes?, No?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James A. Schnoor" <schnoor@wavetech.net>
Message-ID: <6fsfdjrtt1@tsunami.wavetech.net>
Source record: 165053

EchoFoxx wrote in message
<1998033107260901.CAA15553@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>Have seen a Uniden BC895xlt selling for $319.95.
>Question: Is this a good price from a dealer, or do you know of anything
>better?
I think someone wrote recently that these can be found at Ace Communications
for under $300

3671. F.S. Yaesu FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mapes <jmapes@coredcs.com>
Message-ID: <3521C47A.BA1CAEA4@coredcs.com>
Source record: 165054

FOR SALE ___ Yaesu FT-50R for sale. Transmit and
receive mod has been done. In like new condition. charger,
external antenna adapter included. asking $275.00. shipped.

E-mail capfix@coredcs.com

3672. Re: Lowest price I've seen on the BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Stankeviz <cstankev@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Message-ID: <3521C76F.2A1F@NOSPAM.ucla.edu>
Source record: 165055

Jeff Seale wrote:
> In fact it's DIRT CHEAP!! Ace Communications of suburban Indianapolis
> sells the TrunkTracker desktop for only $285!! In fact, just about
> everything this place sells is amazingly low priced. check out their
> website http://www.ace-communications.com

With shipping, it's $275 at
http://www.mallsurfer.com/shop/simplewonders/

3673. Re: Radio Shack CTCSS module same as Uniden???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjhealy <pjhealy@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35219CD8.63C58B48@concentric.net>
Source record: 165056

I recently bought a 2045 and the CTCSS board. When I received the board to install it had Uniden stenciled on it. I don't know it it is identical but it is made by Uniden.

3674. Re: FS: RARE Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: clarkm@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <clarkm-3103982205340001@129.0.0.222>
Source record: 165057
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Tim, K8TJ wrote:
>
> Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12
> volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount
> of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually
> forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find.
> Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again
> in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all
> the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you.
> Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want
> to play the auction bidding game.

Check out your local hobby or model railroad shop. 14 and or 16 volt
grain of wheat and grain of rice (smaller) bulbs are standard.

--
Clark Martin
Redwood City, CA, USA
Macintosh / Internet Consulting
clarkm@pacbell.net

"I'm a designated driver on the Information Super Highway"

3675. Mod for Pro 64?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonomoose <"No spam for me today thank you"@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fsno4$56t$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 165058
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If anyone knows how to mod a pro 64 to receive cell phone calls, please let me know.

Respond to imaketv@hotmail.com

Thank you very much!

3676. FS: BC-235 New In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: VOiCES <voices@jaypoc.com>
Message-ID: <3521B9D1.CEBFE4B@jaypoc.com>
Source record: 165059

I have a uniden BC-235XLT Trunktracker for sale. I am asking $220 or best offer. Thanks

73 DE N2RCC

3677. Buy scanner in Norway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rayhil@nospam.online.no
Message-ID: <35226e62.15405677@news.powertech.no>
Source record: 165060

I seek somebody that will sell me a scanner in Norway.
rayhil@online.no

3678. Will the Data Tone Squelch Mod work with OS456 in a 2006?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Craig <jmcraig1@nospam.fastlane.net>
Message-ID: <6froej$ke2@news.cybernews.net>
Source record: 165061

I did Bill Cheeks "Data Tone Squelch" modification to my Pro-2006 a while back. Now I'm installing the Opto OS456 Board. Should I remove the modification from my scanner before trying computer control?

- OR - Has anyone used the OS456, in a pro-2006, with this mod, with no problems?

Thanks.

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*****
To help prevent spam, my address is foobared. To reply, remove "nospam" from the domain name.

3679. Need PRO-37 Repair Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: john mcgee <john@nospam.net>
Message-ID: <3521B533.11F7@nospam.net>
Source record: 165062

I have about a 5 yr old PRO-37 portable Radio Shack scanner.
And, I need to make some minor mechanical repairs to it.

The front (number, etc) keypad has taken so much use that the
keys no longer actuate --unless you press down REAL hard on them.
Can I take this apart and clean it or somehow replace the key
contacts? Any suggestions will certainly be appreciated? Thanks!

3680. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <3521D0E8.6493@usa.net>
Source record: 165063

Blake Bowers wrote:

> John, the notes were on the FCC question pools, and they were
> complete, word for word. They were the FCC question pools.

No, infact in the Bash Books he states that they are CLOSE, but not
exact & that they have MOST, but not ALL the questions!

> John, John, John. I keep trying to politely guide you, and show
> you just how misinformed you are, yet you keep getting your
> theories messed up.

Blake, are you saying you were a licensed Amateur Radio Operator
with the FCC in the late 1970's & early 1980's? Otherwise,
YOU are mis-informed, or trying to tell a complete LIE.

> Late seventies. It was 1980 when the FCC pursued Dick.

Perhaps, but his books were available & in CURRENT print
until 1984 or 1985.

> Strike 1.

No strike here, the Bash Books were available thru the
mid-1980's, well past the 1980 date YOU gave. Instead,
it is a strike for YOU.

> >Second: Middle to late 1980's the FCC question Pools were made
> > public & the VEC groups started taking over testing from the FCC.
> >
> In 1982, Congress agreed to the FCC divesting themselfs of HAM
> testing.
> Strike 2.

No strike here, you are wrong Blake! (or else your wording
is mis-leading) For the facts to support my statement above
please read on.

They did agree in 1982, but it took a few more years to
actually happen!!! :)

In late 1982 the Goldwater-Wirth Bill (PL 97-259)was passed by
congress & signed into layw by Ronald Reagan. This permitted
the FCC to accept accept the voluntary and uncompensated services
of licensed radio amateurs to serve in preparing and admistering
examinations. In 1984 the FCC began certifying organizations
to coordinate the efforts of examinations. The FCC did this by
granting "Volunteer Examinator Coordinators" in all 13 regions of the

FCC. I don't know about other cities, but the Portland, Oregon
office of the FCC was still giving amateur radio tests until
early 1986!

> >Third: The Test element 3 was broken up to 3A & 3B, resulting in the
> > theory test for technician shrinking to HALF it's original size!
> >
> >Fourth and LAST: Your above point, the No-code tech license became
> > available.

> The Technician theory test, which with no code became the
> entry level test, was still tougher than the ENTRY level test from
> before No-Code, which was Novice.

Then that is up to opinion & certainly not a agreed upon fact.
MANY still believe that the Novice license is the most
difficult because it requires Morse Code.

Blake, I suggest you research your facts. The best source is the
"VOLUNTEER EXAMINER MANUAL" produced by the ARRL-VEC. The cost
is $10.00 last time I checked. (If you qualify as a VE, you
can get one for free)

3681. Re: WTB: PRO 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: drgrant@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <3520933e.22553590@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165098

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 18:58:09 GMT, ab910@lafn.org (M. Davies) wrote:

>
>
>I had one years ago and find I need another. What's a good price and
>source for one of these units? They were new from RS for $269. but that
>was years ago. Ideas?

Last time I saw them selling em, they were $400..... maybe you
were thinking of the 200 channel model they sold that looked just
like it...

-Mike

3682. Wanted Pro 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brent Andre <brent5@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6fq93k$c2h$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 165099

I am looking for a Radio Shack Pro 43 in excellent condition with no scratches on the case or the display with cellular capability.

Brent

3683. For Sale pro-34 Scanner full 800 mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fqa0g$875@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165100

selling a radio shack handheld pro 34 has
200 ch full 800 mhz no gap's selling for
$125.00 firm plus shipping email me..

3684. Re: Mods & Info on Realistic (Radio Shack?) PRO-34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <3520ABDD.C0ACB30F@nightowl.net>
Source record: 165101

Here's your mod Scott

PRO-34 Scanner Modification

1. To restore missing 800 MHz frequencies, remove D-11.

2. To add 66 to 88 MHz (European Coverage), install a diode at
D-9.

3. D-10 must remain in place for full 800 MHz coverage.

4. If a diode is added at D-13 it cuts out aero band, also seems
to affect 800 MHz channel spacing.

5. D-12 added dosen't seem to have any affect.

6. Only D-10 and D-11 are factory installed.

3685. Re: WACARS porblems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric van den Bosch <erboblex@wxs.nl>
Message-ID: <352131B4.27CA@wxs.nl>
Source record: 165102
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.scanners,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hoei,

Tja, ik geloof dat Mike misschien wel een niet goed werkend programma heeft ontwikkeld, dwz niet goed werkend op ALLE geluidskaarten en computers.

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Helaas ben ik zelf niet zo`n techneut, dus afhankelijk van anderen, maar wel een zeer enthousiast radio/scanner-luisteraar. Kijk maar eens op m`n homepage.

Alvast bedankt voor je antwoord, en hopend op betere tijden,

CU Eric van den Bosch

> Eric van den Bosch = Valkenburg Tower Scannerreport
> http://home.wxs.nl/~erboblex/ehvb.htm
> mailto:erboblex@wxs.nl

3686. Re: Phone call on 459.975? (It is NMT)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Omega <omega-@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6fqcp7$6qh$1@elle.eunet.no>
Source record: 165103
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>I was searching the UHF band on my handheld scanner about 6pm yesterday,
and
>it stopped on 459.975. I heard a woman with a very cute-sounding voice
>speaking. At first, I thought it might be a dispatcher of a wrecker or
>security service, but then I noticed that she didn't break the carrier when
>she finished speaking. A few seconds later, she started talking again, as
if
>she was responding to a voice that I couldn't hear. Then I realized that I
>was listening to one side of some kind of phone call. I kept listening, and
>she said something about "waiting for her lawyers to get the deal from
>Warner Brothers." In the information I got from the 60 seconds I listened,
I
>realized that she was more than likely a famous singer, she had her young
>child with her, and she was talking to her husband on the phone. Suddenly,
>the carrier ended and the scanner started searching again.
>
>Does anyone have any ideas about what I was hearing? There are no
>celebrities anywhere near where I live. However, there is a major
>north-south highway nearby. Could this be some sort of mobile phone? Could

It sounds JUST like NMT Cellular system we use in norway & scandinavia,
There are two NMT (nordic mobile telephone) systems, One is NMT 450 and
the other is NMT 900 , NONE of 'em are encrypted , and may send some data
packets before and after the voice transmission ,
NMT 450 uses freq 454 ..... to .... 467Mhz ..... in 50 Khz chanel steps.
NMT 900 uses something like 935 .. 945 Mhz

We also use GSM like rest of the world , but the 450 Mhz have longer range
you see (GSM + mountains = no good) :)

Depending on the call / and the phones , u may hear both of the parts when
one of them use NMT phone.

Where do u live ? , outside scandinavia ?

3687. Open letter to Mike Roberts, the author of WACARS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric van den Bosch <erboblex@wxs.nl>
Message-ID: <352135D0.1AA5@wxs.nl>
Source record: 165104
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.scanners,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

THIS IS A LETTER I WROTE TO MIKE ROBERTS, THE AUTHOR OF WACARS:

Hi Mike,

As I asked you before, here I beg you once again:

PLEASE MAKE A WACARS-VERSION HANDLING A MODEM INSTEAD OF THE SOUNDCARD!!!!!

Many guys here in Holland are having sincere difficulties in running WACARS, mainly because there is a big varity in different soundcards....

Al I get on screen is some "raw data" and that`s it!! Even I pulled all my hair out for anger.... I still think WACARS is the most beautiful ACARS-decoder in all aspects, it only should run a bit more easy, and in which we think a modem is the solution..

If I can be of any help to you, please let me know...(sorry for bad English)

Greetings from:

> Eric van den Bosch = Valkenburg Tower Scannerreport
> http://home.wxs.nl/~erboblex/ehvb.htm
> mailto:erboblex@wxs.nl

3688. Re: WACARS porblems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOSPAM remove XX to reamail <telecom@deal-maker.comXX>
Message-ID: <3520BB5D.58B2@deal-maker.comXX>
Source record: 165105
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.scanners,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hallo Eric,

Prachtig initiatief,
Zoals ik jou al eerder mailde,
heb ik dit bij Mike al vanaf versie 03 onder de aandacht gebracht.
Tot op heden resultaat 0,0.

Het is inderdaad zonde van dit mooie prog.
Persoonlijk de beste acars decoder voor de hobbyist.

Ik heb hier 4 PC's van 486Dx2 tot Pentium 133,
met geluidkaarten vanaf compat. soundblaster 16 tot een AWE 32 en 64,
maar op geen van alle krijg ik ook maar iets te lezen behalve de RAW
data.
En zelfs daarin mis ik bijna 25% van alle uitgezonden data.

Ik hoop dat het jou lukt !

LET op;
Voor modificatie via discriminator !
moet er wel een AM IF/MF IC in de scanner zitten !
Anders is/blijft het resultaat nogsteeds slecht.

Ik denk namens andere,
Bedankt voor jou inspanningen

wie volgt.....

suc6

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3689. Re: PRO 2026 Mod sought!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6fqgciebg1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 165106

Dave Shaffer (dcs4.NOSPAM@psu.edu) wrote:
: I recently adopted a used PRO 2026 100-channel mobile programmable scanner.
: I really like this little guy, nice features but very compact.

: One drawback I've noted is the very short memory back-up for programmed
: channels. The unit was intended to be mounted in a vechile and the memory
: would have had constant power. I'm using it in the house with an adapter,
: but if it loses power to the memory back-up system for longer than a few
: minutes (if I leave it unplugged overnight or move it from home to the
: office, etc.), it forgets everything that was programmed.

: Is there a known modification to extend the memory life? Could I replace
: the "stock" capacitor/battery with a better one? Other ideas?

: Thanks!

: - Dave

: ==
: David C. Shaffer mailto:dcs4@psu.edu
: ==

: "Through the gateway, off the repeater,
: over the backbone, nothing but net!"

Does your 2026 have a 3-wire cord?

3690. 1Ghz & Beyond

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Francis Kavanagh <jfk@mira.net.au>
Message-ID: <3520CEDB.165A@mira.net.au>
Source record: 165107

1000 Mhz & UP!

Have Camnis HSC-050 and pre-amp seams pretty deaf on
1500 - 1700 Mhz. Have used 18inch dish and 40 turn helix
in attempt to receive NOAA, GMS, GEOS, INMARSAT
etc,,, with no luck...

Is the receiver that deaf, have used similar ants on
2.4 Ghz downlink on 0-13, worked well.

Interested to hear of any reports on using this radio
at these freq's.

I am aware that this rig can be subject to poor QA and
have heard of the cpu playing up which can be healped by
reseting the cpu.

Cheers John Kavanagh

3691. For Sale: Pro-26 and Pro-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccsu0691@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6fqtgg$101$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner

Hey there, I have for sale:

Pro-26: new in box with original packing and accessories. Will sell for $200.00 OBO shipped to USA with TSP warranty (approx. 3.5 years), AC adapter and the 4 rechargeable batteries needed. No mods performed, has no epoxy.

Pro-2035: new in box with original packing and accesories. Will sell for $275.00 OBO shipped to USA. 1000 channel base, great scanner.

Please email me at ccsu0691@earthlink.net for any questions.
Thanks

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3692. Re: Brand New AOR 3000A - $650.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fqt59$2uf@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165109
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec,radio.amateur.equipment

Congratulations, you finally stayed up all night with a dictionary and
wrote an entire message without one word of profanity.

Its ironic that you mention the word "greed." I am only selling one
AOR-3000a. Yet, you indicated to me in a graphic personal e-mail
message that your ad was more of a priority since YOU HAVE EIGHT OF
THESE RADIOS TO SELL. NOW, I WONDER HOW SOMEONE ACQUIRES EIGHT OF
THESE RADIOS. PERHAPS ALL EIGHT OF YOUR RADIOS ARE STOLEN.

Well, its now evident you may have finally learned an important lesson
of "minding your own business;" something which your folks should have
taught you at an early age. Mr. Owodunni, if you had done that
initially, you would not have had to endure such a painful lesson in
front of an audience.

However, there are other lessons that you have obviously missed; the
one of INTEGRITY AND HONESTY. Unfortunately, neither I, or the kind
folks on this newsgroup can instill in you. These are personal traits
that you must develop on your own.

I would like to thank all of the kind folks on this newgroup whose had
the unfavorable ocassion to review Mr. Owodunni's incoherent attempts
at the use of the english language, and his love for profanity.
Finally, I would also like to thank those folks who have conveyed
their personal disgust directly to Mr. Owodunni. Take care folks!!!!!

On Tue, 31 Mar 1998 02:29:58 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

>I find it very irritating when I get mails of your kind which do not move the
>human race forward one bit, after some thought I taught it would not only be
>better for myself, but also beneficial to the young kids on this newsgroup
>that I Do not continue to read and respond to your mails.
>
>You find it hard to utter words, without trying to instigate one to attack
>you or annoy one so succintingly. I continue to believe you are one of those
>rare species in the human race who enjoys pain being inflicted on their
>person.
>
>I find it very suprising that you still do not understad that, greed is not
>good. I would have to leave you with your ways, the sooner you get corrected
>off the net, the better for all of us.
>
>If selling your radio is that important to you, I'll buy it off, so you can
>have peace of mind. It seems you are so obsessed with getting rid of this
>piece of equipment - is it a hot one?

>
>Try and relax and do not give yourself unneccesary stress based on some
>virtual personality, there is more to this world than insulting cyber
>personalities.
>
>
>Have a nice and productive day!
>
>
>In article <6fo85j$bcs@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
> bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>>
>> Gee, it must be bad when someone does not possess the english skills
>> to write his own ad, and have to resort to stealing someone else's ad
>> to sell his own radio. (For those interested in buying one - I am
>> selling the AOR-3000A below that Mr. Owodunni has stolen the words to)
>> Segun, it must be tough not be able to express yourself.
>>
>> Pick up a book and read it. A mind is a terrible thing to waste. You
>> must really try to express yourself without the use of profanity in
>> personal e-mail messages to others. Remember, any idiot can use
>> profanity. Have a good day!
>>
>> On Mon, 30 Mar 1998 04:10:20 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>>
>> >
>> >
>> >> >>>I have an absolutely BRAND NEW AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>> >> >>>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoker and
>> >> >>>the radio has never been used before - Unwanted xmas gift
>> >> >>>
>> >> >>>There is nothing wrong with this radio. The 3000A comes with the
>> >> >>>following:
>> >> >>>
>> >> >>>* Software and computer cable
>> >> >>>* AC adaptor
>> >> >>>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>> >> >>>* Telescopic whip antenna
>> >> >>>
>> >
>> >A free discone thrown in if you are an active member of this newsgroup.
>> >
>> >-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>> >http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
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3693. FS: pre-ban bc760xlt scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will Bartlett <caspar@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <35210301.551F@ziplink.net>
Source record: 165110

Hi all. I have a pre-cell ban bc-760 for sale. This does cover the cell band and I have also performed the demod modification. This is gerat for paging, trunking or mdt decoding. I Will also throw in a data slicer for the above purposes. Asking $225 which includes insured 2 day shipping. M.O. preferred. email or call will at 617-441-3393 or page 1-800-864-9716 (voice mail) tnx, Will, N1PXA

3694. Optoelectronics Xplorer Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dean <opto@gate.net>
Message-ID: <6fqvv4$16jg$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 165111

For a limited time only Optoelectronics has dropped $100 off the Xplorer
Test Receiver, making it a cool $799.00 Act now this offer won't last long

3695. 450mhz Trucked System Scanning?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: WOO CHI KIN <edwoo@netvigator.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5ccb$a7b1b640$a196fccd@default>
Source record: 165112

My City's Police Traffic Units use the Motorola trucked Radio system.
However, aside from the usual 800mhz trucked system.
They use their old freq. (before changing to trucked), which are in the
450-459mhz range.
Does anyone know will the Radio Shack Truck Tracker be able to track this
kind of Motorola 450mhz trucked system?

Eddie
edwoo@netvigator.com
ICQ Uin 3461686

3696. Re: 450mhz Trucked System Scanning?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcardani@erols.com
Message-ID: <352138c8.19594481@news.tju.edu>
Source record: 165113

On 31 Mar 1998 17:35:44 GMT, "WOO CHI KIN" <edwoo@netvigator.com>
wrote:

>My City's Police Traffic Units use the Motorola trucked Radio system.
>However, aside from the usual 800mhz trucked system.
>They use their old freq. (before changing to trucked), which are in the
>450-459mhz range.
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>kind of Motorola 450mhz trucked system?
>
>Eddie
>edwoo@netvigator.com
>ICQ Uin 3461686
>
Ed,

Nope, the Trunk Tracker scanners only follow Motorola trunked systems
in the 800 mhz range.

Joe

3697. Re: Who Is This Mackey Character?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <352147A5.76CE@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165114
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

THis is VERY GOOD ADVICE!

If people would stop causing problems & focus on being more positive,
thing would be greatly improved!

GregoryR wrote:
> Please, Please don't Flame Bait

3698. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <352148FA.46E5@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165115

Richard, why are you (like Bill Cheek) always into the homosexual
stuff?

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> I was cruising the bathrooms looking for man to man sex
> again.
>
> I found two guys who showed me just how my cheeks should be
> handled, rough and tumble and often. But, those concrete floors sure are
> tough on my knees. I'll bring my knee pads next time!

3699. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: loony@toon.mackey
Message-ID: <35211aac.2026654@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165116
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Because you just admitted it. Thank you. It's about time you owned up to some
of your demented goings on.

KA0SSF--John <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:

>Really, how do you know I had one?
>
>
>Macaroon wrote:
>
>> <jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>> >These are NOT legitimate addresses & I stated so at the
>
>> Of course you had one, you frigging liar. You lie so much, I bet you even
>> believe yourself!!

3700. Re: Who Is This Mackey Character?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggaston98@aol.com
Message-ID: <35221b2d.2155095@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

(Jed Crump) wrote:

>Who is this John Mackey guy?

Bill Cheek's homosexual lover.

3701. Michigan State Police: how and where to listen in

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Zukowski <mfzukows@iserv.net>
Message-ID: <6frfp0gkd1@news9.ispnews.com>
Source record: 165118

A friend who is a volunteer fireman told me the MSP are now using the 800 mhz band to transmit and receive. How can I listen in? Anyone in Michigan reading this ng have any ideas? Thanks!

Reply to mfzukows@iserv.net

3702. PLEASE TELL ME MORE ABOUT JOHN MACKEY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: gumby.d@ccsnetworks.com
Message-ID: <35214571.3289325@192.168.0.2>
Source record: 165119
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I would like to here all I can about how people were misteriously kicked off the net. What type of trip was being used?

Feel free to email me or post a reply.

Thank you in advance!

Gumby.d!, at CCS that is!

3703. Discriminator Outputs in Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <352143a4.67229866@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165120

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur

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bcheek@san.rr.com

NFM DISCRIMINATOR CHIPS - BASEBAND AUDIO - SQUELCH GATE DATA
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There is a growing interest in tapping the baseband audio
out of various scanners for decoding of a variety of esoteric
signals, including CTCSS, SCA, FSK, RTTY, FAX, etc. By and
large, such signals cannot be taken from TAPE REC jacks,
headphone jacks, and EXT SPEAKER jacks because of the voice-band
filtering that is done between the signal source and these
output jacks.

Therefore, it is necessary to tap the "baseband audio" directly
at the output of the discriminator chip for your scanner. Table 1
shows a list of scanners, the discriminator chip(s) used in the
scanner, circuit symbols of those chips, and three pins of general
interest on the chips: RF-Input, Scan Control, and, of course,
the baseband audio (discriminator output) pin.

Even though your scanner may not be listed below, try to find
its discriminator chip, and chances are it will be listed with
one or more scanners below, the pins of which will be the same
for your unlisted scanner! Corrections and additions to this
list are requested. See my mail and other addresses at the end
of this file.

For hookup information, see just after Table 1.

TABLE 1: SCANNER DISCRIMINATOR CHIP PINS OF INTEREST
Updated 03/31/98
CKT RF-in SCAN BASEBAND

SCANNER	NFM CHIP TYPE	SYMBOL	Pin	Pin	AUDIO PIN
unknown	MPS5071	n/a	16	13	9
AR-1000	TA-7787AF	IC-4	16	none	9
AR-2002	MC-3357P	IC-4	16	13	9
AR-2500	TA-7761P	IC-13	16	9	
AR-3000	MC-3357P	?	16	13	9
AR-800	MC-3361N	IC-200	16	13	9
AR-900	MC-3361N	IC-201	16	13	9
AR-950	MC-3361N	IC-201	16	13	9
AR-8000	NFM TK10489M	or-85M U1	20	16-17	11
AR-8000	WFM/AM TA7792F	U3	16	-	8
BC-100XL	MC-3359P	IC-1	18	15	10
BC-100XLT	TK-10421M-2	IC-401	20	16	11
BC-140XLT	MC-3359P	IC-1	18	15	10 *
BC-200XLT	TK-10421M-2	IC-401	20	16	11
BC-205XLT	TK-10421M-2	IC-401	20	16	11
BC-250	?	IC-3	16	13	9
BC-2500XLT	TK-10930VTL	IC-201	24	-	12-FM 13-AM
BC-3000	NFM/AM TK-10930V	IC-202	24	-	12-NFM 13-AM
BC-3000	WFM TK-10489M	IC-203	20	16-17	11
BC-350A	NJM-3359D-A	IC-3	18	15	10
BC-400XLT	NJM-3359D-A	IC-1	18	15	10
BC-560XLT	NJM-3359D-A	IC-1	18	15	10
BC-700A	NJM-3359D-A	IC-3	18	15	10
BC-760XLT	NJM-3359D-A	IC-2	18	15	10
BC-800XLT	MC-3359P	IC-1	18	15	10
BC-235XLT	MC3361CDR2	IC-2	16	13	9 *
BC-8500XLT	MC-3361BP	IC-9	16	13	9
BC-855XLT	TK-10421M-2	IC-401	20	16	11
BC-890XLT	NJM-3359D-A	IC-3	18	15	10
BC-950XLT	NJM-3359D-A	IC-2	18	15	10
HX-1000	TK-10420	U-201	16	13	9
MR-8100	NJM-3359D-A	IC-3	18	15	10
MX-5000	MC-3357P	IC-4	16	13	9
MX-7000	MC-3357P	IC-4	16	13	9
PRO-2002	MC-3357P	IC-101	16	13	9
PRO-2003	MC-3357P	IC-104	16	13	9
PRO-2004	NFM/AM TK-10420	IC-2	16	13	9 (TP4)
PRO-2004	WFM KB4419A	IC-1	1	-	6 (TP3)
PRO-2005	NFM/AM TK-10420	IC-2	16	13	9 (TP2)
PRO-2005	WFM KA2243N/HA12413	IC-1	1	-	10 (TP1)
PRO-2006	NFM/AM TK-10420	IC-2	16	13	9 (TP2)
PRO-2006	WFM KA2243N/HA12413	IC-1	1	-	10 (TP1)
PRO-2011	TK-10420	IC-1	16	13	9
PRO-2020	MC-3357P	IC-101	16	13	9
PRO-2021	TK-10420	IC-2	16	13	9
PRO-2022	MC-3361N	IC-1	16	13	9
PRO-2023	NJM-3359D-A	?	18	15	10
PRO-2024	MC-3361N	IC-2	16	13	9

PRO-2025 NJM-3359D-A IC-1 18 15 10
PRO-2026 NJM-3359D-A IC-7 18 15 10
PRO-2027 MC-3361N IC-2 16 13 9
PRO-2028 NJM-3359D-A IC-2 18 15 10
PRO-2030 NJM-3359D-A IC-3 18 15 10
PRO-2032 MC-3361 IC-2 16 13 9 (TP5)
PRO-2035 NFM/AM TK-10420 IC-2 16 13 9 (TP2)
PRO-2035 WFM KA2243N/HA12413 IC-1 1 - 10 (TP1)
PRO-2041 MC3361N IC-301 16 13 9 *
PRO-2042 NFM/AM TK-10420 IC-2 16 13 9 (TP2)
PRO-2042 WFM KA2243N/HA12413 IC-1 1 - 10 (TP1)
PRO-2050 MC3361CDR2 IC-2 16 13 9 *
PRO-23 MC-3361BD IC-1 16 13 9
PRO-26 NFM/AM TK-10930V IC-14 24 - 12-NFM 13-AM
PRO-26 WFM TK-10489M IC-16 20 16-17 11
PRO-31 TK-10420 IC-1 16 13 9
PRO-32 TK-10420 IC-101 16 13 9
PRO-34 TK-10420 IC-101 16 13 9
PRO-35 TK-10421M-2 IC-401 20 16 11
PRO-36 TK-10420 IC-101 16 13 9
PRO-37 TK-10420 IC-101 16 13 9 (TP103)
PRO-38 MC-3359P IC-1 18 15 10
PRO-39 MC-3361N IC-201 16 13 9
PRO-41 MC-3359P IC-1 18 15 10
PRO-42 MC-3361N IC-2 16 13 9
PRO-43 TK-10427/-10420 IC-301 16 13 9
PRO-44 MC-3361N IC-201 16 13 9
PRO-46 TK-10421M-3LT IC-401 20 16 11
PRO-51 MC-3361BD IC-1 16 13 9
PRO-60 ? IC-301 16 13 9
PRO-62 KA3361 IC-301 16 13 9 *
PRO-64 MC3361N IC-301 16 13 9
PRO-66 MC3361N IC-2 16 13 9 (TP3) *
PRO-90 MC3361CDR2 IC-2 16 13 9
Icom R-1 NFM TK-10487 DET-A IC-1 20 Q1 11
Icom R-1 WFM TA-7787AF DET-B IC-1 16 7 9
Icom R7100 Said to be "top of R230 on the top of main PCB" *
R-1600 NJM-3359D-A IC-2 18 15 10
R-4030 TK-10421M-2 IC-401 20 16 11
SR-15 TK-10421D-2 IC-1 16 13 9
StandardCCR708A TK-10420D Q602 16 13 9 *
TurboScan 2 3130-6056-502 U-201 18 ? 10 or 16
WiNRADiO NFM MC-3372D U2 16 14 Mute 9 TP20
WiNRADiO AM/WFM TA-7640AP U5 - - 9 TP29
WiNRADiO SSB LM324M U6 - - 1
Yaesu FRG-9600 MC-3357P ? 16 13 9 *
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* Not personally verified by me

HOOKUP PROCEDURE
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If you need the raw Discriminator baseband audio signal for external purposes, the best way to access it is via a jack installed in a convenient, unobtrusive location on the scanner.

1. Install an RCA or other jack in a desired place on the scanner's external case, typically the rear panel.

2. Connect the shell or outer frame part of the jack to scanner chassis ground.

3. Connect the (+) leg of a 2.2-uF to 4.7-uF tantalum capacitor to the Discriminator output Pin. (Capacitor should be tantalum, but can vary in value from 1.0-uF to 10-uF at a voltage rating of 25-50vdc.)

4. Connect the center conductor of a shielded coax (RG-174, etc) or shielded mic cable to the (-) leg of the capacitor.

5. Connect the shield of the cable at this end to a nearby PCB ground trace or spot.

6. Connect the center conductor of the other end of this cable to the center or hot lug of the jack.

7. Connect the shield of the cable at that end to the ground lug of the jack.

8. Fabricate or buy a shielded patch cable with one end to mate with the new jack on the rear of the scanner at that end....and the other end to mate with whatever jack is on the tape recorder, processor, decoder, or whatever device is to be connected at the other end.

"SCAN CONTROL" AND SQUELCH PIN DATA FOR
UNIDEN SCANNERS and Realistics made by Uniden
==

Uniden does their darndest to make it difficult to hack their scanners. You guys have some work to do. Here's the deal: Even though all NFM discriminator chips have a SCAN CONTROL pin, Uniden doesn't always use it! Some Uniden scanners have a separate Squelch circuit with the SCAN CONTROL pin on the discriminator unused! You have to find the real Squelch circuit, and then determine the Logic for that circuit. It's easy, but differs from one scanner to the next, and I can't cover them all. I need your help.

See Table 2 below for a good reference. By and large, those with scanners of Uniden origin have to tackle the preliminaries in this fashion:

1. Locate the NFM Discriminator chip - you will
find the Audio pin from Table 1. It remains valid.

2. Determine if the SCAN CONTROL pin on that chip
is used. (Follow its trace out on the PCB)

A. If so, then determine the logic order. If
the SCAN CONTROL pin is used, then we can
use it!

B. If the SCAN CONTROL pin is not used,
then locate the real Squelch circuit.
The schematic and block diagrams in
the service manual will be helpful.
Uniden uses chips like NJM2902,
NJM2904 & NJM3403 to generate Squelch
logic. Use your voltmeter to find a
spot where the Squelch logic is 0v and
5 or 8v, depending on the setting of
the Squelch control. Table 2 shows
details for those Uniden-made scanners
with which I am familiar.

TABLE 2
UNIDEN SQUELCH CHIPS
Updated 3/31/98

Scanner	SQ Chip	CktSym	Pin
PRO-26	NJM3403AV	IC-17	7
BC-890XLT	NJM2902N	IC-8	7
BC-2500XLT	NJM3403AV	IC-204	14
BC-8500XLT	NJM2904M	IC-8	7
BC-350A	NJM2904S	IC-552	8
BC-700A	NJM2904D	IC-11	7
PRO-51	NJM2902V	IC-4	8
PRO-90	NJM3403AM	IC-8	7
PRO-2030	NJM2904S	IC-10	8

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Please let me have your input and feedback on the above information
and Table, especially for additions and corrections.

Thanks,

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3704. Re: Who Is This Mackey Character?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcrump@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6frjvj$g4i@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165121
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

TheLoneGunman@grassyknoll.org (The Lone Gunman) wrote:

>On Mon, 30 Mar 1998 19:23:00 GMT, jcrump@worldnet.att.net (Jed Crump)
>wrote:
>
>>Who is this John Mackey guy? Is he a participant in some
>>new form of group therapy in which psychiatritic patients are
>>given Internet access? I sure hope he's not running loose
>>cause he sounds dangerous to me! Has he stalked anybody
>>besides Bill Cheek?
>
>Yes, he's got a serious problem that has to do with little boys and
>he also collects Richard Simmons paraphernalia.

Does he have a fixation with Richard Simmons like he does with
Bill Cheek? I have a couple of Richard Simmons tapes that I'd
give him but only if he promised not to do anything kinky with them.

Jed

3705. Re: Who Is This Mackey Character?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcrump@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6frjvm$g4i@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

"GregoryR" <gregjr@teleNOSPAMport.com> wrote:

>Please, Please don't Flame Bait him! There are some
>completely off topic threads in this ng that go on forever!
>If one of the regular non-scanner discussion posters puts up
>a message.......just don't respond. Maybe if we all just
>ignore the off topic posts, they'll diminish. I can at
>least hope........
>
>My kill file is getting so large it's starting to fill my
>hard drive ;-)

It was not my intention to "flame bait" Mackey, I have an interest in abnormal psychology and have been doing some research on its manifestation on the Internet. I have been monitoring a number of Usenet news groups and find this one nearly ideal for my project. Normally I work in the background as an observer but my excitement upon discovering this Mackey individual prompted me to post. He may very well be the perfect case study!

If I were to engage in such behavior, e.g. "flame baiting", it would be for purely scientific reasons to measure the target's response for statistical compilation. Sorry if I have caused any disturbance, I shall try to be as inconspicuous as possible during my stay here.

Jed

3706. Re: Who Is This Mackey Character?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@are.mental
Message-ID: <35224ccd.14861120@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 165123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hahahaha! That's TOO funny!

You chopped out the last word of that line. It originally said "Please don't
Flame Bait Mackey".

Guess you took the bait! You are such a predictable moron!!

KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net> wrote:

>THis is VERY GOOD ADVICE!
>
>If people would stop causing problems & focus on being more positive,
>thing would be greatly improved!
>
>
>GregoryR wrote:
>> Please, Please don't Flame Bait

3707. About The John Mackey Issues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickyd@ccsnetworks.com
Message-ID: <6frnt1$tj5@camel12.mindspring.com>
Source record: 165124

Please e-mail me with any information you have regarding claims
against John Mackey and any sneaky tricks that people have claimed
also.

3708. Re: Congressman Sues Over Taped Cellular Phone Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: zippy@sierra.campus.mci.net
Message-ID: <352165dd.1248134@news.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 165125
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 13:38:56 -0500, "Dave and Sue Whitfield"
<Cruiseoutlets@bigfoot.com> wrote:

>
>Go for it!! there are many of us who have listened to cordless phones or
>what have you on scanners does not make us voyeurs!
>
>
>>If someone next door is standing in front of an open window naked as a
>>jaybird, they have given up their right to privacy. If someone makes a
>>phone call which emits radio waves which pass through my house, my
>property,
>>and my body, then the person making the phone call has also given up their
>>right to privacy. If someone is burglarizing my house, I have the right
>(in
>>my city, state) to shoot him so long as it is in the front side of their
>>body. Soon I may shoot them in the back too if they are fleeing
>>(legislation pending in TN). I should have the right to do whatever I want
>>to the radio waves because they are trespassing on MY property and in MY
>>body. The government does not own my property or myself. The day they try
>>is the day of the beginning of the next Civil War as far as I am concerned.

The American Way (I Agree All The Way)

Smith and Wessom.....;)

3709. Yaesu FRG-9600 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@ptd.net
Message-ID: <MEdU.1085$zT6.4162269@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 165126

aesu FRG-9600 VHF/UHF receiver. Covers 60-905MHz continuously and can be converted to cover 20-950 (instructions included). The unit is in excellent shape with only a few minor scratches and includes the following:

NSTC Video Board, Original copy of the service manual, extra memory battery, original box and all original factory accessories.

$ 500.00 includes shipping via UPS contact johnl@ptd.net Thanks.

John

N3ZQJ

3710. AR-8000DX For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@ptd.net
Message-ID: <7%dU.1096$zT6.4162269@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 165127

AOR AR-8000DX with continous coverage and DX mod by Javiation. The modification is carried out by installing a custom-built PCB into a standard AR8000. This will allow switching between the standard AM/NFM filter (approx. 12kHz bandwidth) and the narrower SSB filter (approx. 4kHz bandwidth); for more details see Javiation's Web page at www.javiation.co.uk

The unit is new in box and includes all the factory accessories as supplied by Javiation.

$ 600 includes UPS shipping. Contact johnl@ptd.net Thanks.

John

N3ZQJ

3711. Re: Michigan State Police: how and where to listen in

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: hazmat910@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033122301201.RAA03943@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165128

Sorry to tell you this, but the new MSP system is digital trunked. There is CURRENTLY no way to actually monitor this system w/o buying a Motorolla tranceiver.

John

3712. Re: 450mhz Trucked System Scanning?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: hazmat910@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033122300901.RAA06538@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165129

The current generation of TT's can ONLY follow 800 MHz Motorolla type 1 and 2 systems. They can not follow 900 MHz, 400-500MHZ, GE, Johnson, Kenwood or any digital trunked systems. It is possible to follow GE systems with a computer interface and a program on the internet.

Uniden says the next generation will be able to follow some of the above systems, but the next generation is AT LEAST two years away.

John
Owner of a BC 235XLT and a Pro 90

3713. new scanner store

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhouse007@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033122350301.RAA04719@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165130

scanner outler
410 s norfolk st
san mateo ca 94401
1-650-344.5012

3714. FreeTracker Homepage ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Webb <swebb@mail.bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5cd2$db410180$4e99d4cd@swebb.bright.net>
Source record: 165131

Can anyone supply me with the URL for the FreeTracker BC895 computer
control software homepage ? I was there once and downloaded the
software,but
when I went to install it , the .exe was bad.
TIA
Steve.....swebb@bright.net

3715. Grove telescopic whip vs. Radio Shack center-loaded whip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: fbals@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033123514501.SAA17607@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165132

Anyone have experience using both for low band (30-50Mhz) reception on hand-held scanners? The Radio Shack model has the "center loaded" section but the Grove is longer when fully extended to 46". Which works better?

Frank

3716. For Sale Pro 2035 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6frti9mip1@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165133
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a new Pro 2035 scanner with 1000 memories and recieves from
25-520 mhz, and 760-1300 mhz (less cell). I only open it just to tested
and it works great.It's tripple conversion. I'm asking $350 dollars or
best offer. thanks. mgdforty@webtv.net

3717. Re: Phone call on 459.975? (It is NMT)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <35219C2C.B8276D40@mcn.org>
Source record: 165134
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I heard a friend on his cell phone right close to that freq.

Omega wrote:

> >I was searching the UHF band on my handheld scanner about 6pm yesterday,
> and
> >it stopped on 459.975. I heard a woman with a very cute-sounding voice
> >speaking. At first, I thought it might be a dispatcher of a wrecker or
> >security service, but then I noticed that she didn't break the carrier when
> >she finished speaking. A few seconds later, she started talking again, as
> if
> >she was responding to a voice that I couldn't hear. Then I realized that I
> >was listening to one side of some kind of phone call. I kept listening, and
> >she said something about "waiting for her lawyers to get the deal from
> >Warner Brothers." In the information I got from the 60 seconds I listened,
> I
> >realized that she was more than likely a famous singer, she had her young
> >child with her, and she was talking to her husband on the phone. Suddenly,
> >the carrier ended and the scanner started searching again.
> >
> >Does anyone have any ideas about what I was hearing? There are no
> >celebrities anywhere near where I live. However, there is a major
> >north-south highway nearby. Could this be some sort of mobile phone? Could
>
> It sounds JUST like NMT Cellular system we use in norway & scandinavia,
> There are two NMT (nordic mobile telephone) systems, One is NMT 450 and
> the other is NMT 900 , NONE of 'em are encrypted , and may send some data
> packets before and after the voice transmission ,
> NMT 450 uses freq 454 ..... to .... 467Mhz ..... in 50 Khz chanel steps.
> NMT 900 uses something like 935 .. 945 Mhz
>
> We also use GSM like rest of the world , but the 450 Mhz have longer range
> you see (GSM + mountains = no good) :)
>
> Depending on the call / and the phones , u may hear both of the parts when
> one of them use NMT phone.
>
> Where do u live ? , outside scandinavia ?

3718. Antenna Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: hurst_m@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6fsb00$u2c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165135

I'm planning to build a scanner antenna using a 4:1 balun. Would one designed for television use work, or do these units have higher losses? The reason I'm asking is that I'm aware many parts designed for the average consumer/ TV user are often poorly made since many people don't know much about electronics.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3719. Pro 2032

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnny@theramp.net
Message-ID: <6fshlf$3qo$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165136

I would apprecate any info possible on the Radio Shack Pro 2032. Any comments
on performance or mods for this unit would be helpful.
Thanks. johnny@theramp.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3720. Indian River County Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbcochran@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <6fsckm$v7e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Could anyone help me with frequencies in Indian River County, FL
Thanks!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3721. Re: Who Is This Mackey Character? Who Cares!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6fs96h$njc@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165138
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'm sick of it all!

Jed Crump wrote in message <6for6v$eum@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>...
>Who is this John Mackey guy? Is he a participant in some
>new form of group therapy in which psychiatritic patients are
>given Internet access? I sure hope he's not running loose
>cause he sounds dangerous to me! Has he stalked anybody
>besides Bill Cheek?
>
>Jed
>

3722. Texas Motor Speedway Nascar Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Chauza <jeff_chauza@waddill.com>
Message-ID: <3521AB8F.4A5D4E4E@waddill.com>
Source record: 165139

I will be attending the Dallas/Fort Worth Texas Motor Speedway Nascar races and I am looking for some accurate frequencies. Please point me to some updated URL's.

Thanks for your time....It will make my life a lot easier this weekend!!

3723. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <3521B814.4344@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165140
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Why would I care, or have any desire, to do what you are asking below?

Bro Dogg wrote:
> So you think you are a hacker or something? Hack my website. If you are
> the marvel you say you are you should be able to find it on your own.

3724. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <3521B9EB.1A1B@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165141

You OBVIOUSLY are not a ham so you have NO idea of what we are speaking?

allsafe wrote:
Bullshit deleted.

3725. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <3521B912.B58@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hawke wrote:

> I have many friends stationed at many places across the planet, and I
> can e-mail them any time of day, AT THEIR ASSIGNED E-MAIL ADDRESSES! You

True, the Air Force does assign e-mail addresses.

However, any e-mail you send to those addresses is NOT
considered private & others MAY read it at any time.

> tell me the Air Force has no e-mail addresses? Where do you obtain your
> information from, John?

According to the Weekly newspaper at McChord Air Base about a month
ago, they suggest using USA.NET or hotmail for private e-mail.

> I've been lurking in
> here under various e-mail addy's and handles for a better part of 5
> years!

What addresses? History (with the address you have used here)
proves differently!

3726. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <3521B939.30@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165143
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

What are you claiming I admitted to?

Macaroon wrote:
> Because you just admitted it.

3727. Re: WTB: BC200XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: DCLIFF@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fs8uv$n9c$1@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 165144

Found one. Thanks to all who replyed.

DENNIS in GA.

3728. Re: Need freqs for Fayetteville, NC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Natalie Cerda <cerda.inc@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fsbkp$jdn@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165145

check out my web page ... and anyone who have a web page I would love to add
you on.... This is my first one... so E-Mail your info...

--
Cerda.net@worldnet.att.net

http://members.tripod.com/~Candynot4u/RadioScanner.html
(MY web site on Radio Scanner)

http://members.tripod.com/~Candynot4u/FreeStuff.html
(My Web on how to get free stuff off the web or 1-800)

http://members.tripod.com/~Candynot4u/Natalie.html
(More Inf. about me)

Hector Quinones wrote in message <350D3520.633F@foto.infi.net>...
>All,
>
>I need some scanner freqs for the Fayetteville, NC area. Any resources
>you can provide will be appreciated.
>
>Hector

3729. Re: STOP IT N O W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <3521BFFF.7CE1@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165146

Blake Bowers wrote:

> Again, and I use Dejanews as my source, with semi-verifiable posters,
> it seems that his (Cheek) support is larger and stronger than yours.

Of course, he cancel's any message that my threaten his position!

> >Blake, are you going to Dayton this year?
>
> Nope.

Sorry to hear that. Try it sometime. Dayton Hamvention is very cool!

3730. Re: John Mackey Afraid of His Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF--John <jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net>
Message-ID: <3521BED4.3F0@uXXXsa.net>
Source record: 165147
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> By your own admission, these are illegitimate
> addresses. Of course, you had to lie to the Netscape software
> to make it work.

WRONG!

I was not LYING, it was a software work around to make the software function as it would NOT otherwise! At the time I stated, as I always have since, that they were NOT legit addresses. Just like you forged my address the other day & stated it was a forge. If I am guilty, they YOU are guilty of the same crime!

> That's how I proved you faked the addresses
> with my original posting (spoofing your identity) to show just
> how easy it is to spoof an address.

YOUR own admission of faking MY address/identity.

Of course, imitation is the BEST form of flattery!

> You, again by your own admission, did not have a valid e-mail
> address.

Correct, is ANYONE arguing this? NO, they are not!

> That is another way of saying you did not have a valid
> account either.

I never claimed to have an internet account, just internet access. *IF* I ever used the term account (during that PARTICULAR time in question) then I mis-spoke & should have used the term "access" rather than "account".

For example, Libraries & internet cafes have internet access available for their customers/guests. They do NOT provide an e-mail address either.

> Since you did not have a valid e-mail address
> OR a valid account, you had illegal access. You stole services
> which you were not legitimately entitled to.

You are wrong, see my above response.

> > > > You claim that you were in a work situation where
> > > > you had T1 access, but no real Internet access.
> > Correct!

>
> In other words, you had to steal access to gain entry.

Wrong, it was my job to access the internet & test digital
communications, under contract, for a well known company.

Or as I tried to tell you below but you were to busy looking
for a arguement to understand:
> > WRONG! My job was to test internet systems & digital
> > communications. It was my JOB to "gain entry"!

> I say you are a liar.

Since your word means NOTHING, that is no big deal.

> Your continued evasion of the direct questions regarding
> who you supposedly worked for is tacit admission of
> guilt.

No just that I do NOT have to give personal data to someone like
YOU. If an investigator were to contact me, THEN I would be required
by law to do so & would offer NO hinderance. YOU are not trustworthy
for such privledged info.

> Can you be so
> stupid, so oblivious not to see that you are already under
> investigation? Yes, I believe you are *that* stupid.

Then let me say this AGAIN:
> > OK, when an investigator contacts me I will give them all
> > that info!

> It won't be an investigator, it will be the arresting officer.

Whatever you want to think in your little demented world is fine!
In the USA you are investigated BEFORE arrested. Otherwise is
FALSE ARREST!

3731. Alinco DJ 580 For sale/ Swap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: gaylakate@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033100031700.TAA06447@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165169

Have a twin band unblocked, modified DJ=580 for sale (or swap). scan almost any two bands at one time- The radio has been modified so that you can transmit almost any freq. Has Air- cell, etc. Will swap for similar- Pls E mail me

3732. RE: Pro 24 Scanner....contact info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa186@freenet.akron.oh.us
Message-ID: <EqnpG5.2o8@freenet.akron.oh.us>
Source record: 165170

My mailbox appears to be down, so please send emails
for the Pro 24 to my AOL address:

Rdhdluvr@aol.com

Thanks
Mike

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3733. Re: The John Mackey And Gumby Damnit Fan Club

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033101075501.UAA18204@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165171
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>

>So this is what it is like at alt.fan.john.mackey eh?

>

>Is King Mackey really a liar. Could his new email address be

>sjohnm@bellsouth.net now?

Mackey is at usa.net or sprint.net!!!
>

>Do you know if his best friend is Gumby Damnit?

Gumby Damnit's best friends have to be Butt Cheeks kissers.
Bill is still stirrring the shit by forged posts!

BTW the mackey story while cute was a waste of BW.
It would be really easy to just insert Bill Cheek's name in place of Mackey.
One addition would be Scanner God instead of King.

Hamboner

3734. How do i reset my realist pro-25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: epiphany@technologist.com
Message-ID: <3522451d.26518069@news.idsonline.com>
Source record: 165172

How do I reset my realist pro-25. I've try turning it on holding the clear and 0 buttons down, and it didn't work. I don't see a reset button on it anywhere. Is anyone familiar with how to reset it?

3735. Re: How does a person make a dipole antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <352042b1.1435225@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 165173

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net (Glen Quarnstrom) wrote:

> > BTW, I used to pump upwards of 8-gallons into an
> > Avanti Moonraker 6......driven by a 4CX5000A but before

> How very interesting. And this from a guy who insists you'll do hard
> time if you "import" a Yupitera scanner.

Are you dense? Or just stupid?

My "insistence" about Yupiteru scanners is NOW.
It is a current issue in a current era.

The Moonraker 6 and eight gallons was a long time
ago......years and years betwixt then and now.

Live and learn, Kibitzer. Don't YOU? Or are
you the same "perfect" being now as fifteen
years ago?

Or....were you even in existence fifteen years ago?
Sometimes, you make me wonder if you fell off the
turnip truck yesterday......such the sanctimonious,
pompous, self-righteous messiah that you portray.

I am, however, utterly delighted and gratified that
you find me so deserving of your asinine, obsessive
attentions. I really MUST count in your books somewhere.

Pity.

You don't count for shit in mine. But that's all
too often the irony of Life and Living, isn't it, Glenn?
I mean, you can't find a wave and a star of your own
to ride, so you go gunning for others who do.

You are deceived, sonny. Your gun shoots blanks.
And your obsession with me only serves to confirm
that I somehow rank way up there in your books.

You dumbass.......... heh heh heh

3736. Louisville, KY trunked system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbseale@iglou.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f8a0d8c1537b946989681@news.iglou.com>
Source record: 165174

Do any other agencies in Louisville, KY plan to use the trunked system
besides public works, the airports, and the metro parks?

3737. Trunked SMRs in Louisville, KY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbseale@iglou.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f8a0eeebf877dde989682@news.iglou.com>
Source record: 165175

Can anybody provide me with an up-to-date listing of trunked SMR frequencies in Louisville, KY? The listing on my Spectrum CDROM is quite dated.

3738. Re: Yupiteru MVT-9000-Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Cave <joncave@xroadstx.com>
Message-ID: <ehYT.3851$69.1507316@news.giganews.com>
Source record: 165176

What is the difference in the 9000M and the 9000.

Bro Dogg wrote in message <351F04A9.F7586A05@mcn.org>...
>You can get the adapter a Radio Shack. If I were you, I would(also am) get
>the 9000M.
>

3739. Re: FS/PRO-2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: highpkts@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033102322701.VAA04236@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165177

$150??????????? John,WHAT are you doing?....Where I come from.(chicago)...ANY scanner with cell. mod. can fetch ...$400-$500 !!! Whoa ! ..are you guys crazy?!?? do you know how rare these scanners are/will be?!...I guarentee all of you that in 10 years,people will pay up to $1200 for cell. mod. scanners. THINK,you guys.........ever hear of "dwindeling supply" & "rising demand"?!....I was offered that much for my RS 2022 W/dipole ant.

3740. Re: FS/PRO-2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbatina@infinet.com
Message-ID: <GLYT.314$Yj.4421940@news2>
Source record: 165178

HighPkts (highpkts@aol.com) wrote:
: scanner with cell. mod. can fetch ...$400-$500 !!! Whoa ! ..are you guys
: crazy?!?? do you know how rare these scanners are/will be?!...I guarentee all
: of you that in 10 years,people will pay up to $1200 for cell. mod. scanners.
: THINK,you guys.....ever hear of "dwindeling supply" & "rising
: demand"?!....I was offered that much for my RS 2022 W/dipole ant.

Analog cellular phones will be LONG gone in 10 years... heck, they will
probably be overtaken by digital phones within the next couple of years.
Then the ability to get the 800mhz analog cellphone freqs won't be the money
draw that it is now.

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http://www.infinet.com/~rbatina - Robert J Batina - rbatina@infinet.com
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3741. Umax Astra 1200s + Other SCSI card.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: twb03@uow.edu.au
Message-ID: <twb03.891314284@wumpus>
Source record: 165179

Hi,
Can anyone please tell me how to connect the Astra 1200s to another SCSI card such as Adaptec 2940U or UW? I manage to install both of them together, but do i install the VistaScan and state that it is a ASPI compliant SCSI card? or I need to use MagicScan? Is there any differences in scanning speed?

I have tried using MagicScan but after the picture has been scanned, it will give me GPF faults. So please help me and please tell me how to connect them together and how to install those damn softwares and drivers.

Boey

3742. FS-Radio Shack Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: pmayer7309@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033103151600.WAA12049@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165180

I have one pro-2006 for sale excellant condition

$300.00 buyer pays shipping

pm7309@aol

3743. USENET NEWSGROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa0fj@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033103172800.WAA09760@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165181

I am switching to my new ISP. Can anybody send me an E-mail on how I can subscribe to this newsgroup with Microsoft Internet Explorer? Thank you. My new E-mail address is Schnoor@wavetech.net

3744. Re: Re: Virtual banks! PLEASE READ!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: a@b.com
Message-ID: <3522620a.1573482@news.idsonline.com>
Source record: 165182

Wow great idea. I'd like to see global settings being able to turn off
or on all delay/pri and lockout settings. or atleast per bank.

On Sat, 07 Mar 1998 07:33:36 -0500, foxcat@mindspring.com (foxcat)
wrote:

|>In article <3500d558.4965294@news.fastlink.com.au>,
|>barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au wrote:
|>
|>> foxcat@mindspring.com (foxcat) wrote:
|>>
|>> :The scanner manufacturers should add to scanners...
|>> :
|>> :VIRTUAL BANKS.
|>> :
|>> :Where the user could select the number of channels per bank. If the
|>> :scanner had 1000 channel storage, the user could define bank 1 to hold 6
|>> :freqs., bank 2 to hold 15 freqs, bank 3 to hold 8 freqs., etc., until all
|>> :storage was filled. More of an opimizing solution. So the possibility of
|>> :entering bank 1000 could be possible. So... we need some new buttons.
|>> :
|>> :<MANUAL> <PRGBank> <ENTER> 248 <ENT> 6 <ENT>
|>> :
|>> :would create a new bank "248" with 6 freqs. slots available Then...
|>> :
|>> :<PRGBank> 248 <ENTER> <MANUAL><MANUAL> 506.8175 <ENT>
|>> :
|>> :would store 506.8175 into freq. slot 3 of bank 248.
|>> :
|>> :This way we wouldn't waste banks with x channels of 0.0 (locked-out)
|>> :freqs. Sort/Swap/Delete banks and Resize banks would be available.
|>> :
|>> :Is this so difficult? It's a computer with ears, for god sake!
|>> :
|>> :Of course, if I've thought of it, it's already been done. [sigh]. Whodunnit?
|>>
|>
|>> The FT-3000 has 7 banks and 70 channels. Any number of channels may
|>> be assigned to each channel. E.G. 60 channels to bank 1, 2 to bank 2,
|>> 5 to bank 3 and so on.
|>
|>
|>Barry,
|>
|>How old is the FT=3000? Who makes it? And where is it available? Why don't

|>you pass on my Virtual banking system message to the FT-3000 manufacturer
|>and see what they think.
|>
|>Scanners today commonly have 200-400-1000 freq storage but still
|>shoehorned into 10 banks. [sigh]
|>
|>Thanks for your reply and, take it easy,
|>
|>Andy Burns
|>foxcat@mindspring.com

3745. Rich Wells Website?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: user4950@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033103432200.WAA17322@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165183

I lost the bookmark for the Rich Wells website containing reviews of scanners and antennas.Does anyone know the address.Thanks in advance.

3746. Re: Who are "Bill" and "John"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6fpoar$8dm$0@207.18.224.90>
Source record: 165184

On Sun, 29 Mar 1998 20:47:21 -0800, KA0SSF--John
<jXXXmackey@uXXXsa.net> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>
>> How is it wrong John? Read what I said. The question pools
>> have been available since back in the Dick Bash days. Did I
>> say that they were available from the FCC? No. They were
>> available from Dick Bash.
>
>What you are referring to was NOT the FCC Questions Pools as
>you originally stated. It was a priviate individuals notes
>on what the questions were.
>
John, the notes were on the FCC question pools, and they were
complete, word for word. They were the FCC question pools.

>There is a slight, but MAJOR difference!

Nah, it is just your way of wanting to be right.

>I understand that this all happened before you were a ham Blake &
>that is likely why your data is in error.
>
John, John, John. I keep trying to politely guide you, and show
you just how misinformed you are, yet you keep getting your
theories messed up. I understand that it takes quite a bit for
you to understand that you do not know near as much as
you think you do concerning HAM and radio.

>First: The Bash Books came out in the early to middle 1980's.
>
Late seventies. It was 1980 when the FCC pursued Dick.

Strike 1.

>Second: Middle to late 1980's the FCC question Pools were made
> public & the VEC groups started taking over testing from the FCC.
>
In 1982, Congress agreed to the FCC divesting themselfs of HAM
testing.

Strike 2.

>Third: The Test element 3 was broken up to 3A & 3B, resulting in the
> theory test for technician shrinking to HALF it's original size!

>
>Fourth and LAST: Your above point, the No-code tech license became
> available.
>

The Technician theory test, which with no code became the
entry level test, was still tougher than the ENTRY level test from
before No-Code, which was Novice.

My point, and your third strike, which means, your out.

3747. New Sony PC Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb6kgx@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033103500700.WAA15871@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165185

Does anyone know anything about the upcoming PC Scanner by Sony? Is it similar to the one that ICOM currently has on the market?

3748. TOROID INDUCTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: toroids@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033103490701.WAA18389@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165186

We have written a Toroid software package for use DC to 300 MHz. Many Years of research has gone into error corrections for the low perm cores , 200 & 360 degree coverage as well as SRF for series and shunt coils. Much of this has come about as a request from Micrometals. The pin point accuracy allows us to add a custom core feature for custom shaped cores, stacking cores side by side and machining custom phenolic cores from plastic, teflon, wood, ect...
Down load a demo or just view the software main screen at our web
http://members.aol.com/Toroids/johnindx.htm
or click below
Best Regards John Bellora @ B&E Engineering Software
B and E Engineering

3749. Re: Rich Wells Website?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmcinty@eos.ncsu.edu
Message-ID: <6fpqf6$21m$1@uni00nw.unity.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 165187

In article <1998033103432200.WAA17322@ladder03.news.aol.com>, user4950@aol.com (User4950) wrote:
>I lost the bookmark for the Rich Wells website containing reviews of scanners
>and antennas.Does anyone know the address.Thanks in advance.

Here it is:

http://www.qsl.net/n2mca/RADIO.HTM

Enjoy....

Robert McIntyre
rjmcinty@eos.ncsu.edu

3750. trident tr4500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: amele@ipass.net
Message-ID: <35207573.9310833@news.ipass.net>
Source record: 165188

anyone know where to find a computer program for this unit? aka aor ar2500....

3751. FS: Bearcat on E-BAY (w/photo)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: vfo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fpsgq$fmm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165189

FS: Bearcat BC 100XL 16 channel scanner on E-BAY.

http://www.ebay.com

Item # 9675444.

Auction ends on 04-05-98

Thanks.

3752. Re: Boston Med-Flight Freqs ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimsts@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033104492701.XAA28791@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165190

Try the following web address:
www.Li.net/~J4dice/stateidx.html

I believe you'll find what you need.

3753. Re: scanner page ripoff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: zippy@sierra.campus.mci.net
Message-ID: <35206fa3.2604580@news.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 165191
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 08:28:59 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
wrote:

>me@my.net (Jim Fordyce) wrote:
>
>> A number of people have e-mailed me about someone who has ripped off my links
>> page (my page is http://www.li.net/~j4dice/links.html)
>> ....
>> his page:
>> http://www1.centtel.com/scorpion/scanner.htm
>>
>> his e-mail address:
>> scorpion@centtel.com
>
>It's a downright shame, Jim. You're not alone in getting
>ripped. I'm kinda used to it to where it doesn't hurt
>so much anymore.
>
>I publish a hard-copy newsletter....and had one brazen
>jerkov publicly 'fess that he gets his copy from someone
>who xeroxes 'em and sends 'em out.
>
>I've found a number of sites that copied work straight
>out of my books and then posted the material under
>their own names. Talk about brass balls and steel
>lugnuts......
>
>I could go on and on with a list of such atrocities, but
>suffice to say I empathize with your predicament. I'm
>not sure there is any good solution other than what you
>just did....make the matter publicly known. Though if
>you could sue the jerk and help yourself to some of his
>gainful employment, he and others like him might begin
>to understand..... A garnishment of their wages for a
>couple of years sure might teach a lesson, eh?
>
>-- ----
>Bill Cheek - President/CEO/Publisher \ /
>COMMtronics Engineering/World Scanner Report \/
>Box 262478 ~ San Diego ~ CA ~ 92196-2478 /\
>bcheek@san.rr.com ftp://204.210.11.204 / \
>http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
>-- ---

>
>
You have a good point, But I would have never cought the
2006 ce-232 scanner bug if I had not browsed across some-
thing stuck out in a faraway site advertizing your primary
product. It took me a year of droolin and searchin, readin
FS adds, searchin for info on it, just made me want it more and more
But hay I found a 2006 in sacramento and Next I boght the Ultimate
Scanner and rigged a old 2" analoge volt meter in to a mean extrnal
s-meter.
I have a friend that has bought a few CE-232 kits from you
and he I just had to pick up the motorola chip and some of the rare
chips , That way I could get him to install 6400 mem chip
and a key board inter face. THE ULTIMATE SCANNER..
I have a couple of ham buddys out there that do paket and
they want there 2006 modified for s-meter and I would like to receive
paket till i can get the rigg and a LIC. for 2 meter...
I am fasinated with the things one can do with your CE-232.
Back to the subject Buy cutin you off this jerk needs more than a
spanking, But on the other hand If the people catch fire for your
product and they have any brains they will sooner or latter
be in touch with you and with in a winkling of an eye you'll
have the glory and word of mouth sales from the mess.

Tom M.

3754. Re: New Sony PC Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerunl@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033105341000.AAA03172@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165192

There will be two models of the Sony scanner, both of which are due out in late April. One will be computer interfacable, and the other will not.
I will post a complete summary of the specifications Tuesday evening.

Glenn Cohen, Scanners Unlimited
rec.radio.scanner

3755. Help/ pro60??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy J Arrieta <pro60ny@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fpvd7$hdh@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 165193

i'm looking for any mods available on pro60

Thank You!

Reply

Pro60ny

3756. Re: Brand New AOR 3000A - $650.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fq9c9$5cr$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 165194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

I find it very irritating when I get mails of your kind which do not move the human race forward one bit, after some thought I taught it would not only be better for myself, but also beneficial to the young kids on this newsgroup that I Do not continue to read and respond to your mails.

You find it hard to utter words, without trying to instigate one to attack you or annoy one so succintingly. I continue to believe you are one of those rare species in the human race who enjoys pain being inflicted on their person.

I find it very suprising that you still do not understad that, greed is not good. I would have to leave you with your ways, the sooner you get corrected off the net, the better for all of us.

If selling your radio is that important to you, I'll buy it off, so you can have peace of mind. It seems you are so obsessed with getting rid of this piece of equipment - is it a hot one?

Try and relax and do not give yourself unneccesary stress based on some virtual personality, there is more to this world than insulting cyber personalities.

Have a nice and productive day!

In article <6fo85j$bcs@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>
> Gee, it must be bad when someone does not possess the english skills
> to write his own ad, and have to resort to stealing someone else's ad
> to sell his own radio. (For those interested in buying one - I am
> selling the AOR-3000A below that Mr. Owodunni has stolen the words to)
> Segun, it must be tough not be able to express yourself.
>
> Pick up a book and read it. A mind is a terrible thing to waste. You
> must really try to express yourself without the use of profanity in
> personal e-mail messages to others. Remember, any idiot can use
> profanity. Have a good day!
>
> On Mon, 30 Mar 1998 04:10:20 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> >
> >
> >> >>>I have an absolutely BRAND NEW AOR 3000A. It does not have any
> >> >>>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoker and
> >> >>>the radio has never been used before - Unwanted xmas gift

> >> >>>
> >> >>>There is nothing wrong with this radio. The 3000A comes with the
> >> >>>following:
> >> >>>
> >> >>>* Software and computer cable
> >> >>>* AC adaptor
> >> >>>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
> >> >>>* Telescopic whip antenna
> >> >>>
> >
> >A free discone thrown in if you are an active member of this newsgroup.
> >
> >-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> >http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>
>

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3757. Re: Yupiteru MVT-9000-Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: shepgsd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033107005801.CAA15991@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 165195

Difference between the 9000 and 9000M?

>difference is its supposed to scan faster and have better inter mod filtering,
but i dont like to buy things that are modifed, thats why i didnt get it....

The 9000M is well worth the extra $50... trust me...

3758. Re: FS: RARE Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

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On 29 Mar 1998 22:52:03 GMT, will Herzog <herzog@frontiernet.net>
wrote:

I bought some from him to use as replacements in an Alinco 2 meter
rig, you'd play hell trying to get even a 1/8 W resistor in series in
some of those spaces much less a 1/4W resistor. I liked the fact they
were 14V and my fingers and soldering copper would likely *never* have
to be in those tight quarters again.

Regards

Gary K8IQ

>An easy answer is to put a dropping resistor in series next time you
>replace the bulb. 100 ohm or so.
>This helps the life by limiting the inrush.
>
>Tim, K8TJ wrote:
>>
>> Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12
>> volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount
>> of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually
>> forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find.
>> Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again
>> in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all
>> the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you.
>> Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want
>> to play the auction bidding game.
>> --
>> Tim, K8TJ
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3759. Good Price. Yes?, No?

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Have seen a Uniden BC895xlt selling for $319.95.
Question: Is this a good price from a dealer, or do you know of anything better?